Oral Language and Phonological Awareness

Parents in Prep and Year 1 are invited to attend a very exciting workshop presented by the school’s Speech Language Pathologist, Emma Linthwaite. Research into students literacy success has been linked to the strength of their oral language and phonological awareness skills. Without these essential building blocks, students will struggle to develop the skills needed throughout their educational experience.

Come and learn about:

- Children’s speech and language development (what skills are expected to develop from 3 to 6 years old);
- Language in the classroom – what kinds of questions teachers ask a child & how you can reinforce this at home
- Developing language through books
- Strategies to improve your child’s oral language
- Phonological Awareness – building your child’s ability to identify and manipulate sounds in words
- What you can do if you have concerns about your child’s language

**Date:**
Tuesday 25th March

**Time:**
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Alternative Time:**
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**Place:**
Talara Primary College: IAC building

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Please return this slip to the office by Monday 17th March

NAME:……………………………………………………… Phone Number:……………………… Email address:………………………………………

Child’s name:……………………………………………………… Class:…………………………………………………