BERMAGUI PRESCHOOL



5.07 Computers and Technology

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Aim

- Introduce and develop computer skills
- Provide awareness and access to information technology and the broader community, through the use of the computer and access to the internet
- Develop cognitive skills through the use of developmentally appropriate software programs, web sites, etc.
- Develop fine motor skills, including hand/eye coordination

Strategies

- Children will be instructed in the technique, safety etc before using the computer
- Children will be supervised at all times when using the computer
- Children will take turns to use the computer, one child at a time
- Developmentally appropriate software will be used
- Use of the web sites will be screened for appropriateness
- Pleae note, computers and technology are only to be used to supplement learning. The
 use of books, storytelling, conversations and hands on resources should be used with
 children in the first instance.

Relevant Legislation Education and Care Services National Regulations 2011 National Quality Standards 2010

Resources & References

Education and Care Services National Regulations 2011
The National Quality Standard 2010
Being, Belonging and Becoming: The Early Years Framework for Australia 2009

Relevant Documentation

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

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