

Prep Achieve

Lake Clarendon State School strives to ensure that every Prep student is powerfully literate, numerate and curious. We have a holistic view of student development that incorporates academic, social and emotional growth and a commitment to building partnerships by engaging the community. Lake Clarendon is proud to offer extensive facilities and programs, and a safe, challenging and supportive environment to our students, staff and community.

We work in a team environment and support each other to build the capacity of all teachers and we constantly remain open to continuous learning. Professional Development builds our capacity to deliver 21st Century learning opportunities that equip our students for global citizenship. Lake Clarendon is renowned as leaders in education and our well-resourced school empowers students with the opportunity to take their learning and curiosity beyond the classroom walls.



Learning In Prep

In Prep, children learn in many different ways including play, organised games, and investigation. They develop important life skills by working with other children and adults. Prep makes connections between school and what your child learns at home and in early childhood education and care.

Prep helps your child develop:

- a positive approach to learning
- independence and confidence
- thinking and problem-solving skills
- language skills
- early literacy and numeracy
- physical abilities.

Literacy - Speech Sound Pics

We are continually amazed at the potential of our prep students and design programs to assist them to reach their full learning potential while creating responsible and independent thinkers. SSP is a new literacy program that we have implemented that has seen our students excel with reading, spelling and writing.

Numeracy

At Lake Clarendon we encourage our students to believe that there is a mathematician in all of us. We value life worthy learning which promotes the use of thinking strategies in order to solve a range of real world problems. Our Mathematics program is based on the Australian Curriculum with the teaching and learning focusing on developing understanding, fluency, reasoning, modelling and problem-solving in number, measurement and geometry, and statistics and probability.



STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Maths)

Science in Prep is a hands-on experience that encourages students to think critically and question the world around them. We cover science concepts that relate to students own daily lives, as well as delving into areas that fascinate, evoke curiosity and inspire. Students are able to practise simple science skills and use science related tools. Students are encouraged to use digital tools and digital resources relevant to their inquiry lessons and collaborate with others to present their ideas. Underpinning all investigations, students are encouraged to respond to the natural world around them with wonderment and awe.

