

Dear families,

It has been a privilege and a pleasure teaching your child this year. We have learned together, laughed together and grown together.

I feel very grateful that we have the resources and everything we need to help your child and our students flourish and thrive at school. I also understand that not everyone has the same opportunities as we do.

I am a member of the Teacher Presence community and I would like to invite you and your family to come on the journey with me. Together, I believe, we can help those who need our support through Teacher Presence.

Simply put, at the end of the school year some families make a choice to give a gift of thanks to their teachers and support staff. If this is a choice that you are making, I would like to offer you an alternative. Please consider redirecting that money that you would have spent on a gift, through Teacher Presence, into the charity that I have nominated to support. Then, together we can help people less fortunate than ourselves.

Here is a video explaining how Teacher Presence works

This year, Teacher Presence are supporting the following four registered charities



Operation Toilets Australia (OTA) builds toilets and delivers hygiene education programs in schools in developing countries.

¹ Tax Deductable



The Berry Street School offers a trauma-informed learning approach to young people who need specialised support to keep them on track with their learning



Eat Up makes and delivers thousands of lunches a month to hungry students in schools around Australia.

² Tax Deductable

For you to join me in supporting my Teacher Presence aligned charity, please visit the **Teacher Presence website.**

Locate the **School Staff** button and find your teacher's name. Then simply follow the steps to donate.

100% of all money donated goes directly to the teacher's nominated charity. Teacher Presence does not receive any of the money donated. The core function of Teacher Presence is to raise essential funds for those who most need it.

Thank you for your support this year and for choosing to give a gift that makes a difference.

Follow Teacher Presence on Facebook and Instagram to see how your donation is making a difference to the lives of others.

Tax Deductibility:

- Berry Street is a Tax Concession Charity, holding income tax exemption under Subdivision 50-B of the income Tax Assessment Act 1997, and is a Registered Charity with Consumer Affairs Victoria (Number 10925.12).
- Eat Up Australia Ltd is recognised as a Registered Charity by the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC). Eat Up Australia Ltd is endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR). Donations are tax deductible to the extent permitted by law.

