



## Excellent facilities and state of the art technology

Situated in beautifully landscaped grounds, our school is well-resourced with up-to-the-minute technology, a well resourced library, attractive comfortable classrooms and flexible learning spaces. Each classroom is equipped with an interactive whiteboard. We are extremely proud of our video conferencing centre, a ratio of almost one computer for every student, and a set of iPads for classroom use. Our students use online learning programs that can be accessed at school and from home such as Mathletics, Reading Eggs, and Spellodrome. We have a sheltered outdoor learning area and an engaging and well equipped playground with shaded play areas.



## What our parents say:

*"Glen William Public School has made the transition from Preschool to kindergarten a very positive experience for my child as he is a timid child. The students are all very supportive to the younger children and the teachers and staff are all extremely dedicated and caring."*

*"The up to date facilities, equipment along with teaching methods give the children the best start to primary school and the small school size allows the teachers and staff to know each child and their special needs and progress on an individual basis."*

*"Small class sizes offering more one on one. Glen William offers a close knit community with the feeling that the door is always open to discuss any problems/concerns. There are more opportunities given due to the small number of students. The school caters to each child's needs and the children make great friendships that continue into the future."*

For more information about our school or to arrange a personal tour to discuss your child's future education please contact:

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**Education &  
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# Glen William Public School



Learn to live....Live to Learn



## Give your child the best start

Glen William Public School is a small school located in a beautiful rural area between Clarence Town and Dungog. The school has served the community since 1849. Glen William Public School provides a small school atmosphere in a quality learning environment.

Our highly skilled and committed staff are dedicated to delivering a quality teaching environment that offers an incredible array of opportunities to all students. The staff and community take pride in the high level of care given to each and every student. Students are valued as individuals, and are supported in achieving their full potential.

Glen William Public School has a very active parent body that adds real strength to the school by being involved in numerous programs and initiatives. The school highly values the support given by parents which makes it possible for our school to realise its educational goals.

Our wonderful students belong to a school which has an inclusive, friendly and caring environment. Glen William Public School is committed to developing students intellectually, physically, socially, culturally and emotionally. Our school endeavours to instil confidence and provide experiences necessary for our students to move into the wider community.

Through commitment and professionalism, our school aims to provide an education which is challenging and enjoyable, thus laying the foundations for life-long learning. I invite you to visit our school and discuss how we can meet the needs of your child.

“Learn to Live, Live to Learn”

**Ms Sarah-Jane Hazell**

**Principal**



## Opportunities for your child

We recognise, value and support students individual needs and differences through the successful implementation of a variety of educational programs. Our school develops confident and successful children. We do this by providing:

- individualised learning programs while students benefit from our school being a part of the largest educational system in the southern hemisphere.
- a strong emphasis on literacy and numeracy and structured learning support programs.
- a wide range of extra curricula opportunities including a strong creative arts program with a focus on visual arts and music, a comprehensive technology program developed by our specialist computer coordinator and an outstanding sporting program that extends the skills of our healthy and active students.
- opportunities for gifted and talented students to be extended within the classroom and in programs outside the school.

## Kindergarten Transition to School

At Glen William Public School, our aim is to give each incoming student the best possible start to their school career. Our kindergarten transition program provides an opportunity for our families to become familiar with our school staff, routines, and environment, resulting in our kindergarten students feeling confident and positive about starting 'big school'.

In 2014, our transition program will be offered as follows:

**Friday, 31st October**—parents and students visit the classroom from 9.00am—11.00am.

**Friday, 7th November**—students visit the classroom, parents participate in an information session from 9.00am—11.00am.

**Friday, 14th November**—students visit from 9.00am—11.40am (through the first break). On this date, individual interviews with parents who would like to share additional information about their child will be arranged.

**Friday, 21st November**—students visit from 9.00am—11.40pm.

**Friday, 28th November**—students visit from 9.00am until 11.40pm.

We are able to tailor our transition program to the needs of each kindergarten group and can add extra or extended visits by negotiation.

