

## Our curriculum

The curriculum of the Centre is based on a program of active learning through play. This is formalised in the National Early Years Learning Framework document. Copies of this document may be borrowed from the staff.

### At the centre your child will have opportunities to:

- Develop physical skills, grow in self-confidence, and experience a sense of achievement.
- Develop effective relationships with adults and peers.
- Grow in independence while contributing to the life of the group.
- Learn to play within group rules, develop awareness of personal safety and learn to positively express a range of emotions, including feelings of frustration and aggression.
- Engage in literacy, mathematical, musical, environmental and creative experiences.

Develop awareness of a shared world in which everyone is responsible for caring for it in some way. Recycling & using resources responsibly is an integral part of the everyday program. In the kindy garden the growing of vegetables assists in promoting eating & cooking with what is fresh & local (sustainability).

Underlying all of the experiences within the Centre is the recognition that the development of a positive self-concept and wellbeing is crucial for each child's learning.

### Assessment and reporting:

Parents are asked to fill out a questionnaire to help us best meet your child's needs.

Staff in the Centre will undertake to observe, monitor and report on children's learning in a variety of ways.

Short parent interviews will be offered in your child's time at Kindergarten and you will receive 2 Individual Learning Plans highlighting goals and actions for their development.

A final report will be given to parents on transition to school and a copy will be sent to your child's school.

## Child protection curriculum

All education department sites are mandated to teach the child protection curriculum and all staff are mandatory notifiers of child abuse.

Children will be taught to be assertive about seeking help when they feel unsafe, and to be able to assert that their whole body is private and that they have a right to be safe.