



Penshurst Public School

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HSU K-2 Student Textbooks and Essential Assessments

Dear Parents/Carers,

In 2024, your child will engage in the **InitialLit** literacy program. InitialLit is an evidence-based whole-class literacy program providing the essential core knowledge and strong foundations to become successful readers and writers. To complement this program your child will need a handwriting textbook (Yrs 1 and 2) and a spelling workbook (Yr 2).

A **Targeting Maths Mentals** book will be used for homework to consolidate classroom learning and provide revision skills.

The Year 2 handwriting program taught will be supported through Targeted Handwriting resources. Your child will be using a **Handwriting textbook** (selected for their grade) in the classroom.

In addition, we will be using **My Numeracy** and **My Literacy** as part of the **Essential Assessment** platform for homework. Essential Assessment helps assess students confidently and accurately to measure achievement and growth against the outcomes of the NSW syllabus.

Cost:

InitialLit handwriting: (Kindergarten and Year 1 only)	\$10.00
Handwriting textbook: (Year 2 only)	\$15.00
Targeting Math Mentals Textbook: (year 1 and 2 only)	\$16.00
Essential Assessment:	\$17.00

TOTAL: Kindergarten \$27.00/ Year 1 \$43.00/ Year 2 \$48

It would be greatly appreciated if you could finalise this payment by **Friday, 2nd February 2024**.

Many thanks for your assistance,

Mrs Gray
Assistant Principal- Hearing

Mr Lie
Principal

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HSU Year K-2 Student Textbooks and Essential Assessment Access

Child's name: _____

I have made an online payment of \$_____ for the cost of Year K-2 student textbooks and Essential Assessment access. The POP (Parent Online Payment) receipt number is: _____

Parent Name

Signature

Date

Online Payment Details

Access the school website: www.penshurst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

In the home tab, click on '**Make a payment**' and enter all mandatory information.

In '**Payment Options**' please select '**Other**' and in '**Payment Description**' please insert '**HSU TEXTBOOKS**'

This note is to be completed and returned to the class teacher by **Friday 2nd February 2024**.

