

Schools as Community Centres (SaCC) are hosted by NSW Public Schools in communities experiencing marked challenges or disadvantage.

SaCC provides a broad range of low cost or free activities and programs to support and promote happy, healthy families in the Goulburn-Mulwaree and Upperr Lachlan councils; including Out Reach Programs.

Schools as Community centres support families raising children from birth to eight years of age

Community Centres are led by a local facilitator.

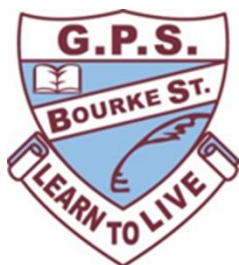
This is done in partnership with local human service agencies, local communities and schools and provide a range of projects:

- Supported playgroups and play and learn groups for children and parents/ carers
- Early literacy Programs and Activities
- Parenting Programs
- Transition to school strategies and home
- Literacy programs
- Homework club
- Adult learning
- Health and nutrition initiatives
- Outreach activities and programs in the local community

Those who have participated in SaCC have indicated through participation, surveys and feedback, they have felt more empowered and supported by:

- Learning more about child development and feeling more confident in their parenting
- Feel their children are happy and ready for kindergarten
- Information provided in accessing support services new to them in the community

Goulburn Schools as Community Centres work in partnership with the following:



Goulburn Family Support Services



Family & Community Services



everyone's family



Goulburn Public School Schools As Community Centres

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OUR PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS INCLUDE:



Transition to School

- Kindy Start
- Early Learning Support
- Target Support for individual students and families



Goulburn SaCC holds supported playgroups in the purpose built Rainbow Shed on the grounds Of Goulburn Public School in partnership with Goulburn Family Support Services and Home Start.

Playgroups are held every Tuesday | Thursday | Friday from 9:30 ~ 11:30am during school term.

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The Australian Red Cross established the School breakfast club in 1991.

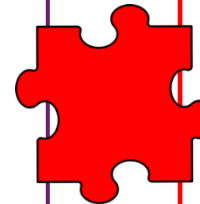
With the support from Santarum the Good Start Breakfast Club (GSBC)

was launched in December 2003.

The following GSBC run at the following schools:

- Goulburn Public Primary School
- Goulburn North Primary School
- Goulburn South Primary School
- Goulburn West Primary School

- The Crescent School
- Bradfordville Public School
- Marulan Public School
- Tallong Public School

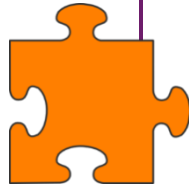


The Smith Family, working in partnership with SaCC, Goulburn Mulwaree Library and

mobile library, various education learning centres and some schools, provide Early Literacy Programs (Let's Count/ Let's Read) including Homework clubs:

West Goulburn on Tuesdays
Goulburn Public on Thursdays

CONTACT: 4821 2833



Playgroups in Schools:

- Every Wednesday: Binda
- Every Thursday: Crookwell
- Every Friday: Laggan

CONTACT: 4832 1953



Out Reach Playgroups

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Goulburn Regional Art Gallery
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- Each Monday: Dalton Public School
- Each Tuesday: East Goulburn Public School
- Each Friday: Tiranna Public School

ALTERNATED WEDNESDAYS:
Breadalbane & Tallong

ALTERNATE THURSDAYS
Windellama Public School
Taralga Playgroup (10:30am – 12:00pm)



SPACE is an annual two day event, usually held in September.

It is a community based engagement program for primary school students within Goulburn-Mulwaree and Upper Lachlan councils, which introduces them to sports and cultural activities.

As part of their Leadership Programs, high schools provide students to assist with event.