

Welcome to the 2017 Foundation Information Evening

Ivanhoe Primary School



Tonight's Speakers



- * **Mr Mark Kent – Principal**
- * **Mrs Edwina Coates, Out of Hours Care**
- * **Mrs Maria Nedelkovski – Team Leader, Foundation Teacher**
- * **Miss Sarah Murphy – Foundation Teacher, Transition**
- * **Ms Kareema Hachem – Foundation Teacher,**
- * **Mrs Jo Kittler – Foundation Teacher,**
- * **Mrs Natalie Costa – Foundation Teacher**

- * **ART SMOCKS, CANTEEN, PFA on volunteers table**

Principals Welcome

* Mr Mark Kent



- Introduction to our school.
- Introduction of the 2017 Foundation team teachers.
- Reference to the volunteers table.
- Introduce Edwina from OSHC

Welcome to our school
Website:

<http://www.ivanhoeps.vic.edu.au/>

FOUNDATION TEAM MEMBERS FOR 2017

Mrs Maria Nedelkovski - FMJ

Mrs Jo Kittler - FMJ

Mrs Natalie Costa - FC

Ms Kareema Hachem - FH

Miss Sarah Murphy - FS



SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

- * Canteen
- * Art Smocks
- * OSHC



HOW PARENTS CAN BE INVOLVED

- * Volunteering
- * Parent Helper Course
- * In the classroom
- * FMS – Fundamental Motor Skills
- * PMP – Perceptual Motor Program



OSHC

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WEBSITE: <http://www.ivanhoeps.vic.edu.au/oshc.html>



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Related Links

[OSHC Brochure](#)

[OSHC Handbook](#)

[OSHC Enrolment - Parent Details](#)

[OSHC Enrolment - Child Details](#)



Ivanhoe Primary operates an excellent Out of School Hours Care (OSHC) program. **Before School Care** is conducted each school day between 7.00am and 8.45am with Breakfast provided for children who arrive before 8.00am. **After School Care** is between 3.30pm and 6.00pm with Afternoon Tea provided.

We endeavour to provide the highest quality childcare in a safe, enjoyable, stimulating, and caring environment. The program includes a wide variety of activities that are thoroughly prepared and implemented to meet our children's social, emotional, intellectual, and physical needs. In this way the program complements the school's activities and is consistent with the school's policies and practices.

Ivanhoe Primary OSHC is registered with the National Childcare Accreditation Council to participate in Outside School Hours Care Quality Assurance. This service is approved to provide education and care to 120 children. Places are in high demand and are limited to 120 (Before Care) and 120 (After Care). Children must be registered and unfortunately there is no guarantee places will be available.

For further details and bookings see the links on this page or contact the Coordinator on (03)9499 5226. A 24 hour answering service is also available.

Maria Nedelkovski – Team Leader

Foundation Teacher - FMJ

- * **Welcome from the team leader.**
- * **At our school we aim to.....**To provide a smooth transition experience for you and your child, with parents and teachers working together.
- * This is a very exciting time in you and your child's life! The first few weeks of school will be filled with new experiences and learning for your child.
- * Every child is different and copes with change in different ways. All children need time to adjust.
- * We will work together between home and school to build your child's resilience.

STARTING SCHOOL: Transition

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UcINGGuysBE>

Sarah Murphy – Foundation S

Teacher - Transition to school

- * Staggered arrival times on the first day, (a letter will be sent home during the holidays).
- * Wednesday's off for the first 6 weeks.
- * For the first day the Foundation students will have an early recess and lunch.
- * A letter will be sent home over the holidays from their Grade 2 or 3 buddy.
- * Colour coded name badges to wear around the yard to help easily identify them.
- * Early March, Meet The Teacher Interview will be held.

What can you do to prepare your child for school?



Kareema Hachem - Foundation H Teacher
Jo Kittler – Foundation MJ Teacher

- Encourage your children to be independent.
- Provide your child with opportunities to learn skills which will help with their transition into school life.

School Uniform

Please consult your pack for details at our uniform shop.



HATS!

We are a Sun Smart school!
September through to April – (Term 1 & 4)



From September to April all students must wear an approved hat during sport, Physical Education and outside break times
These may be purchased from the school uniform shop.
We operate and enforce a NO HAT - NO PLAY rule within the school.

School Supplies

- * Purchase school supplies online.
- * **Do NOT label items!**
- * Bring **ALL** supplies into school on the first day.



Encourage them to get dressed by themselves...

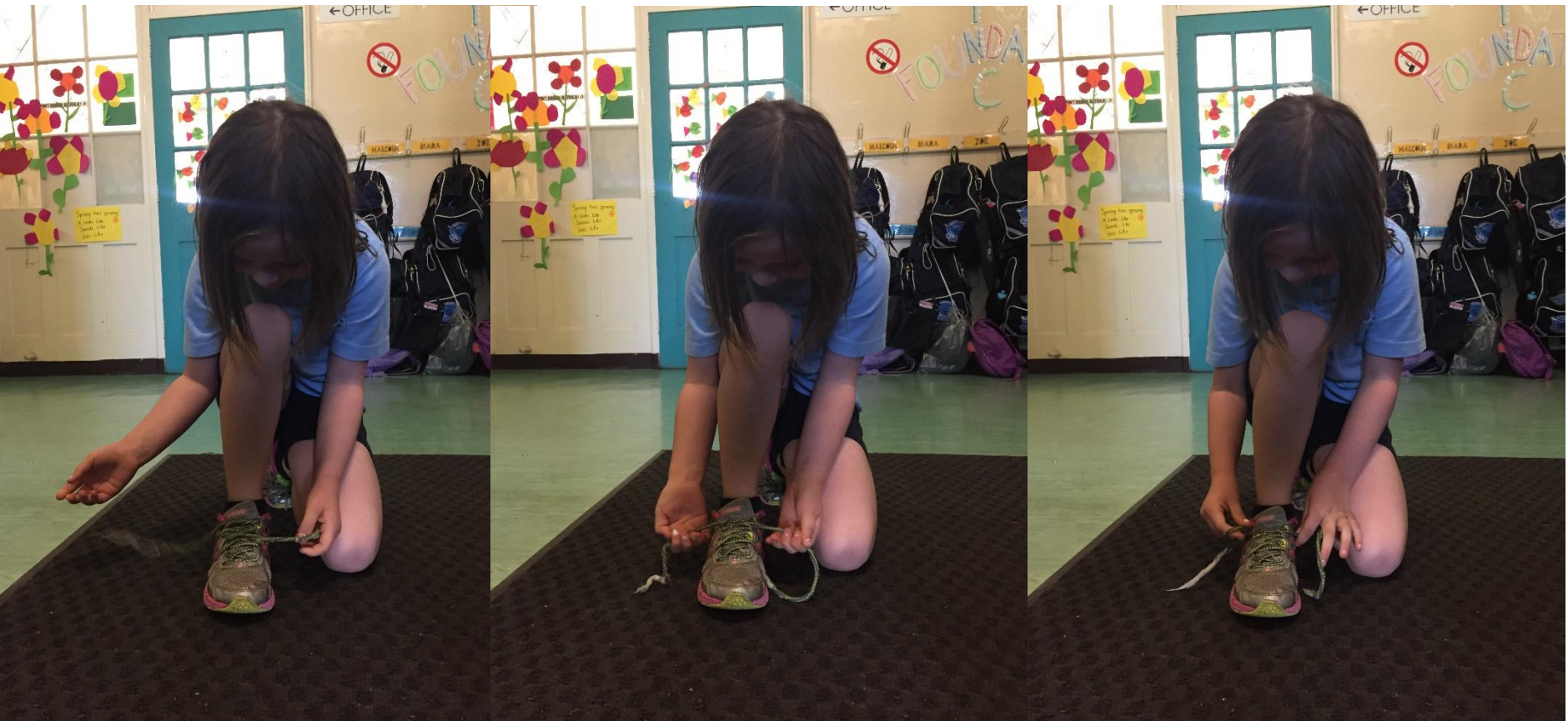


Let them carry and hang up their own bag inside...



Teach them to tie their shoelaces...

**Or have shoes that they can do up themselves.
For example shoes with Velcro straps.**



Encourage them to pack up after activities...



Encourage!

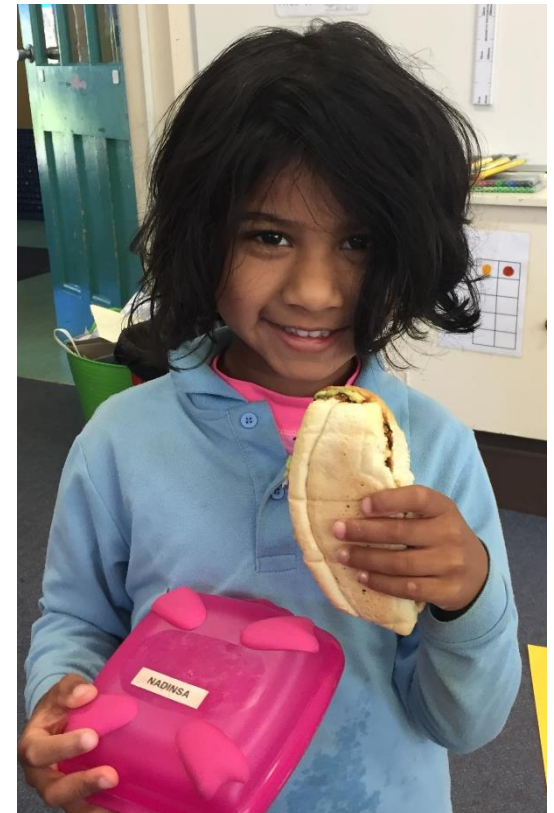


We eat: Fruit Snack, Recess Snack and Lunch...



Provide food that your child enjoys and can open independently.

It is important to explain to your child which part is snack and which is lunch.



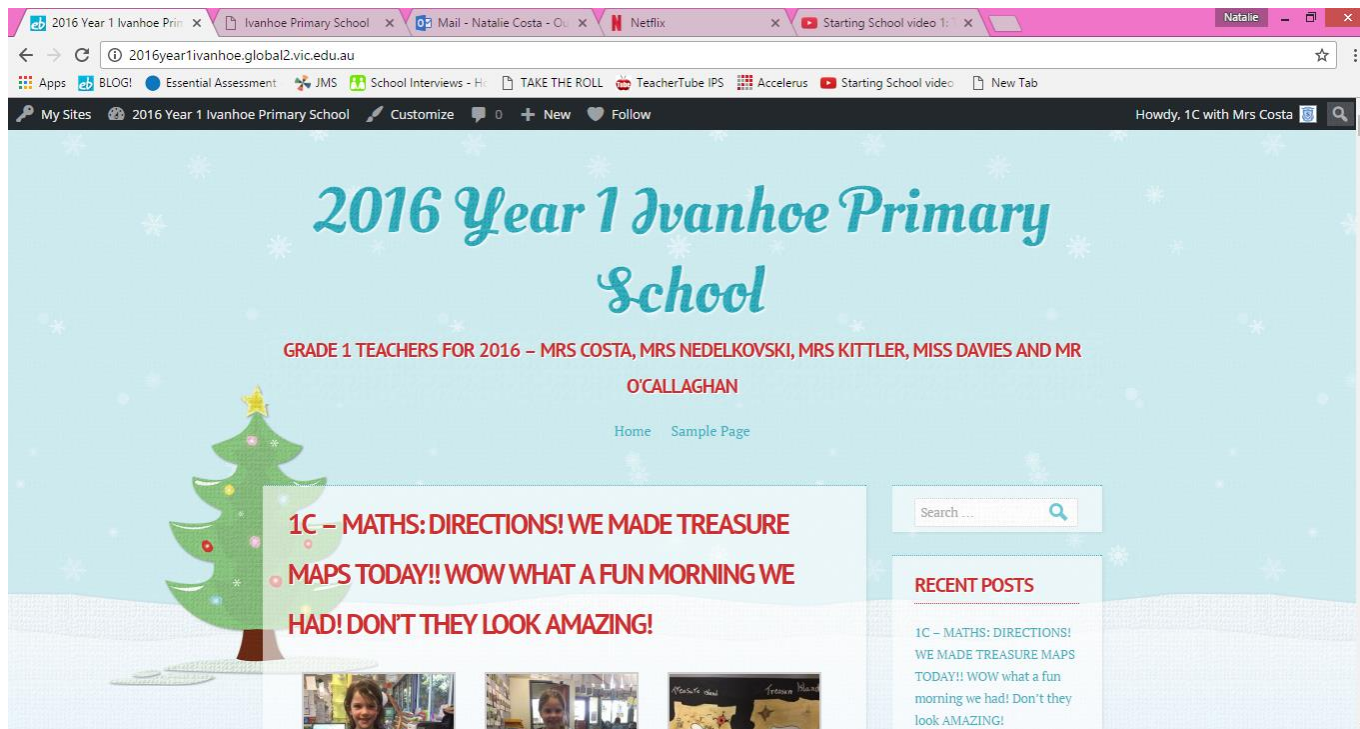
Bring drink bottles daily...



Foundation Blog

Natalie Costa – Foundation C Teacher

<http://2016year1ivanhoe.global2.vic.edu.au/>



Final Thank You

Mr Mark Kent



For additional information

- * **2017 Parent Information Booklet.**
- * **Feel free to contact us at any time.**
- * **Volunteers program**
- * **COMPASS – is a central portal between school and parents.**
- * **Please fill out the individual interview assessment notice.**



Any Questions..?

This concludes our 2017 Foundation Information Evening, thank you for joining us tonight!

Please feel free to ask any questions that we may not have covered this evening...



Please enjoy some drinks and nibbles with us!

