

#### TRANSITION TO SCHOOL

Beginning school is an important milestone in a child's life. It is important that both you and your child are well prepared for this step.

#### **ENROLMENT**

To enquire or enrol please call the school office on 473 8362. or by email to principal@sacredheartdn.school.nz. Our secretary Meg Dougherty will be able to connect you with our Principal, who can answer your questions or organise to meet with you for a look around the school.



#### EARLY BIRDS PROGRAMME

From age four, your children are welcome to join in with our Early Birds programme. This runs every second Monday from 1.30pm to 3pm during term time.

> **Activities** are led by a teacher, and include arts and crafts, music and visits with the iunior classes.

#### **SCHOOL VISITS**

From the age of 4.5 years, preentry visits to the school are encouraged and recommended. These can be arranged with the Principal or first year teacher and usually take place 5 to 6 weeks prior to the starting date.

#### AFTER SCHOOL CARE

We offer after school care every weekday after school After School

until 5:30pm.

Costs: \$6 per hour/ \$12 for the afternoon. Healthy afternoon tea provided (gluten free).

## **ENROL** NOW



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#### WELCOME

A warm welcome to the community of Sacred Heart School Dunedin. At Sacred Heart we are continually focused on what is best for our tamariki. As a Catholic school, we draw on our faith and values to develop a sense of justice and caring for others in our children. We believe our high level of pastoral care, parent interest and involvement contribute to our successes. Our environment maximises opportunities for children to excel in their educational, spiritual and personal development.

#### **OUR VISION**

At Sacred Heart School we recognise the intrinsic dignity and individuality of each child and build on their natural desire to inquire and learn. We aim, through our influence, example, commitment and effort, to provide our children with an holistic education in a safe, caring and supportive environment, to foster their healthy self-esteem and respect for themselves and each other and to nurture their continuing spiritual development.

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#### **JUSTICE**

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### **TIMELINE**



4yrs-5yrs **EARLY BIRDS** 

4.5yrs-5yrs 6X SCHOOL VISITS

5th START SCHOOL





#### **WEBSITE**

Sacred Heart School has a website for more information. It can be accessed at www.sacredheartdn.school.nz



#### SACRED HEART FACEBOOK BLOG

Sacred Heart School has two Face book pages - one open page for community info and one private page for parents and caregivers. The private page is dedicated to celebrating our children's successes.

Teachers post photos and information regularly on the blog.

Parents/Grandparents/Friends of the school are able to leave constructive comments that we can pass back to the children.





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