



Casino West
LITTLE JARJUMS
PRESCHOOL



Week 4 Term 1

Tuesday 15 February 2022

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Dates to remember:

Wednesday 23 February
Casino West Public School
P&C Meeting

Tuesday 15-21 March
Harmony Week
Thursday 17 March
National Close the Gap Day
Wednesday 30 March
Casino West Public School
Annual General Meeting
(AGM)

Parent Partnership
Meetings
Week 5 and Week 6

Building Connections

The first few weeks of preschool produce a lot of change for our jarjums. They are meeting new people, exploring new concepts and accepting new routines and expectations.

Educators like to spend the first few weeks of term one, simply getting to know the children. Yarning with them, playing with them and getting to know what makes them tick. This allows us to build a relationship with them where we can be responsive to their needs and wants and adapt our teaching and environment to suit them.

We have loved getting to know our jarjums and families so far and are looking forward to a successful year at Little Jarjums Preschool.



Casino West Public School Preschool known locally as Casino West Little Jarjums Preschool Phone 02 6662 8995

QA6 Collaborative partnerships with families and communities Concept 6.1.3

Family Partnerships

During week 5 and 6 (the next two weeks) of term 1, we will be holding Parent Partnership Meetings with each of our families. It is important to us that you feel supported and respected, and we share in the decision-making about your child's learning and wellbeing. During this meeting, we aim to discuss your family's needs, wants and goals for this year at Little Jarjums Preschool, and finalise all paperwork that we may still require from you. These meetings are mandatory for our families. Without these meetings it is difficult for us to build a foundation for your child to learn and grow at preschool that is reflective of your family's values, beliefs, goals.

This week, a note will be sent home with appointment times. If these days and times do not suit your family, please let us know and we can make alternate arrangements.



Meet our Educators

Hi my name is Amy Clark.

I am the Teacher at Little Jarjums Preschool. I hold a Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary). I am delivering the education program on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday each week.

On Tuesday's you will find me in the preschool office working on Preschool's Continuous Improvement.

My family includes my husband Cameron and our four children, Ryan, Maddison, Connor and Harry. My interests include, playing sport, in particular, netball and football, trips to the beach and spending time with family and friends.

I am looking forward to getting to know our jarjums and families this year.



Hi my name is Elysha Troy.

I am the Teacher at Little Jarjums Preschool each Tuesday.

At home I enjoy reading and trying my hand at various arts and crafts with my husband Michael and our 1-year-old Son Ezra. We also like going to different places such as the beach or for walks at the park.



Hi my name is Leanne.

I am Community engagement Officer at Little Jarjums Preschool Monday to Friday.

I am a Bundjalung woman and was born in Casino. I am married and have two older children, Jacob and Moeishe.

I enjoy reading, travelling, singing and spending time with family.

I am really looking forward to working with you all this year.

Hi my name is Astoria Chapman.

I am an Educator at Little Jarjums Preschool Monday to Friday.

I love to dance. Tap is my favourite style but I also enjoy ballet, jazz and hip hop.

In my family I have my Mum, Dad and two younger brothers. I live with my partner Max and our two dogs, Calvin and Deefa.

In my spare time I like to garden and look after my indoor plants, make all kinds of things with my sewing machine and do lots of DIY projects around the house.



Calendar 2022



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Key dates

- ☐ **Term start and end dates***
 - Term 1 (Eastern) – 28 Jan to 8 Apr 2022
 - Term 1 (Western) – 4 Feb to 8 Apr 2022
 - Term 2 – 26 Apr to 1 July 2022
 - Term 3 – 18 July to 23 Sept 2022
 - Term 4 – 10 Oct to 20 Dec 2022
- ☐ **School development days**
 - Term 1 (Eastern) – 28 Jan and 31 Jan 2022
 - Term 1 (Western) – 4 Feb and 7 Feb 2022
 - Term 2, 3 and 4 – 26 April, 18 July and 20 Dec 2022

- ☒ **School vacation dates 2022**
 - Summer (Eastern) – 20 Dec 2021 to 27 Jan 2022
 - Summer (Western) – 20 Dec 2021 to 3 Feb 2022
 - Autumn – 11 Apr to 22 Apr 2022
 - Winter – 4 July to 15 July 2022
 - Spring – 26 Sept to 7 Oct 2022
 - Summer (Eastern) – 21 Dec 2022 to 26 Jan 2023
 - Summer (Western) – 21 Dec 2022 to 2 Feb 2023



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☐ **Public holidays**



Scan me for practical school tips!

To help your child get the most out of their school year and to explore our resources, check out our back to school hub at education.nsw.gov.au/back-to-school

School zone speed limits apply on all school days, including school development days.



* Check with your school as starting and finishing dates may change.