



Knowing Our Learners - Parent Conversations

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

To better plan learning that helps children achieve their full potential, we like to learn as much as possible about our students. We aim to meet or connect with every family within their first 4 weeks of starting school. You can even arrange a time to meet with your child's teacher now.

Below are some questions to give us some starting conversation points so that we can get to know your child and your family better. Please add some notes about your child below and send this back to school or bring it to the meeting with your child's teacher.

Which day, date and time would suit you?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday

How would you most like us to keep in contact with you? (eg email, cell phone, meetings - Please give us your updated preferred email address or number)

Name:

Phone Number:

Email:

Child's name: _____

Room _____

<p>What values are important to you and your family?</p>	<p>What languages are spoken at home?</p> <p>What significant cultural events are important to your family?</p>	<p>What are your child's strengths?</p>
<p>What motivates your child?</p> <p>How does your child learn best?</p>	<p>What barriers prevent your child from learning, and cause him/her to lose interest?</p>	<p>Do you have any interests or expertise you could share with our students?</p>
<p>What else should we know about your child?</p>	<p>What do you think your child needs more support with?</p>	<p>What is your preferred time of day or place to meet to discuss your child's learning?</p>