



Makybe Rise Primary School

Parents Make Makybe

'your community, your class, your child'

Parents Make Makybe Framework

1. The Initiative

Our school beliefs inform how we work together as a community and what is important to us as a school.

We believe that:

- knowing the families of the children we teach and working with them as partners is essential to children's education.
- how the adults in our school community work together is as important as their individual competence. Lasting change begins with the adult community.

The initiative:

- encourages and supports parents within the Makybe Rise Primary School community to contribute to our school community, and celebrates parental actions that support their child's success at school.

2. Initiative Identity

The Committee has named the initiative 'Parents Make Makybe' with the slogan of 'your community, your class, your child'.

'Parents Make Makybe' has its own logo, which is a specialised version of the school's current logo. The solid circle is intentionally in bold as it is this circle which symbolises all the adults in our school community and the ways in which we work together to create a safe and welcoming learning environment for our children.

3. Formation of Sub-Committee

The sub-committee leading the implementation of the initiative is made up of various members of the school community as follows:

- The Principal
- P&C Representation
- School Board Representation
- At least 1 x Staff Member

4. How It Works

Each family will receive a 'passport' for each child enrolled at Makybe Rise Primary School. The passport identifies three categories (community, classroom, child).

Adults in the school community may contribute to their own child's passport and that of any other child enrolled in the school. Access to an end of term event will be offered to all



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children in the school, however, when one stamp has been placed in each of the three categories on a child's passport, access to an end of term event will be provided free of charge.

Activities completed in one term cannot be carried over to another term. The only exception is volunteering at the initiative end of term event, which is then recognized the following term.

5. Records of Participation

The school will provide a 'passport' for every child.

The committee will ensure a range of opportunities are available in each of the three categories, each term. In addition, each category will include the ability for families to collaborate with their teacher to determine an activity that is tailored to their own needs.

Each classroom teacher will be provided with a confidential recording sheet to enable tracking of completed passports (not tracking of specific activities completed) and to assist them to offer tailored support to families where and if required.

Stamps will be issued to all teachers, P&C (including Canteen Manager) and office administration staff. An activity in the 'classroom' and 'child' categories is completed for each child each term; however, a 'community' activity is performed only once each term per family and the associated stamp is recorded on each child's passport belonging to that family.

6. List of Suggested Activities

Teacher Collaboratives within the school (K-PP, 1-2, 3-4, 5-6) will provide the committee with ideas for each term, to assist the committee in determining what activities may be relevant for each year level. Parent feedback to teachers will also be welcomed to inform potential activities.

7. End of Term Event

Access to an end of term event will be provided to all children in the school. Access will be free of charge for all children with a completed passport. It is the intention of the initiative for all families to receive the support they need to complete passports. However, tickets to the end of term event may also be purchased via the school's online canteen website for children who do not have a completed passport. All tickets will be distributed at the same time so that students will be unaware of whether or not a ticket was paid for.

End of term events will be determined by the committee and must not cost more than \$1,000 per term. The costs associated with these activities will be met by the school and the P&C.