



Wesley Out of School Hours Care Epping West

A home away from home, where kids can be kids

- Before school care
- After school care
- Vacation care
- Pupil free days

**Commencing 29 January 2019 at Epping West Public School,
96 Carlingford Rd, Epping NSW 2121**

**Call (02) 9626 6620 or email
oosh@wesleymission.org.au**

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Do all the good you can
because every life matters



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Wesley Out of School Hours Care aims to provide high quality services that value the uniqueness of each individual child in our care. Our philosophy is guided by 'My Time, Our Place - The Framework for School Age Care in Australia and the National Quality Framework.

Frequently asked questions

What, where and when?

Wesley OOSH, Epping West (EWOOSH) will operate Before and After School Care and Vacation Care from 29 January 2019.

We will operate within the Epping West Public School grounds using both existing school facilities and our own soon to be installed OOSH building, providing quality care for up to 120 children per session.

Service operating hours:

- Before School Care - 7am to 8.40am
- After School Care - 2.30pm to 6pm
- Vacation Care - 7am to 6pm

Office Hours: - 9am to 5pm

All OOSH enquiries (enrolment, accounts, notification of absences etc) must be made through Administration Office.

How do I enrol my child for Before and After School Care for 2019?

For an enrolment form, please contact the Administration office as follows:

Email: oosh@wesleymission.org.au, or
Phone: 9626 6620

Then simply complete and return the form by email.

Will my child have a place in Before School and / or After School Care next year?

Wesley OOSH, Epping West will shortly have approval for Child Care Subsidy (CCS). Once we have received this approval we will be able formally confirm enrolments. In the meantime, please be assured that we are managing enrolment applications in the following manner:

Priority of enrolment allocation

The below priority listing is dependent on receipt of Wesley OOSH enrolment form by Wesley OOSH Administration by 30 November 2018

- Priority 1 - Children enrolled in 2018 with existing OOSH Provider
- Priority 2 - Siblings of current enrolments
- Priority 3 - Families who have emailed enquiries to Epping West Public School (in order of date email received)
- Priority 4 - Enrolments received by Wesley OOSH (in order of date received)

NB. Under agreement with the Commonwealth Government, the main priority for a place in the centre will be given to (in order of priority):

1. A child at risk of abuse or neglect
2. A child of a single parent who satisfies, or of parents who both satisfy, the work/ training/study test under Section 14 of the "A New Tax System (Family Assistance) Act 1999"
3. Any other child

Within these categories priority should also be given to the following children:

- Children in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families
- Children in families which include a disabled person
- Children in families which include an individual whose adjusted taxable income does not exceed the lower income threshold of \$43,727 for 2015-2016, or who or whose partner are on income support.
- Children in families from a non-English speaking background
- Children of socially isolated families
- Children of single parents

How much will it Cost?

Standard fees

Before school care session	\$15.00 per child (permanent) \$18.00 per child (casual)
After school care session	\$16.00 per child (permanent) \$19.00 per child (casual)
Vacation care day (including Pupil Free Days)	\$45.00 per child TBA - additional incursions and excursions costs
Equipment levy	\$20 per child/term

Kindergarten children

- Term 1 2.50pm - Wesley OOSH Educators will be at the school appointed meeting point to collect Kindy children and escort them to OOSH.
- Terms 2-4 3.10pm - Wesley OOSH Educators will be at the school appointed meeting point to collect Kindy children and escort them to OOSH.

What will my child/ren eat?

At Wesley OOSH we recognise that healthy eating and physical activity are vital to your child's good health. We aim to provide nutritious and varied food in line with Australian Guide to Healthy Eating.

During before and after school care, food and drink will be provided for breakfast and afternoon tea your child may eat something from their lunch box if they wish (*no food containing nuts please*)

- Breakfast is available between 7am and 8.10am
- Afternoon tea is available upon arrival to 3.45pm

Those children who attend extracurricular activities prior to coming to the centre are provided with afternoon tea on their arrival.

A menu will be displayed at all times within the service. We invite and welcome your feedback and menu suggestions.

What will my child/ren do at OOSH?

Your child/ren will have a choice of many activities including indoor craft activities, board games, cooking, colouring in/painting, group games. Outdoor play will include organised and self-directed sports games and activities, gardening..... just to name a few.

There are a number of extracurricular activities provided within the school by external organisations. Should you wish your child to attend any of these activities during OOSH hours please advise OOSH Administration by email to oosh@wesleymission.org.au

Need more information?

Email oosh@wesleymission.org.au or refer to the Parent Handbook provided in the enrolment and information pack.

