



Kentlyn Public School

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Special Religious Education (Scripture)

Dear Kindergarten Parents/Carers,

A feature of the public education system in NSW is the opportunity to provide time in class for education in ethics, faith and morality from a religious or non-religious perspective at the choice of parents.

The school website (<https://kentlyn-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>) provides information on these options to support parent/carer choice.

A parent/carer may at any time notify the school in writing that they wish to change their decision. Students will continue the same arrangement as the previous year, unless a parent/carer has requested a change in writing.

For more information about Special Religious Education (SRE) and Special Education in Ethics (SEE), including the list of approved providers, please visit: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/religion-and-ethics>

If your preferred Scripture option is not available please contact the approved provider. Students not attending Scripture are given supervised alternative meaningful activities.

The following options are available at Kentlyn Public School.

SRE Options (Please tick the option that you would like your child to attend)

Option 1: Catholic - Provider – St Thomas More Catholic Parish

Curriculum Overview: <https://www.ccdwollongong.com/working-with-children-check>

Option 2: Protestant – Provider – Campbelltown City Baptist Church

Curriculum Overview: <https://whysre.com.au/sre-curriculum/cep-curriculum-overview/>

OR

Option 3: Non Scripture - Your child will participate in alternative meaningful activities. All students at Kentlyn Public School are asked to read their favourite books or a book from our library at this time.

Thank you for your continued support.

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