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## FAQ

### What if Dr Prue Salter already works with our Year 7 parents and students?

The Preparing in Primary online guide specifically focuses on what can be done in a meaningful way in Year 6 to prepare students for Year 7, and as such is very different from what Dr Salter does with high schools. It caters for teachers, parents and students in the following ways:

#### TEACHERS

It is a professional development program for Year 6 teachers as to what they could be integrating to better prepare their students for high school.

#### PARENTS

It targets parents not just from the academic but also the social perspective by providing lots of resources for them to use in Year 6 with their sons and daughters to help make the transition process as smooth as possible for the whole family.

#### STUDENTS

The parent/student evenings run by Dr Salter for Year 7 are very different from the Preparing in Primary transition program.

Students in Year 6 don't really have a frame of reference for high school so it would be impossible to do all the things Dr Salter does with them in Year 7 until they have experienced high school - this is one of the reasons Dr Salter never runs her evening sessions for Year 7 parents and students in the first month of Year 7.

### A STEPPING STONE TO RESOURCES USED IN HIGH SCHOOL

The Preparing in Primary online guide is a newly released product to help bridge the gap between primary and secondary school and is designed to be a stepping stone to the existing resources used by schools in high school.

Ideally schools will benefit their students and families most by using the Preparing in Primary online guide with their students in Year 6 to help them get ready for high school and then continuing to use the high school programs run by Dr Salter in Year 7. You won't be stepping on any toes if you subscribe. In fact, your Year 6 parents will LOVE you and Dr Salter will also be happy as the students will be better set up for what she teaches them in Year 7.