

Dear Parents,

Our Lady of Grace School is well known in the Community for its amazing sense of Community and spirit.

Places at the school are highly sought after. As the school transitions to Three Streams there will also be more and more new families welcomed into the School and Parish community.

For any family starting a new school - whether it be the start of your first child's education or relocating from another area or interstate or overseas, entering a new school and Parish community can be daunting for both students and parents alike.

We are introducing a new initiative the "Buddy System" - Where new families have the opportunity to be assigned a family which can help to settle them into school life and into Perth life, if the case may be and make the transition that much easier.

We are asking for established families to volunteer to be on a data base to be assigned to a family with similar aged children, interests etc to assist them in the transition and hopefully form a relationship for years to come. This may range from answering questions to meeting for coffee, a meal or a picnic in the park, it is really up to you.

If you would like to be put on our Buddy System data base please fill out the attached form and send back to the school office. All information provided will be treated in a confidential manner.

Please feel free to contact me on 0415 096740 or guttridge@aapt.net.au if you have any queries.

Kind Regards

Diana Guttridge

Event and Social Co-Ordinator

OLG P&F

Please tick and complete the below details if you would like to be a part of the Buddy System:

New Family

Existing Family

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Children's Age(s) & Sex): _____

Interests: _____

Please return completed forms to the School Office.