Kindergarten Language Program

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have enlisted the specialist support of Speech Pathologist, Kristin Gale. This is in response to our 2010-2014 data that indicated that on entry to school nearly half of our students presented with language difficulties in articulation, receptive and/or expressive language.

As part of our Speech Pathologist’s role, she will screen new Kindergarten students. Students who identify as requiring additional support in articulation, receptive and/or expressive language will have a program developed for them and implemented by our School Learning Support Officers during school time.

Each family will receive notification as to the outcome of the Speech Pathologist’s screening.

Please note that the language screening is not a full speech pathology assessment. These can be obtained by making a formalised appointment with a Speech Pathologist outside school.

If you would like your child to participate in the language screening, please complete the permission slip below and return to your class teacher. The screenings will take place in Week 10, Tuesday 31 March, 2015.

If you would like more information about the language program, please feel free to contact Sharon Shearman at school on 4325 2181.

Sharon Shearman
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL
19 March 2015

Rebecca Wild
PRINCIPAL

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I give permission for my child ___________________________________ of class ____________ to be screened by Speech Pathologist, Kristin Gale, to identify any required additional support in articulation, receptive and/or expressive language.

Signed: ____________________________________________ Date: ____________________

(parent / carer)