

Maranatha Christian School

EARLY LEARNING

2016



Beginning the journey of Christ-centred education...



Welcome to Maranatha Christian School

Our Early Learning Centres provide a holistic, biblically faithful kindergarten experience that, in partnership with parents, nurtures the education, wellbeing and development of every child. We delight in opportunities to foster each child's life-long journey of acquiring skills, concepts, values and dispositions for life, learning and service to our Lord within a secure and loving environment.

At Maranatha we believe in the significance of **BELONGING**, **DISCIPLESHIP** and **EXCELLENCE**.

We further reflect on the Victorian Early Years Learning Framework which characterises early childhood as a time of Belonging, Being and Becoming.

Session Times

Doveton 4/5 Year old ELC
Tuesday 8.45 am – 3.00 pm
Thursday 8.45 am – 3.00 pm
Friday 8.45 am – 12.45 pm

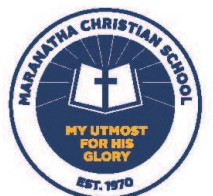
Officer 4/5 Year old ELC (Choice of 3 days)
Monday 8.30 am – 3.00 pm
Tuesday 8.30 am – 3.00 pm
Wednesday 8.30 am – 3.00 pm
Thursday 8.30 am – 3.00 pm

Officer 3/4 Year old ELC
Friday 8.30 am – 3.00 pm

Program

Our rich and responsive programs are designed to build an excellent disposition toward learning and to provide children with meaningful opportunities to explore, discover and develop their God-given gifts and interests. The Early Learning Program at Maranatha is differentiated by our Christ-centred education and structured learning environment. With the inclusion of Early Learning, Maranatha now offers seamless integration from Early Years through to Year 12.

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Specialist Classes

Children attending our 4/5 Year old Early Learning programs will enjoy the benefits of weekly Music and Physical Education classes as well as visiting the school library each week.

Fees 2016

Officer – 3/4 Year old	6.5 Hours per week	\$499 (per term X4)	\$1996 per annum
Officer – 4/5 Year old	19.5 Hours per week	\$1063 (per term X4)	\$4252 per annum
Doveton – 4/5 Year old	16.5 Hours per week	\$832.25 (per term X4)	\$3329 per annum

Enrolment Fee \$200 per family, membership fee \$82.50 per parent, and capital levy of \$100 per family also applies to non-current families.

4/5 Year old Kindergarten Fee Subsidy

Families who are eligible for the Kindergarten Fee subsidy will be eligible for reduced fee payments.

Note: Fees are payable per term or per annum.

Enrolment

Families wishing to enrol at one of our Early Learning Centres should contact our school registrar, Mrs Janet de Jong on 9709 7217 for a prospectus. A school tour (if required) and an interview will be scheduled for you to attend. You may return your enrolment application along with a copy of your child’s birth certificate on the day of your tour and/or interview. Alternatively, you can forward this to The Registrar, Maranatha Christian School, 104-108 Reema Boulevard Endeavour Hills 3802. Once you have attended your enrolment interview a financial interview will also be arranged.

Six months prior to your child’s expected commencement a formal offer of placement will be communicated to you in writing if a place is available. Preference is given to siblings of current students. To secure your placement a deposit of \$500 will be payable and this will be credited to your account in Term 4 of your child’s first year at our Junior School (Prep).

Please note: 3/4 Year old ELC Children must turn 3 before 1 February 2016.

4/5 Year old ELC Children must turn 4 by April 30 in the year they commence for admittance into Early Learning (this is a requirement for government funding).

Early Learning at Officer

62 Rix Road, OFFICER VIC 3809

Tel: (03) 9709 7310

Early Learning at Doveton

129 Kidds Road, DOVETON VIC 3177

Tel: (03) 9709 7350



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