BERMAGUI PRESCHOOL



5.01 Individual Development

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Aim

To support each child to reach their full learning potential.

Strategies

The individual needs of the children will be met through:

- Love and care from dedicated professional early years teachers and educators.
- Opportunities to make choices and have input into their own learning and play.
- Activities that develop a sense of care and respect for others as well as a healthy self esteem
- A positive and accepting environment in which to develop the social behaviours that leads to independence, self control and emotional development.
- Active play and exercise that enhances physical and gross motor development
- Activities to stimulate the imagination, creativity, aesthetic awareness and fine motor skills
- A range of activities that encourage curiosity, experimentation, exploration, investigation, problem solving and thinking
- Opportunities to explore and develop literacy, language and perceptual skills.
- Promotion of links with the community through supervised, educational excursions.
- Structured experiences and guided group activities necessary to develop skills for a smooth transition to primary school
- Opportunities to learn about the environment, health, nutrition etc will be provided.
- Activities, experiences and resources that reflect diversity and avoid stereotyping
- Promotion of links between the child, family and community
- Learning and education to be incorporated in every aspect of the daily program, including child directed play, group sessions, routines and meal times.
- Each child's voice and views to be seen in documentation, evaluation and assessment processesses.

Relevant Legislation

Education and Care Services National Regulations 2011 National Quality Standards 2010

Resources & References

The National Quality Standard (2010).

Being, Belonging and Becoming: The Early Years Framework for Australia (2009). Education and Care Services National Regulations, 2011

Relevant Documentation

This policy is displayed in the Preschool and will be provided as part of Bermagui Preschool Induction Procedure.

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