TOOWOOMBA EAST
STATE SCHOOL

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"Achieve with Pride"
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Toowoomba East State Primary School caters for almost 900 pupils from Prep to Year 7.

The catchment area of the school extends from the Mt Lofty area in the north to James Street in the south. A number of children attend from the Mt Kynoch/Murphy's Creek area, with small numbers of children coming from other areas of Toowoomba.

The pupil population is comprised of children from all areas of socio-economic background.

The school has a limited number of families who speak a language other than English.

Current enrolment has increased in the past decade with increasing movement in and out of the school in terms of itinerant families.

The school has a well equipped Resource Centre, Covered Play Area, Heated Swimming Pool, multi-purpose School Hall, Computer Room, Adventure Playgrounds, Music Block, and is equipped with Electronic Security throughout the Campus.

The school buildings feature a variety of different styles of architecture ranging from relatively recent designs through to a building approximately 80 years old. The main school building is an imposing three level brick structure built in the 1930s. Most teaching spaces are of the traditional single type and have been recently modified.

The school is proud of its academic reputation and achievements in the sporting and cultural areas.

Parent support for the school is high with a very active Parents and Citizen's Association.

Current school staffing consists of a Principal, two Deputy Principals, thirty-four Classroom Teachers, Specialist Teachers in the areas of Music, LOTE, Library, Learning Support, Information Technology and Physical Education. Instrumental Music Teachers, Advisory Visiting Teachers, Speech Therapist and Guidance Officer service the school.

Non-teaching staff includes a Business services Manager, Administrative Officers, School’s Officer, Teacher Aides and Cleaning Staff.

Applications for enrolment exceed the schools capacity to expand. As such, Toowoomba East is an Enrolment Managed School. This means the school is both capped and zoned. Not all applications for enrolment are able to be accepted.
WELCOME TO TOOWOOMBA EAST STATE SCHOOL

A welcome is extended to all parents starting children at this school for the first time. May your association with the school be both happy and educationally fruitful for your children.

You are invited to take an active interest in the school. Be ever aware of your child's interests and difficulties and communicate with your child's teacher if you are concerned on any matter.

SPECIALIST SERVICES

LIBRARY

The Library is staffed by a trained Teacher-Librarian and a Library Aide and is stocked with books and non-book materials. The borrowing system is computerised.

Internet and e-mail facilities are available under teacher supervision in classrooms and the Computer Rooms, in addition to the Library. Pupils are required to sign an Internet Use Agreement Form prior to using the service.

All children have regular lessons on use of the library and research skills and are encouraged to borrow. When borrowing a book to take home, children in lower grades need a named library bag to protect the book. The borrowing period is for one fortnight with books being able to be changed more regularly. If books are lost or damaged by students, it is expected that parents pay for replacement.

MUSIC

Class Music:

The school has a Music Teacher and a modern Music Block. Curriculum includes singing, playing the recorder, music appreciation and reading music.

School Choirs: Senior –Years 6&7  Junior -Years 4&5

The School Choirs are an important part of the School Music Program. Practices are held at lunchtime and choirs perform on school public occasions and compete in eisteddfods. All children willing to join choirs are most welcome.
Instrumental Music:

The Department of Education provides instructors who give lessons in school time to children in Years 4 to 7 for strings and Years 5 to 7 for other orchestral instruments such as trumpet, saxophone, clarinet, flute, etc. (ie Brass, Woodwind, Percussion).

Pupils in Instrumental Music Classes will be asked to pay a levy each year. The amount is dependant upon the number of students in the course and whether or not a student owns their own instrument. This levy will fund sheet music, music stands and new instruments for ensembles and bands. Pupils issued with a school instrument will be asked to provide replacement strings and reeds as the need arises. Pupils may borrow a school instrument for their first year in the program. For following years it is a requirement that pupils purchase their own instrument.

Children will be able to participate in the following groups, however, both children and parents will be asked to make a firm commitment to attend practices and performances for each specific group.

Concert Band:

This is for students of woodwind, brass and percussion instruments.

Orchestra:

This caters for the string players as well as woodwind, brass and percussion sections. A uniform is provided with a hire fee applied to cover cost of dry cleaning.

Stage Band:

This caters for advanced musicians. A uniform identical to the concert band and orchestra is provided with a hire fee applicable as above.
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The school has a full-time Physical Education Teacher. The winter program covers manipulative and game skills and athletics while first and fourth terms are devoted to swimming in the school pool which is heated.

Instructions for Swimming Classes: (Education Department)

Each pupil must provide a costume and towel. It is preferable for girls to wear one-piece costumes.

1. It is compulsory that all children (boys and girls) wear bathing caps to keep hair out of the eyes and to keep it as dry as possible and to assist with keeping hair from clogging the filter. All children in QLD must also wear a sun shirt whilst swimming.

2. Children suffering from any kind of infection, or from sores and skin complaints, are to be excluded.

3. Parents must sign a permission form before any student will be allowed to participate in the School Swimming Program.

4. Parents must provide a medical certificate if a child's medical condition could put him/her at risk during involvement in the School Swimming Program.

5. Parents should send a note to the class teacher if a child is to be excused temporarily from swimming lessons and Physical Education, ie. colds, abrasions, etc.

Inter-House Competition:

Upon enrolment, all children are allocated to house teams. All children from one family will be allocated to the same house.

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The Junior School (Years P to 3) participate in a Junior School Sports Day, while Years 4 to 7 have an Interhouse Athletics Carnival.

If for some reason children are not able to compete in sporting activities, a note from parents or medical practitioner must be produced.

Inter-School Competition:

Children from Years 6 and 7 are given the opportunity to participate in the T.P.S.S.A. Inter-School Competition. Many sports are offered in both winter and summer competitions.

A "permission to participate" form must be signed before children will be allowed to participate and a small levy is charged to help offset cost of materials and buses.
INSURANCE COVER FOR STUDENTS UNDERTAKING PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES

Physical activity and physical education, particularly contact sports, carry inherent risks of injury. Parents are advised that the Department of Education Training and the Arts does not have Personal Accident Insurance cover for students.

Education Queensland had public liability cover for all approved school activities and provides compensation for students injured at school only when the Department is negligent. If this is not the case, then all costs associated with the injury are the responsibility of the parent or caregiver.

It is a personal decision for parents as to the type and level of private insurance they arrange to cover students for any accidental injury that may occur.

CAMPS/EXCURSIONS

Camps/excursions may be conducted each year for Years 5, 6 and 7. Day or half-day excursions are also arranged for individual year levels.

As all these activities are related to school curriculum, it is hoped that all children will be allowed to participate. Costs are kept to a minimum and no child is permitted to attend without written permission from parents/guardians.

Payments for excursions and activities can be made by cash or cheque, which is to be given to the class teacher. Eftpos payments over the amount of $10.00 can be made at the Administration Office. Payments must be paid at least one week in advance or by the due date stated, whichever is the earlier.

SUPPORT SERVICES

The Learning Support Teacher works with students with special needs and provides resource material for classroom use. A Guidance Officer is based here and a Speech Language Pathologist visits the school on a regular basis. The school has access to other Advisory Visiting Teachers according to need.

LOTE (LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH)

Students undertake a program of Inter-Cultural Investigations (ICI) based on Japanese Culture. Participation is dependant upon the schools staffing entitlement and allocation in any given year.

COMPUTERS

Computers are available for use in all year levels Prep to Year 7.

Computers are available in all classrooms (See earlier statement on Internet Use Agreements) as well as in the library and in two purpose-built Information Technology Resource Rooms.
SCHOOL HALL

The Centenary Hall is multi-purpose and used for both sporting and cultural activities. It is marked and equipped for basketball or netball. There is also seating for 320. It is available for hire for approved purposes through the school office when not needed for school use.

PARENT-SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

Parents and Citizens’ Association:

The school Parents and Citizens' Association provides a great deal of support for the school. Meetings of the Parents and Citizens' Association are held at the school on the dates advised in the school newsletter.

School Chaplain:

Our school has the services of a School Chaplain several days a week. The Chaplain is involved in our Pastoral Care Program and is available to work with children, classes and parents providing supportive counseling in various areas of need.

TUCKSHOP

The school tuckshop operates on days nominated at the beginning of each year. It provides facilities for children to purchase foodstuffs for lunch and of course, it is a means of raising funds for the school.

The tuckshop is staffed on a roster basis by parents or other volunteers. It is hoped you will support us by patronising the tuckshop. Please contact the Tuckshop Convenor should you be able to assist as a volunteer.

Ordering Tuckshop Lunches:

Each child is required to write their order on a brown paper packet, one for Morning Tea and one for Lunch.

Children in Years 3-7 hand their orders into the Tuckshop at 8.30 am and collect their Morning Tea and/or Lunch from the canteen.

Children in Years P-2 follow this system but they place their orders in the baskets in their classroom. Their lunches are returned to the classroom where the teachers hand out the orders to the children.

The size of brown packets is 20 x 25 cm. These may be purchased from the supermarket or at the canteen in bundles of 20. On the lower half of the packet, please write:

| NAME:          |
| CLASS:         |
| MORNING TEA:   |
| OR             |
| LUNCH:         |
| ORDERE REQUIRED: |
| AMOUNT OF MONEY ENCLOSED: |
Place the money in packet and fold top over twice.

If an ice block or drink is ordered, this will be highlighted on the packet which the child then presents to the canteen during lunch.

Children in Years P, 1 and 2 are not to bring money to spend at the tuckshop. All orders (including ice-blocks) are to be placed on a bag or envelope.

**PUPIL’S PROGRESS REPORT CARD**

Assessment of Your Child as a Member of His/Her Class:

A report card will be issued each semester to let you know our assessment of your child’s progress. Formal tests will constitute only part of the evidence upon which the assessment is based.

The report card may not reveal to you all that you would like to know about your child’s progress. Formal parent/teacher interviews are arranged for all families in June/July of each year.

It is important that parents make every effort to attend these interviews as teachers are able to give a far more meaningful report on a face-to-face basis.

All pupils in Years P-3 have attainments plotted on a Continuum in Reading, Writing, and Numeracy. An individual Student Profile is developed and reported to parents. Some pupils in Year 2 will be involved in Validation Activities to determine if individual support is needed.

All Year 3, 5 and Year 7 pupils sit for a series of tests in Literacy and Numeracy during Term 2, the results of which are communicated to parents by the testing Authority much later in the year.

**TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

If at any time you wish to discuss your child’s academic or social progress, please do not hesitate to seek an interview with the class teacher.

In this instance, please contact the teacher in advance and arrange a time rather than just “drop in”. An appointment ensures that the teacher can see you and talk with you.

**INTERVIEWS - PRINCIPAL, DEPUTY PRINCIPALS**

Parents wishing to arrange an interview with the Principal or Deputy Principals should contact the office staff who will make the necessary arrangements.
NEWSLETTERS/NOTICES

Our main method of communication with parents is through newsletters and notices. These are sent home with the oldest member of the family at this school. The School Newsletter is sent home every Thursday. It is preferable to send these home via email. If you have an email address please contact the school to be added to the email list. If you however do not have an email address, a paper copy will be provided.

Parents are asked to make every effort to read these as they contain important information about the activities of the school.

TEACHER/PARENT MEETINGS

In an endeavour to assist parents in their understanding of the work to be covered and for class teachers to outline their expectations of their pupils, parent meetings will be arranged early in first term.

An invitation, stating time and place, will be sent to all parents and your attendance will be beneficial to both you and your child.

MEDICAL/DENTAL APPOINTMENTS IN SCHOOL TIME - PROCEDURES

If possible, parents should endeavour to make any appointments for their children outside of school hours. Should this not be possible, the parent should send a note to the class teacher explaining the time of appointment and then collect the child from the classroom at the appropriate time. Children must be signed out at the school office.

VISITING OR REMOVING STUDENTS DURING SCHOOL HOURS

Parents/guardians who wish to speak to children during school hours or lunch breaks are asked to report to the office first. This is an important aspect of school security.

If children are to be removed from school during school hours for any reason at all, they must first be signed out at the School Office. This means that under no circumstances are children permitted to wait at gates or outside school grounds for personal safety reasons.

PHONE MESSAGES FOR CHILDREN

Phone messages will only be accepted for delivery to children at school in emergencies. Wherever possible, please ensure that all arrangements regarding your child’s transport after school are made and communicated to your child before coming to school in the morning. In the case of young children, it is best to write changes of transport in a note to the teacher so they can ensure these are remembered and followed.

SICKNESS

In the event of you being rung during the school day to collect a sick or injured child, please sign them out at the office prior to taking them home.
MEDICATIONS

School staff must not administer over the counter medication, including paracetamol, analgesics, homeopathic or prescribed medications unless they are accompanied by written advice from a medical practitioner and with the medication in the original labeled container with the doctor’s prescription label attached. The parent/caregiver must complete a medical form supplied at the Administration Office.

ATTENDANCES

We would impress upon parents the importance of regular attendance at school. The Curriculum is a very full one and children who miss new work when it is being taught may have great difficulty in “catching up” later.

ABSENCE

If your child is absent please contact the school via the Absence line 46 375 260 and leave a clear message with your child’s name, class and reason for absence. Alternately a note can be given to the teacher once the child has returned. It is preferred that if your child is absent for more than one day the absence line be used.

TRANSFER OF PUPILS

When a student is transferring to another school, please inform the class teacher and the administration office. The school to which the student is transferring will request a transfer certificate. Please ensure that you collect all belongings before leaving the school.

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER, EMERGENCY NUMBER

If you change your address or if there is a change in your emergency contact number, it is essential for the well-being of your child that this information is given to us so that we are able to contact you or some close relative if an emergency arises. Please ensure that the main office as well as the class teacher is given this information.

On a regular basis, written updates will be sought of these details.

SCHOOL ROUTINES

School Day:

School commences at 8.50 am and ceases at 3.00 pm. Students are required to be at school by 8.45 am. They should NOT arrive at an early hour as schools do not provide playground supervision before school. A Before School Care service is available for those families who find their child needs to be at school prior to 8.30am. The service operates from 6am.
Leaving School Grounds:

Permission notes from families must be held at the school before a child is permitted to leave the grounds.

Due to the small size of the school grounds, teachers sometimes take students to the Athletic Oval or Queens Park where ample space is available. This may be for class activities or sports training.

School Dismissal:

Parents who arrive in vehicles to pick up students are asked to observe the road safety rules with regard to parking of vehicles. Vehicles are NOT to be parked in “Bus Loading Zones”, NOT to double park, NOT to be illegally parked in the areas adjacent to the school crossings, etc.

Parents are also reminded that students who cross Arthur, Mary and Lindsay Streets to board private vehicles MUST, in the interests of safety, cross in the patrolled areas. Road safety Crossing Supervisors are on duty each morning between 8.00am and 9.00am and each afternoon between 3.00 pm and 3.30 pm. Your co-operation in this matter will help to ensure that there are no accidents during this very busy period.

School is dismissed at 3.00 pm. Once dismissed, students are to proceed home. All children are to have left the school grounds by 3.15 pm unless under the direct supervision of a member of staff. Students who travel by bus wait at the bus assembly area for checking onto buses.

Parents who collect students each afternoon in private vehicles are asked to ensure that students are picked up at dismissal time and not left to wait at the school for long periods. No responsibility can be accepted by the school under such circumstances. No after-school supervision is provided.

If children miss their regular transport home, they will be instructed to wait at the school office. Parents are asked to phone the school immediately they become aware of such a situation.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Toowoomba East State School Outside School Hours Care Service operates Monday to Friday from 6am to 9am and from 3pm to 6pm during term time. Permanent bookings or casual care can be arranged by phoning the co-ordinator on 46 38 7859. Casual bookings must be arranged with the co-ordinator by 10:00am on the day care is required. Charges apply.

BICYCLE SAFETY

In the interests of pupil and bicycle safety, the school:
(a) discourages Year One to Year Four children from riding to school unsupervised.
(b) strongly suggests that all bicycles be secured with a suitable lock to the racks provided.

The wearing of bicycle helmets is compulsory by law.
**SCHOOL RULES**

It is our expectation that students display their BEST BEHAVIOUR, BEST MANNERS and BEST EFFORT at all times.

Actions which are contrary to normally acceptable social behaviour and good taste are contrary to the rules of the school.

Parents are asked to co-operate with teachers in making children aware of their responsibilities and the fact that misbehaviour may reflect not only on themselves but also on their school and their family.

**HOMEWORK**

The interest you show in the schoolwork your child brings home will be a great help to him/her in ensuring success at school.

Within the school most teachers assign small tasks for homework. These could be a list of spelling or number facts, consolidation of some work learnt at school or work on assignments or projects.

Homework is not intended to create a burden for busy parents. It is an opportunity to interact with your child whilst consolidating some basic skills.

If your child is not achieving success with homework please see the class teacher to renegotiate the expectation for your child.

**RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION**

Religious Instruction is offered once per week and conducted in accordance with Education Queensland policy. Sessions are of 30 minutes duration. Full details and options are available at the enrolment interview.

**STUDENT TEACHERS**

In the course of the school year, a number of student teachers from the University of Southern Queensland and other universities will visit the school as part of their teacher training.

Students work in close co-operation with class teachers. Work experience students from local high schools are also welcomed from time to time.

**LOST PROPERTY**

All unnamed lost property is kept in the storage area at the bottom of the centre stairwell in the main building. Named property is housed in the Parent Room. Parents are asked to ensure that all articles of clothing and equipment are clearly marked with the student's name.

All unclaimed items of clothing will be donated to a charity organisation at the end of each fortnight.
MONEY COLLECTION

All money for Arts Council, excursions, etc is to be enclosed in a sealed envelope (please use envelope provided if available) clearly marked with name, class, amount enclosed and purpose and forwarded to the class teacher for collection. The money will then be forwarded to the office for processing. Please ensure the correct amount is enclosed as the office does not have change. All payments must be paid by the due date given. Please keep any cash register receipts returned to you via your child as this is your proof of payment. Receipts will be required for refund purposes. If a refund is required, a request for refund form must be submitted within one week of the activity.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payments may be made by cash, cheque or EFTPOS. Debit cards are accepted but no cash advances are available. EFTPOS transactions under $10.00 will not be accepted. Preferred hours of accepting payments are from 8:30am to 2:30pm. If paying by cheque please ensure payment is made one week before the due date given to allow enough time for the cheque to clear.

PUPIL GROOMING

Pupils are expected to wear the school uniform at all times.

Jewellery and painted fingernails are not permitted. Due to the danger associated with football and other body contact sports, the wearing of earrings is not permitted by participants in such sports.

Reasonable approaches with regard to grooming habits such as hair length are also required.

CAMERAS AND VIDEO CAMERAS

Students are not permitted to have these devices at school.

MOBILE PHONES

Students are not permitted to have mobile phones at school. If a mobile phone is required, it must be switched off and handed into the school office at the start of each day and collected at 3pm. Mobiles must be clearly marked with student’s name.
SCHOOL UNIFORMS

There is no doubt that at Toowoomba East State School we have much to be proud of. It is hoped that you will allow your children to show THEIR pride in their school by out fitting them in the school uniform. Uniforms can be purchased from the Uniform Shop. The Uniform shop is open from 8.00am to 9.30am Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday each week. The Uniforms of this school are:

**Boys’ Uniform**

- **Shirt:** Navy Polo Shirt (Long Sleeved/Short Sleeved) with school logo
- **Shorts:** Navy
- **Socks:** Navy with two white stripes at the top
- **Shoes:** Black

**Girls’ Uniform**

- **Shirt:** Navy polo with school logo or blouse in same material as dress.
  & **Shorts:** Navy with school logo
- **OR**
  - **Dress:** Drop-waisted, blue and white check material
- **Socks:** Navy ankle
- **Shoes:** Black

During winter, the children are encouraged to wear navy “track suits” which can be purchased from the uniform shop.

**HATS**

Children are expected to wear hats during outside activities at the school. Bucket hats and form hats printed with the school logo are available from the uniform shop. Caps are not acceptable.

**SHOES**

Because of the weather, extensive bitumen areas and concrete internal staircases, students are to wear shoes. No thongs or sandals.

**SPORTING UNIFORMS**

Sporting uniforms are not essential in Years P-5. Uniforms should be worn on the appropriate day by Year 6 and 7.

**Boys and Girls**

- **Shorts:** Navy with school logo
- **Shirt:** Navy with school logo
- **Socks:** White with navy stripe

**SECOND HAND CLOTHING POOL:**

An extensive range of second hand items are available from the Uniform Shop. The Uniform Shop would appreciate any donations of uniform items you no longer require.
The Uniform Shop is open Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 8.00—9.30am during term time.

If you have any queries please call the Uniform Shop on 46 375206

SCHOOL UNIFORMS

SUMMER UNIFORM

Views A, B & C
Girls Options

A  B  C

View D
Boys Option
D

HOUSE

Available in House colours with House name on back
Worn at House sporting events (e.g. swim carnival, cross country etc)

SPORT

Unisex

Unisex

WINTER UNIFORM

Views A & B
Fleecy Sweatshirt (Unisex)

A  B

View C
Microfibre Jacket & Pants (Unisex)

C

Unisex

A  B  C

Same as View C & D except for socks.

For some Interschool Sports students are provided with a special playing shirt, but are required to buy long navy & white socks (e.g. AFL, Rugby League etc)
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<td>Cytomegalovirus Infection</td>
<td>Exclude until discharge from eyes has stopped.</td>
<td>Not excluded.</td>
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<td>Diarrhoea (campylobacter, cryptosporidium, giardia, rotavirus, salmonella, shigellosis, intestinal worms)</td>
<td>Exclude until diarrhoea has stopped</td>
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<td>Glandular Fever (mononucleosis)</td>
<td>Exclude until discharge from eyes has stopped.</td>
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<td>Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease</td>
<td>Exclude until all blisters have dried</td>
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<td>Haemophilus influenza type b (Hib)</td>
<td>Exclude until medical certificate of recovery is received</td>
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<td>Headlice</td>
<td>Exclude until day after proper treatment has started</td>
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<td>Hepatitis A</td>
<td>Exclude until medical certificate of recovery is received, but not before seven days after the jaundice or illness started.</td>
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<td>Hepatitis B</td>
<td>Exclude if child cannot comply with good hygiene practices while sores are weeping. (Sores should be covered with a dressing where possible)</td>
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<td>Herpes (“cold sores”)</td>
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<td>Human immune deficiency virus infection (HIV/AIDS)</td>
<td>Exclude until carrier eradication antibiotic course is complete</td>
<td>Not excluded. Close contacts should take antibiotic (rifampicin). Public health authorities will advise.</td>
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<td>Impetigo (“school sores”)</td>
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<td>Influenza and influenza-like illnesses</td>
<td>Exclude until proper treatment has started (Sores on exposed skin should be covered with a wet dress)</td>
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<td>Measles</td>
<td>Exclude for at least four days after rash has started</td>
<td>Immunised children not excluded. Non-immunised contacts should be excluded until 14 days after the first day the rash appears in the last case. They may return to the school or centre if immunised within 72 hours of contact with the first case.</td>
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<td>Meningitis (other than meningococcal infection)</td>
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<td>Ringworm, Scabies, Pediculosis, Trachoma</td>
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