



# Kids Capers OOSH Picnic Point



## Information Sheet – 2019

Welcome to Kids Capers OOSH (Out Of School Hours) at Picnic Point Public School. This service is located in the school hall. It will provide before and after school care for children from Picnic Point PS and Vacation Care (during the school holidays) for all children who wish to attend, with first preference given to children from Picnic Point PS. Our service is licensed by the Department of Education and Community Services.

### Contact details:

Phone 0412 398 539 (Julie-Ann) or 0479 041 096 (Admin)  
Email [picnicpoint@kidscapersoosh.com.au](mailto:picnicpoint@kidscapersoosh.com.au)  
Website [www.kidscapersoosh.com.au](http://www.kidscapersoosh.com.au)

### Hours of opening:

Before school 6:30am - 8:30am  
After school 3:00pm - 6:00pm  
Vacation Care 6:30am - 6:00pm

### Daily Fees (per child):

Mornings (BSC): \$12.00 – permanent  
\$14.00 – casual  
Afternoons (ASC): \$22.00 – permanent  
\$24.00 – casual

Vacation Care (VAC): \$55.00 - plus in/excursion cost where applicable

**All booked sessions must be paid for. Cancellations made by the Friday before the booked session will not be charged.**

**Child Care Subsidy (CCS)** is available to assist with fees for eligible families. Please ensure you supply your own CRN (Customer Reference Number) and date of birth on the enrolment form as well as for each of your children. All details about CCS are on the government website: <https://www.education.gov.au/ChildCarePackage>

Applications for CCS can be made through your myGov portal, or by contacting Centrelink/Family Assistance Office on 13 61 50.

The CCS rebate is deducted from our fee.

**Fee Payment is by Direct Debit** - application form is on our website.

**Enrolment** - enrolment form is on our website.

Please phone **Julie-Ann on 0412 398 539** for all enquiries.

# *About Kids Capers OOSH Service*

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At Kids Capers, our slogan is *'It's all about the kids'*, and it is! We are here to provide a caring, reliable, safe service where your child is cared for in a relaxed, fun, stimulating and supportive environment.

Our programs are based on the interests of the children who attend. We will provide a range of activities including sport, craft, drama and passive activities such as stories and drawing for those who need to relax and unwind after a big day at school. An area for homework will be available. Staff are trained in first aid and child protection.

## *Care and Security for your child*

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It is most important that the collection and delivery of your child is a safe and smooth process. To this end, we ask you to let us know if your child will not be attending on his/her booked day. The roll will be marked in the afternoon when the children reach the OOSH centre. Once in the centre, all children are supervised at all times.

Only the persons nominated by the parents will be able to sign your child out of the centre.

## *Food*

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Kids Capers OOSH is nut-free and we will supply healthy breakfasts and afternoon tea to your child. Please advise us if your child has any allergies.

Breakfast will be served daily until 8:15am. This will consist of juice, cereal with milk and toast with spreads.

Afternoon tea – A fresh fruit platter will be served at 3:30pm when the children arrive from school. Afternoon tea, for example, homemade cakes, pikelets, cheese and crackers, home-made fruit ice-blocks, sandwiches, cheesy noodles etc will be served at 4:00pm. A weekly menu and program will be displayed at the centre.

## *Suggestions and Parent Input*

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We value your suggestions and input. Please feel free to approach any of our staff or drop a note in our suggestion box!

## *Behaviour Management*

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Staff aim to provide positive and consistent behaviour management at all times. We will establish rules for acceptable behaviour at the beginning of each term in consultation with the children. Positive feelings of self-worth and consideration for the feelings and safety of others will be our main considerations when dealing with the children in our care.