What day do we start?

Year 2 students start on Tuesday 2 February. Doors open at 8.15 am. School starts at 8.25 am.

Where do we go on the first day?

The students are to be taken to their classroom. Parents are encouraged to say a quick goodbye and then leave so the day can begin.

What uniform do we wear on the first day?

Students wear their summer uniform. There are no specialist activities on this day.

What do we bring on the first day?

- School hat
- Energiser – small healthy snack vegetable or cut up piece of fruit which is not messy
- Morning tea
- Bring the Campion box of books and stationary. All items named.
- Lunch – healthy and nutritious

Where do I drop my child off after the first day?

Your child waits in the sunroom area until the classroom door.

Where do I collect my child at the end of the school day?

Students are to be collected from outside the Year 2 door on the soft fall area.

Which uniform is worn on which days?

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday: Sports uniform
Thursday & Friday: Full school uniform

How many items of uniform should we buy?

Year 2 spend three days a week wearing their sports uniform.

It is recommended that:

- They have a change of sports clothes
- Three pairs of sports socks
- At least two pairs of school socks
- One summer uniform will probably be adequate
Where do I update change of details centrally?

The Student Family Information and Student Medical Information needs to be updated/completed online before the start of Year 2. Please login to the Huntingtower Parent Portal at https://parentportal.huntingtower.vic.edu.au. A login will be provided to each parent by the Huntingtower ICT department via email.

What is the best way to communicate with my child’s teacher when I need to?

The diary and email are important forms of communication between home and school and parents may use it for short notes re absence etc. Staff comments, uniform reminders and notices re routine changes are placed in the diaries.

Where do I find out about important dates on the school calendar?

We recommend you regularly check the school calendar for events, important dates and mid-term breaks at http://calendar.huntingtower.vic.edu.au/

How will my child settle into the new class?

Every effort is made to assist students in their transition. However, some children settle more easily than others. The first half of the year, in particular, may be challenging as students get used to new expectations and increasingly develop independent work habits. Students also move into the ‘big playground.’ Resilience may be needed. Please keep in contact with the class teacher. She will also alert you to any issues that may arise.