



Manor Lakes College

Parent Information Program

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Program Description: The Parent Information Program will cater for parents/care-givers of the Manor Lakes community. The program will cover areas, which will assist parents/care-givers and increase their knowledge base in the areas of schooling/parenting. Parents/care-givers will become more involved in the community/school and see it as an integral part of their community. They will have the opportunity to participate in parenting sessions which will assist them in developing skills & to enhance their children's well being. This will build their confidence and assist in building relationships with their families and the school community.

Goals and Objectives:	Implementation Plan:	Program Evaluation:	Timeline
1. To enhance & foster parent's knowledge/confidence and develop their parenting skills.	Provide Parenting Sessions throughout the year. Have speakers in to talk to parents on various topics-e.g Home Reading School newsletter/School web-site	Survey Parents/Staff Collective Reflection Working With Children Check/Parental Involvement	Through out the year
2. Developing skills that enhance the social, emotional and physical well-being of their children Promote confidence/knowledge base in families	Wyndham City Council Melbourne Child Parenting Ideas Newsletter by Michael Grose-Invitation to local schools to participate various forums	Forums held Surveys Open Mornings/Open Days	Term 1 Eg. Classroom Helpers
3. To improve communication, understanding and confidence in staff/ programs at MLC	Regular Parenting Ideas in the School Newsletter Hold information nights-IT Program	Newsletter hints regularly published Multi-cultural aides used for translation	Regularly throughout the year
4. To provide resources eg. beverages and food, equipment - photocopying, DVDs, etc	Purchase resources required to implement program-Community Budget	Resources purchased/parents/care-givers feedback	Through out the year