Children's Court Listing and Sitting Arrangements

(as at November 2024)

Please note that week 1 commences from the first Monday of each month.

METROPOLITAN CHILDREN'S COURTS

- Campbelltown
- Parramatta/Sutherland
- Surry Hills

REGIONAL CHILDREN'S COURT

- Broadmeadow / Raymond Terrace
- Central Coast Circuit
- Hunter Circuit
- Illawarra / Southern Highlands / Sutherland
- Mid-North Coast Circuit
- New England Circuit
- Northern Rivers Circuit
- Riverina Circuit
- Western Circuit

Hgs = Hearings, L = List, L / Hgs = List and Hearings, ED L = Education List

Broadmeadow / Raymond Terrace

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow
	Crime L	Hgs	Hgs	Care L	Hgs
2	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Raymond Terrace	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow
	Crime L	Hgs		Care L	Hgs
			Crime & ED L		
3	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow
	Crime L	Hgs	Hgs	Care L	Hgs
4	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow	Broadmeadow
	Crime L	Hgs	Hgs	Care L	Hgs

Campbelltown

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
All	Crime L / AVO	Crime Hgs	Care L	Crime Hgs	Crime Hgs
		Care Hgs	ED L	Care Hgs	Care Hgs

Central Coast Circuit (Woy Woy / Wyong)

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Commences	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy
first Monday of each month	Care L ED L	Hgs	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L / Hgs
2	Woy Woy	Wyong	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy
	Care L ED L	Crime L	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L / Hgs
3	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy
	Care L ED L	Hgs	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L / Hgs
4	Woy Woy	Wyong	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy
	Care L ED L	Crime L	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L / Hgs
5	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy	Woy Woy
	Care L ED L	Hgs	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L / Hgs

Hunter Circuit

(Care, Crime and Education matters)

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1					
2	Cessnock	Cessnock	East Maitland	East Maitland	East Maitland
	Hgs	Care, ED and Crime L	Hgs	Crime L Hgs	Care, ED L and Hgs
3					
4	Cessnock	Cessnock	Muswellbrook	East Maitland	East Maitland
	Hgs	Care and Crime L	Care, ED and Crime L	Crime L Hgs	Care, ED L and Hgs

Illawarra / Southern Highlands / Sutherland

(Care, Crime and Education matters)

From September 2024

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Commences	Port Kembla	Port Kembla	Sutherland	Nowra	Port Kembla
first Monday of each month	Crime Hgs Care Hgs	Crime L / Hgs ED L	Crime L	Care L Crime L ED L	Care L / Hgs
2	Port Kembla	Port Kembla	Sutherland*	Goulburn	Goulburn
	Crime Hgs Care Hgs	Crime L / Hgs ED L	Crime Hgs	Care Hgs Crime Hgs	Care L / Hgs Crime L / Hgs ED L
3	Port Kembla	Port Kembla	Sutherland	Nowra	Port Kembla
	Crime Hgs Care Hgs	Crime L / Hgs ED L	Crime L / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs
4	Port Kembla	Port Kembla	Batemans Bay	Nowra	Port Kembla
	Crime Hgs Care Hgs	Crime L / Hgs ED L	Crime L / Hgs Care L / Hgs ED L	Care L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs
5	Port Kembla	Port Kembla	Sutherland	Nowra	Port Kembla
	Crime Hgs Care Hgs	Crime L / Hgs ED L	Crime Hgs	Hgs	Care L / Hgs

^{*} Please note that Sutherland Children's Court will be conducted by a metropolitan Children's Magistrate on week four.

Mid- North Coast Circuit

(Care and Education matters and limited Crime matters)

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Port Macquarie	Port Macquarie	Kempsey	Taree	Taree
	Crime L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs ED L	Crime L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs ED L
			Crime L (including DPP) 11am		

New England Circuit

From October 2024

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	Tamworth	Tamworth	Tamworth	Moree	Moree
	Crime, Sentence & DPP L	Care Short Hgs	Care & Education L	Crime L	Crime Hgs
			Travel PM		

From January 2025

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	Tamworth	Tamworth	Tamworth	Moree	Moree
	Crime, Sentence & DPP L	Care Short Hgs	Care & Education L Travel PM	Crime L	Care & Education L Crime Hgs

Please note that the specialist Children's Magistrate and the local Magistrate will share the Children's Court workload in this region.

Northern Rivers Circuit

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Lismore	Lismore	Lismore	Lismore	Lismore
	Hgs	Hgs	Hgs	Care and ED L / Hgs	Crime L and Hgs
2	Coffs Harbour	Coffs Harbour	Coffs Harbour	Coffs Harbour	Grafton
	Crime L / Hgs	Care and ED L / Hgs	Hgs	Hgs	Crime L and Hgs
3	Ballina	Ballina	Tweed Heads	Tweed Heads	Tweed Heads
	Crime L Hgs	Care and ED L / Hgs	Crime L and Hgs	Care and ED L / Hgs	Hgs
4	Lismore	Casino	Grafton	Grafton	Lismore
	Care and ED L / Hgs	Crime L Hgs	Care and ED L and Hgs	Hgs	Crime L and Hgs

Parramatta/Sutherland

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AII	Crime L / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs
	Care L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs	Parole L	AVO L	DPP L
			ED L	Care Hgs	Care L / Hgs
			Care Hgs		Youth Koori
			Sutherland Crime Hgs (week 4)		Court

Riverina Circuit

(Care and Education matters only)

From May 2024

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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3	Griffith sitting	Wagga Wagga	Wagga Wagga	Wagga Wagga	Albury
	@			or Albury	
	Wagga Wagga	Hgs			
			Care and ED L	Hgs	Care and ED L
			/ Hgs	, and the second	/ Hgs
	Care, ED L		5		9

Proposed from March 2025

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	Wagga Wagga	Wagga Wagga and Griffith	Wagga Wagga	Wagga Wagga or Albury	Albury
	Hgs	sitting @ Wagga Wagga Care, ED L	Hgs	Hgs	Care and ED L / Hgs

Surry Hills

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 courts each week	Crime L / AVO / Hgs	Crime L / AVO / Hgs	Crime L / Hgs	Care L / Hgs ED L	Care Hgs
plus 3 rd court alternate weeks	Care Hgs	Care Hgs	Youth Koori Court Care Hgs on alternate weeks	Crime Hgs	Crime Hgs

Western Circuit

From January 2025

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1			Dubbo	Dubbo	Dubbo
			Care Hgs	Winha-nga- nha List	Youth Koori Court
				ED L	
2					
3	Bathurst	Orange	Dubbo	Dubbo	Dubbo
	Care / ED L	Care / ED L	Care Hgs	Winha-nga- nha List	Youth Koori Court
4					