



Beaumont Hills Public School

The Parkway, Beaumont Hills NSW 2155

(e) beaumont-hi-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au (w) beaumont-hi-p.schools.nsw.gov.au (p) 8824 6470 (f) 8824 6473

21 July, 2022

CHICK HATCHING PROGRAM

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

During Term 3, Kindergarten will be exploring life on a farm through literacy activities. One portion of this unit will be investigating, observing and recording the changes in the life cycle of a chicken. Students will read and write informative texts including descriptions, information reports and diary entries whilst having valuable hands-on connections with the chicks.

The chicks will arrive at school as eggs that will be kept in a temperature controlled, see-through incubator until they hatch. Once they hatch, they will be transferred to a play pen where students will be able to pat, hold and feed them on a daily basis. To ensure high quality hygiene, students will be required to regularly wash their hands thoroughly.

In order for students to have daily access to the chicks, there will be two sets. One will be placed in KG/KW and the second set will be placed in KSC. This program will run for two weeks. At the end of the program the chicks are re-homed on a free-range farm.

Date: Monday 15 August, 2022 – Friday 26 August, 2022

Where: Kindergarten classrooms

Cost: \$10.00 – included and payable on the term 3 account.

Please grant permission via the Sentral Parent Portal **by Friday 5 August, 2022.**

Payment of **\$10.00** is due to the **School Administration Office no later than Friday 5 August, 2022.** Payment can be made via the 'POP, Parent Online Payment portal' (link on the school website), cash or cheque at the School Administration Office. NO credit card facilities are available.

Miss Gregory
Assistant Principal Early Stage 1

Ms Welsh
Principal