
Southern Cross Early Childhood School



Dear Families

Seesaw is a digital portfolio which your child's teacher will add to throughout each term. We hope that the use of Seesaw will enhance the connection between home and school, and allow families to have a greater understanding of the learning that is taking place in the classroom.

Teachers will be able to post work samples, photos, videos and voice recordings of your child and the group and you will then be able to view and make comment on these. Information posted by or about your child is accessible by you only unless they have worked in collaboration with other children. This is a forum for positive feedback and will be closely monitored by the teachers and members of the executive team.

As our school wishes to register with a web based service provider that requires some personal information about a child in your care, we are obliged under the Commonwealth Privacy Act (1988) to advise you of the reasons for collecting the information, what will be done with it and who else may have access to it.

Name of Provider: Seesaw
Type of Service: Student driven digital portfolios
Website: <http://web.seesaw.me/>

Summary Terms and Conditions:

As a registered school user, *Seesaw* will have access to your child's first name, class, school and work that has been uploaded onto their digital portfolio.

Seesaw Privacy Policy:

Please visit: <http://app.seesaw.me/about/privacy> for full information about *Seesaw's* privacy policy.

If you would like your child to be involved in this initiative, please complete and return the attached permission note to Reception.

Yours sincerely

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USE OF THIRD PARTY WEB BASED EDUCATIONAL SERVICES – PERMISSION TO ACCESS SEESAW

I **consent** to my child's information being supplied to Seesaw

For the purpose of: Accessing the Seesaw App to create a digital portfolio

Student Name: _____

Year Level: _____

PERMISSION FOR ANGLICARE STAFF TO ACCESS SEESAW

We hope that the Seesaw application enhances the connection between home and school, allowing you to have a greater understanding of the learning that is taking place in the classroom. To continue this, we would like to invite Anglicare preschool educators access to your child's digital portfolio. This will allow Anglicare educators to see and understand some of the experiences your child engages with at preschool, which will support their planning for your child when at Anglicare. The Anglicare educators would be able to view and comment on the photos and videos your child's preschool teacher adds to Seesaw.

I **consent** to Anglicare staff accessing and adding to my child's Seesaw journal

Parent/Carer Name: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____

Date: _____



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