Fees & Administration

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Age	3 - 5 year old children	
Opening Hours	8.00am - 5.30pm Both Campuses open Monday to Friday 8.00am to 5.30pm New Horizons Preschool is closed on public holidays and for a 4-week period over Christmas (the dates of our Christmas closure are advertised at the commencement of Term 4).	
Enrolments	Enrolments are inclusive of 48 weeks of the year, during Preschool operating hours. Attendance patterns may be between 2 and 5 days. A minimum booking of 2 days per week is required.	
Class Size	Each class has 3 educators and a maximum of 25 children, including a specialist Atelierista (art teacher) who also works alongside small groups of children. A gender balance policy promotes an even balance between male and female children where possible.	
Preschool Fees	\$112.50 per day Accounts are emailed on a fortnightly basis. All Parents/Guardians are required to pay fees through iPay direct debit from a nominated cheque/savings or credit card. Fees are reviewable at the end of each financial year.	
Art & Stationary Levy	\$85 [charged at the commencement of the year]	
Enrolment Deposit	An enrolment reservation deposit is required upon acceptance of a child's placement. \$250 Preschool / Inquire 5 \$450 Omilea Class [kindergarten alternative program] This deposit is deducted from your first invoice. This deposit is non-refundable and will be forfeited if your child does not take a place at our preschool.	
Notice Periods	Any request to reduce or withdraw enrolment is subject to 4 week's written notice, or full fees will be charged in lieu of notice.	
Financial Support	Details of Government benefits and eligibility criteria can be obtained from the Australian Department of Human Services Website.	
Illness, Absence, Late Fees & Public Holidays	 In the event of absence due to illness, holidays, or any other reason, full fees applicable to the normal booked session will be charged unless: Absences due to medical conditions, with a medical certificate provided, will be charged at 75% of the full fee. Required 2 weeks written notice received for holiday absences will be charged at 75% of the full fee. A system of payments for late departures operates at the Preschool to cover overtime payments due to staff. These fees are strictly enforced There is no charge for Public Holidays or periods of preschool closure. 	

2020 Term Dates

2020	START	FINISH		
Term 1	Monday 3 February	Thursday 9 April		
EASTER BREAK: Friday 10 April – Monday 13 April				
Term 2	Monday 27 April	Friday 3 July		
Term 3	Monday 20 July	Friday 25 September		
Term 4	Monday 12 October	Thursday 17 December		

Term dates provided are accurate at the time of publishing, but are subject to change

Public Holidays in 2020

HOLIDAY	DATE	
New Year's Day	Wednesday 1 January	
Australia Day*	Monday 27 January	
Royal Hobart Regatta	Monday 10 February	
Eight Hour Day	Monday 9 March	
Good Friday	Friday 10 April	
Easter Monday	Monday 13 April	
ANZAC Day	Monday 25 April	
Queen's Birthday	Monday 8 June	
Royal Hobart Show	Thursday 22 October	
Christmas Day	Friday 25 December	
Boxing Day*	Monday 28 December	
*Substitute holiday applies		