



JESMOND PUBLIC SCHOOL

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10th February 2025

Maroba Nursing Home Partnership

Dear Parents and Carers,

In 2025, Jesmond PS are continuing to partner with Maroba Nursing Home at Waratah to conduct intergenerational activities on a weekly basis. Your child has expressed interest in being able to participate in this opportunity. For Jesmond Public School to participate, we will be taking a small (up to 10 children per term) group of Stage 2 children to the nursing home on a weekly basis from 1.30pm to 2.30pm each Tuesday afternoon. During our visits, we will be participating in a range of activities including but not limited to singing, art, dancing, literacy and technology. Please be advised that the visits could include the taking of photos from staff at Jesmond PS or Maroba Nursing Home for publication and/or distribution within the two organisations. A permission note for selected Term 1 participants will be sent home. If your child is not selected to participate in Term 1, we anticipate that there will be capacity to give the same opportunity to all Stage 2 students over the course of terms 2,3 and 4 of the 2025 school year.

Please return the signed slip to Mrs Couper by Thursday 13th February if you wish for your child to participate in this wonderful opportunity. This slip indicates:-

- Permission for your child to be photographed during sessions at the aged-care facility,
- a commitment for your child to attend the nursing home each week of their allocated term, unless they are unwell, in which case, the school should be notified.
- an understanding that transport will be provided by Jesmond PS staff and using the school bus.

Gaye Couper
Organising Teacher

James McGill
Principal

Maroba Nursing Home 2025

Please return note by **Thursday 13th February 2025**

- ☐ I give permission for my child _____ **to be photographed during visits to Maroba Nursing Home.** I understand these photos may be distributed and/or displayed within the Maroba Nursing Home community.
- ☐ I commit to my child attending Maroba Nursing Home on a weekly basis unless they are unwell, in which case I will notify Jesmond PS.
- ☐ I understand that transport will be provided by Jesmond PS staff using the school bus facility.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____