

# Love

We believe God's love is for all children and is inclusive of language, race, ability, culture, and gender. We share God's love and grace every day with families and children through building strong connections and relationships.

We welcome each child and their whole family into our community. We celebrate the unique diversity and richness of family cultures by having family nights at kindy and working together with parents to help their children learn and grow.

We partner with The Ark Lutheran Church to provide the word of God to each child. We invite families to know God's love through kindy worship and Christian celebrations.

We meet as a community of learners each day to acknowledge God as our loving creator and to thank the First Nations people, the Kaurna, for sharing the land with us.

We love, care, nurture and support each child to learn and grow by providing a safe and welcoming environment that promotes a sense of belonging. We listen to and respect the rights of all children and value their voices and opinions.



This is my mum, my dad, my brother, and me.  
Artist: Cassidy C



# Play

We believe that children learn best when they have time and space to be curious and explore the world around them. We believe play fosters self-esteem, confidence, and a desire to discover and find out.

We respect and value each child's right to play and learn at their own pace. Educators respond to children in their play through spontaneous and planned experiences.

We provide extended periods of uninterrupted play and foster learning dispositions of curiosity, wonder, creativity, persistence, resilience, imagination, and problem solving through learning invitations and a stimulating and challenging learning environment.

We believe all forms of play help children learn and grow. We value and encourage children to develop social skills and empathy to help them play and learn with others.

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I'm playing ball at kindy Artist: Emily

# Learn

We encourage a love of God's created world and all living creatures by learning sustainable practices at kindy and caring for our stick insects and worm farm.

We value children's home cultures and languages and enjoy learning about the diversity of each child's place of belonging in their family and homes.

We see our children as competent learners with the ability and agency to actively co-construct and share their thinking and growing understanding. We document each child's journey and value their voice as a learner and thinker. We work together with parents to set goals for children and celebrate their success.



This is me playing at kindy. Artist: Finnegan

We promote learning through social interactions, with and from each other, in collaborative and social play, and with small and large group participation.

We use the Early Years Learning Framework and Christian Studies Curriculum Framework as a guide for children's learning. Our curriculum is emergent, and grows to reflect the children's questions, wonderings and inquiries.