



Broken Hill High School

No Reward Without Effort

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High School Transition Permission Note: School of the Air Broken Hill

Dear Parent/Carer,

Broken Hill High School is excited your child/ward will be joining our school community in 2022. To ensure the transition between primary school and high school is an enjoyable experience. We have planned a number of events during Term 4, 2021 to allow your child/ward to familiarise themselves with our school.

Picnic Day details as follows:

When: Monday, 6 December 2021.

Where: Gary Radford Pavilion.

Time: 9.30am to 2.30pm.

Cost: \$5.00.

Transport: Students will travel via bus to and from the venue (TBC).

Requirements: Students should bring water, a hat and wear sunscreen. It is suggested that a sports uniform be worn.

Information: Year 7 students at Broken Hill High School each year take part in our Peer Support Program. The Peer Support Program creates a buddy system between your child/ward and their peer support leaders to ensure they are supported in their transition to high school. The Picnic Day provides the opportunity for your child/ward to meet their peer leaders for 2022 and partake in several peer activities. Recess of chips and fruit along with a sausage sizzle lunch will be provided.

Orientation Day details as follows:

When: Wednesday, 8 December 2021.

Where: Broken Hill High School

Time: 9.30am to 2.30pm.

Transport: Students will travel via bus to and from the venue (TBC). Students are to meet in the Broken Hill High School Hall (Kaolin Street entrance).

Requirements: Students will need to bring their own recess and lunch or can purchase from the Canteen. Students should bring water, a hat and wear sunscreen. It is suggested that a sports uniform be worn.

Information: Orientation Day provides an opportunity for your child/ward to become accustomed to the surroundings, staff and students at Broken Hill High School.

Taste of High School details as follows:

When: Friday, 10 December 2021.

Where: Broken Hill High School.

Time: 9.30am to 2.30pm.

Transport: Students will travel via bus to and from the venue (TBC).

Requirements: Students will need to bring their own recess and lunch or can purchase from the Canteen. Students should bring water, a hat and wear sunscreen. It is suggested that a sports uniform be worn.

Information: The Taste of High School Day will allow students to attend lessons to provide them the opportunity to sample the work, meet the teachers and experience a full day of high school.

COVID-19 safe measures to be followed during all planned events:

- All students attending these activities must have completed an enrolment form, which has been received by Broken Hill High School.
- In secondary school settings, all adults and students are required to wear a mask while indoors and on buses, therefore, students are encouraged to bring their own face mask.
- Parents/carers cannot access any facilities or school grounds. For drop-off and collection of students, please use the entry near the hall and leave promptly.
- All students attending must be well and free of any flu-like symptoms.
- Primary school teachers and learning support officers can attend these events for the purpose of supporting their students during transition sessions.
- Water bubblers cannot be directly used; therefore, students must bring a refillable water bottle.

Please complete, sign and return the permission note to your child/ward's Primary School **ASAP**.

Yours faithfully,



Ms Wendy Sherman-Bryson
Transition Coordinator



Mr Ross Mackay
Principal

High School Transition Permission Note

Please complete and return to your child/ward's current Primary School ASAP.

I give permission for my child/ward _____ from School of the Air Broken Hill to attend:

(Please tick appropriate box)

- Picnic Day** on Monday, 6 December 2021 at the Gary Radford Pavilion.

- Orientation Day** on Wednesday, 8 December 2021 at Broken Hill High School.

- Taste of High School Day** on Friday, 10 December 2021 at Broken Hill High School.

I understand and agree to the travel arrangements.

I acknowledge the cost of **\$5.00** payable to my child/ward's primary school for the Picnic Day.

I give permission for my child/ward to receive medical treatment in case of emergency.

My child/ward has the following known allergies and/or special dietary needs as follows:

Privacy Notice

The personal information provided on this permission note will be used by the Department of Education for general administration and communication and other matters of welfare relating to your child/ward on this excursion. The provision of this information is voluntary but your child/ward may not be eligible to attend if it is not provided. This information will be stored securely and may be amended at any time by contacting the excursion coordinator.

Signed: _____

Parent/Carer: _____ **Date:** _____