



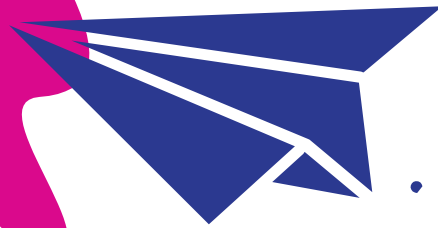
SUMMER VACATION CARE

THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER – WEDNESDAY 5 FEBRUARY

Denman Public School

52 Paxton St, Denman

8:00am – 5:00pm



St Nicholas OOSH

DIOCESE OF MAITLAND-NEWCASTLE



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WEEK ONE

KEY Price per day

Day Camp



Incursions



Excursions



MONDAY 13 JANUARY

WHEELS DAY

Welcome back to OOSH for 2025 with one of our favourite days - Wheels Day. Bring your bike or scooter as well as safety gear and enjoy a day of fun with your friends.



TUESDAY 14 JANUARY

MAITLAND MOVIES

Today, we will combine with a few other St Nicholas OOSH groups from the Hunter and enjoy a movie at Reading Cinemas Maitland. Enjoy watching a movie with some new friends.



WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY

PLANES DAY

Planes Day is back by popular demand! We had such fun flying our planes last holidays that we thought we would do it again and will enjoy seeing the planes fly and loop around.



THURSDAY 16 JANUARY

SENSORY AND SLIME

Today, we will use everyday ingredients to make a few different types of slime to play with, plus a sensory stress ball to take home.



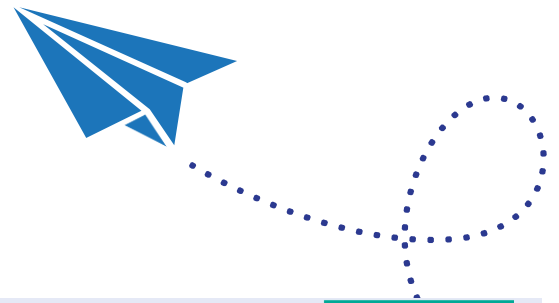
FRIDAY 17 JANUARY

WATER PLAY

Bring your swimmers and a towel, plus a sun shirt, as we spend some time under the sprinkler to cool off and beat the summer heat!



WEEK TWO



MONDAY 20 JANUARY

MOVIE DAY

Today, we will enjoy a movie on the smart board with some popcorn. Pull up a mat or cushion and chill out for a while.



TUESDAY 21 JANUARY

PHOTOGRAPHY DAY

The children will take over the iPads as we view life through an Ooshie's eyes. We will also do some arts and craft with their photos.



WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY

CESSNOCK PCYC

We will join with St Nicholas OOSH Abermain to enjoy a few hours of gymnastics and indoor rock climbing at Cessnock PCYC. Bring lots of energy for a fun few hours with some new friends.



THURSDAY 23 JANUARY

WATER PLAY AND MOVIES

Beat the heat by either having fun under the sprinklers or enjoying a movie in the coolness of the hall. Bring your swimmers, a towel, and a sun shirt to enjoy the fun.



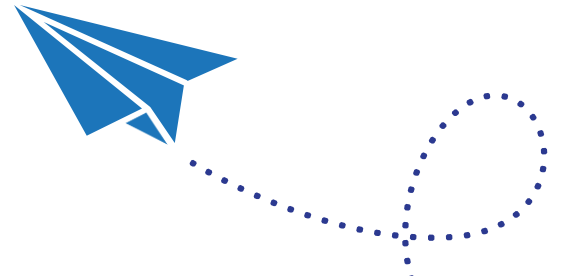
FRIDAY 24 JANUARY

SCIENCE DAY

We will do some fun experiments today, including Oobleck - is it liquid or is it solid? Bring your thinking caps as we explore the fun of science.



WEEK THREE



TUESDAY 28 JANUARY

WATER PLAY

Bring your swimmers, towel, and sun shirt, and enjoy some fun in the water with your friends to beat the heat.



WEDNESDAY 29 JANUARY

COOKING DAY

Today, we will be OOSH chefs and enjoy making some delicious food such as milo muffins for afternoon tea and pizza bread rolls for lunch - bring your appetite and cooking skills for this one!



THURSDAY 30 JANUARY

DENMAN MEMORIAL PARK

We will go for a walk up to Denman Memorial Park for some fun playing on the equipment with our OOSH friends. OOSH will provide lunch from a local eatery.



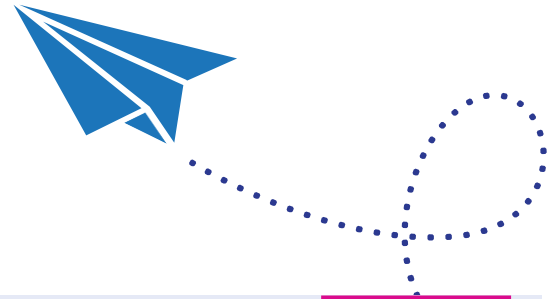
FRIDAY 31 JANUARY

LEGO AND BUILDING DAY

We want to see your creativity as we explore the world of Lego and building! What can you make? Join with your friends and create a new world of fun.



PUPIL FREE DAYS



THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS CRAFT

We will make some fun and colourful Christmas Craft today that you can take home to decorate your house - make a Christmas-themed wooden spoon or a ribbon Christmas tree and decorate a Christmas cupcake and let your creativity flow.



FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Celebrate the last day of OOSH before Christmas with some fun and games to be enjoyed with your friends. We will end the day with a Christmas Glow Disco!



MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY

MOVIES AND BOARD GAMES

Let's take it easy, watch a movie, play board games, and get involved with some fun outdoor play.



TUESDAY 4 FEBRUARY

WHEELS DAY

Bring your bike or scooter and safety gear and enjoy a day of wheely good fun with your friends.

**Denman Public School only. St Joseph's Primary School returns to school today.*



WEDNESDAY 5 FEBRUARY

PIZZA PARTY

Let's play games and make your own pizzas for lunch.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

WHAT TO BRING

- ▶ **Wide-brimmed hat** – School hats are usually best. When the UV is 3 or above, children will be required to wear a hat. Sunscreen is provided and routinely applied as per our Sun Protection Policy. If your child is sensitive to standard broad-spectrum 30+ sunscreen, please provide appropriate sunscreen clearly labelled with your child's name.
- ▶ **Morning tea and lunch** – OOSH staff are not able to heat or cook food. Please ensure anything sent can be eaten straight from their lunch box. Our service is a nut-free zone. Breakfast and afternoon tea are provided.
- ▶ **Enclosed shoes** must be worn, such as joggers or sneakers.
- ▶ **Refillable water bottle.**
- ▶ **Spare set of clothes** in case of an accident or excessive mess.
- ▶ **Jumper or jacket**

BOOKING CHECKLIST

No booking is accepted until all the following items have been completed and you have received emailed confirmation from your service's Nominated Supervisor:

- Complete our booking request through the Xplor Home app
- Confirm your enrolment details are up to date through Xplor (if you are not yet enrolled with St Nicholas OOSH, you will be sent a link)
- Any outstanding fees have been paid

CHILD CARE SUBSIDY (CCS)

Did you know you are entitled to a discount of up to 90% off your fees through the Australian Government's Child Care Subsidy?

To ensure you receive your entitled subsidy, remember to confirm your CCS enrolment via the **Centrelink website** or app.

CANCELLATIONS AND ABSENCE

To change your booking, simply reach out to the St Nicholas OOSH service you requested a booking for.

Please note, our cancellation policy requires notice of five (5) business days for cancellation of Vacation Care bookings. If you cancel within 5 business days of your booking, you will be charged the full rate.

If your child is sick or otherwise unable to attend for one of your bookings, please let us know with as much notice as possible by phoning or texting the service's mobile number. Please note, you will still be liable for any fees incurred on this day. If children are unwell, please refrain from bringing them to care.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Risk assessments are completed for all excursions and are available onsite for viewing. An OOSH staff member can provide a copy of any risk assessments to parents/caregivers upon request.

Please note, the suggested outcome may not map the pedagogical intent of the planned experience. This is a broad suggestion, but should not be held as the only possibility. The choice of an outcome relates directly to the learning and benefits we anticipate children will gain from the experience, however should you wish to alter this outcome due to your own curriculum understanding, we welcome this