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Dear Future Aspley State School Parents & Carers

Greetings from the Aspley State School Foundation! My name is Wendy Carter and I am writing to tell you about the Foundation and what we can do together to enhance the facilities available for the boys and girls of Aspley State School.

The Foundation was set up in June this year in order to provide tax deductibility for donations made for building projects around the school, and it comprises Craig Spink, Simon Pritchard and me as Trustees. The Foundation is a registered charity with the Australian Charities & Not-for-Profit Commission.

Through the Foundation, you can make **tax deductible gifts** to fund building upgrades which will benefit our children.

At the beginning of each year, and in consultation with the Principal, we decide on up to 4 projects to fundraise for. Around June – just before tax time – we will go out to all the members of the school community and ask for their support. As the weeks pass, you'll be able to see how much has been raised, and later – when we've reached the targets – we'll show you photographs of each successfully completed project.

In our very first appeal, we received nearly \$10,000 in donations! With this money, we were able to have new carpets installed in the main activity areas of all the Prep classrooms and to put up 11 block-out roller blinds in two Year 6 classrooms. Please go to our website https://aspleyssfoundation.com.au/#completed-projects to read more.

For 2019, the Prep project will be the installation of new carpet tiles in the additional flexible learning spaces in the Prep classrooms. This will complete a wonderful environment for those little children who spend a lot of their time in contact with the floor.

Will you make a **tax deductible donation** to the Foundation for this project so that we can install the carpet tiles **before the children start next year**? Each Prep room area will cost \$1,100.00 – and as soon as we receive enough for even one room, we'll have those carpet tiles installed!

Your support is vital in helping to enhance the quality of the facilities that our boys and girls use each day.

So please go to the Aspley State School Foundation website https://aspleyssfoundation.com.au/#gift and make a donation. Together we can contribute to making the best educational environment for your child!

Kind regards

Wendy Carter
On behalf of Aspley State School Foundation

