



COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROGRAM

GUMDALE STATE SCHOOL

Our Mission

The Community Support Program has been developed to enhance our community awareness when families within our school are facing a severe family trauma. The aim of the support program is to develop a sense of service, empathy and compassion towards others within our school community.

When families face a severe trauma, their immediate family and friends will rally to help with these challenges. This program will enhance this help in one or more of the following ways:

- Grocery/Fresh Fruit & Vegetable hamper
- Lunch meals for students
- Assistance with the cost of uniforms, school supplies and excursions

How can I help?

What do I do if I know of someone suffering with a severe family trauma?

If you know of a family within our school community that is suffering with a trauma, please let us know. All information will be treated with the strictest confidentiality.

You can contact Bec Bagnieschi (rbagn11@eq.edu.au) or Marissa Bowen (mbowe79@eq.edu.au) on 3902 8321.

Contact with the family will be made by Bec or Marissa to offer school support.

How Can I Help?

The Grocery Baskets will rely heavily on support from families within our school community. The community support program is seeking donations in the form of gift cards and non-perishable items, including tinned food, pre-packaged food, drinks, toiletries, cleaning products, games, books, toys etc. These donations can be left at the Gumdale State School's Student Services Centre and the hampers will be coordinated from here.

What happens to left over grocery items?

Any remaining non-perishable items will be donated to local charities.



***“Alone we can do so little;
together we can do so much.”***

Helen Keller

**Gumdale State School thanks the
community for their support with the
Community Support Program**

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