Mirrabooka Intensive English Centre is located within Mirrabooka Primary School on Laythorne Street in Dianella.

The easiest way to get to the school is off Nollamara Avenue, turning onto Slindon Street and then following this street around to the front of the school.

Please see the map below.

**School Bus Service**

Children who attend the IEC and are eligible, have access to a free bus service and are picked up from their home or the local primary school. This will be discussed at the enrolment, as well as the conditions attached to using the bus service.

**The feeder schools for Mirrabooka IEC include:**

- Middle Swan PS
- Midvale PS
- Swan View PS
- Woodbridge PS
- Anzac Terrace PS
- Bassendean PS
- Eden Hill PS
- Lockridge PS
- Beechboro PS
- East Beechboro PS
- West Beechboro PS
- Camboon PS
- Dianella Heights PS
- Morley PS
- Noranda PS
- North Morley PS
- Sutherland Dianella PS
- West Morley PS
- Boyare PS
- Dryandra PS
- Mirrabooka PS
- Yokine PS
The Intensive English Centre program assists students from a wide variety of educational, language and cultural backgrounds, to learn or further develop knowledge of the English language.

Here at Mirrabooka, we currently cater for children in Years 1 to 6.

Due to the specific needs of our students the program implements teaching with a focus on:

- Developing students’ ability to function effectively in English in a wide range of social and learning contexts.
- Developing students’ skills in Speaking, Listening Viewing, Reading and Writing in English.
- Using learning areas in the WA and Australian Curriculum to develop literacy skills across the curriculum

The Intensive English Centre caters for students who:

- Are newly arrived in Australia and come from a language background other than English.
- Were born in Australia from a non-English speaking background and who begin school with limited English literacy skills.

The Intensive English Centre is an integrated program with students playing and participating in whole school activities, such as sport and assemblies.

Students are taught by qualified and experienced English as a Second Language Teachers in small classes, allowing the teacher to work intensively with students.

School Times
Start of Day 8.40am  
Morning Recess 10.40am - 11.00am  
Lunch 12.35pm - 1.15pm  
End of Day 3.00pm  
*Please note: Every Thursday is late start at 8.55am and early close at 2.30pm

Newsletters
We send home a fortnightly newsletter informing families of events and news from around the school, which is then posted on the school website also - www.mirrabookaps.wa.edu.au

The school website is a great way of keeping up to date with what is happening at the school, with a term calendar of events posted at the start of each term.

Community Health Nurse
The school nurse services the school regularly, checking students’ health including speech, hearing, eyesight, growth and general development.

Mirrabooka Dental Therapy Centre
The Dental Therapy Centre is located at the school providing students with dental care onsite.

Professional Support
A school Psychologist visits the school on Tuesday, Wednesday and every second Friday. The school Psychologist looks at students learning progress.

A Student Support Worker is in the school on Tuesday and Friday and looks at the social and emotional needs of students and their families.

Ethnic Education Assistants
Our Ethnic Education Assistants are able to assist families in the following languages: Arabic, Karen, Burmese and Swahili.

They are timetabled to work with and support the students and teachers in class.

OnCall interpreters provide assistance with other languages once an appointment has been made.