

## Getting Ready for School



### Develop essential skills for school with Plumtree's fun and practical school readiness program

Suitable for children entering mainstream Kindergarten in 2025.

This fun and dynamic program has been developed by a team of experienced speech pathologists, occupational therapists and teachers. The program focuses on supporting your child and your family to make a successful transition to school.

The groups will focus on developing the following school readiness skills:

- Listening and speaking: Building communication skills.
- Following instructions and answering questions: Enhancing comprehension and response.
- Pre-literacy skills: Including rhyming and letter-sound awareness.
- Fine motor skills: Improving pencil grip, drawing, writing, and cutting.
- Problem-solving and independence: Encouraging self-reliance and critical thinking.
- Social skills: Making friends, initiating conversations, turn-taking, and managing emotions.
- Attention and concentration: Increasing focus during tasks.
- Family involvement: We'll provide you with suggestions and ideas to continue supporting your child's skill development at home.

#### Cost

Total Cost: \$515 for all four 1.5-hour face-to-face sessions, including preparation time.

The cost of the program can be covered using the following:

- NDIS funding
- Private Payment

No payment necessary during Registration of Interest

#### Date and time

Four sessions focused on school readiness, with a small group of up to 6 children.

Monday, 30 September | 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Tuesday, 1 October | 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Wednesday, 2 October | 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Thursday, 3 October | 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

#### Location

Plumtree Children's Services

Yabsley Avenue, Jarvie Park

Marrickville, NSW, 2204

Parents will need to stay on-site during each session

#### This session is for

Families of children with disability, developmental delay or concerns about their development starting mainstream school in 2025

#### More information

For more information see the event page or feel free to email [reception@plumtree.org.au](mailto:reception@plumtree.org.au)

Register your interest

[plumtree.org.au/event/nature-playgroup](http://plumtree.org.au/event/nature-playgroup)



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