

About Our Centre

- ✓ *Not-for profit and community based*
- ✓ *Owned and managed by parents, through an elected committee of volunteers*
- ✓ *Affiliated with C&K for over 30 years*
- ✓ *Licensed under the Child Care act 2002*
- ✓ *All staff hold current first-aid certificates and Working with Young Children Blue Cards.*
- ✓ *A qualified Early Childhood Educator and Assistant*
- ✓ *An approved educational program*
- ✓ *An approved outdoor play area*
- ✓ *Suitable equipment for both indoor and outdoor play areas.*
- ✓ *Close parent/teacher co-operation*
- ✓ *Staff regularly attend in-service training.*



Target age range

The target priority age group for enrolment in our PRE-PREP program are children who turn 4 years of age before June 30 in the year they attend. More information on Pre-prep and prep ages can be found in our enrolment package or visit the C&K website www.candk.asn.au



How to enrol

Enrolments for 2011 are being taken now.
Please contact the centre for an enrolment package.
All children will be placed onto a waiting list.

Families will be notified in mid October 2010 of their enrolment status.

Enrolment interviews will be held in January 2011.

**Enrolments for 2012 and 2013
can also be made now.**

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**C&K Charleville
Community
Kindergarten**



- Universal Access 15 hour per week program
- 4 year University trained Early Childhood Teacher and fully qualified Assistant.
- C&K Building Waterfalls—QLD Curriculum Board approved program implemented
- Our Centre meets all requirements to receive the QLD Government Kindergarten Funding Scheme (KFS)



Where children come first

SESSION TIMES

We offer Pre-prep education for children aged 3 & 1/2 to 5 years. Our class sizes are small, with only 18 children per group.

We cater for two Pre-Prep Groups:

GROUP 1: RED ROOS (3 short days)
Monday/ Wednesday/ Friday

8.30am – 1.30pm

GROUP 2: BLUE EMUS (2 long days)
Tuesday/Thursday

8.30am – 4.00pm

We follow the same terms as the state school education system, except we do not have pupil free days.

We are licensed by the Office of Early Childhood Education and Care under the Childcare Act 2002

**We are proud to be affiliated
with C&K**

(Crèche and Kindergarten Association of QLD).

www.candk.asn.au

Kindergarten Funding Scheme

Our centre is eligible to receive the KFS funding from the Office of Early Childhood Education and Care (OECEC). From 2011 this will replace DEKAS (Department of Education Kindergarten Assistance Scheme).

Under the new KFS (Kindergarten Funding Scheme), we will receive the standard \$2,100 per child, plus an extra remote ARIA subsidy of \$1,050 per year, for each child enrolled in the eligible age cohort.

Children must be four years of age before 30 June in the year they attend Kindergarten

C&K Charleville Kindergarten Fees

The KFS is a subsidy which helps our management committee keep fees as low as possible. However, to remain operational and offer a quality program, we are required to charge a standard fee.

In 2011 our fees will be \$ 61.50 per week.

You will be invoiced on a per term basis. We operate under the same terms as State Schools.

**In 2011 all Kindy fees will be
\$615 per term**

(Subject to Adjustment)

Payment options are available.

We are eligible for the registered Child Care Benefit payments. More information on the CCB is available from Kindy or the Family Assistance Office at www.australia.gov.au

Your child comes first

C&K welcomes and honours children. Our inclusive programs recognise a child's individual circumstances, specific family structure and acknowledges their relevant cultural heritage.

Parents valued

We strongly believe in the important role you, as a parent, play in your child's early education and care experiences. You are welcome to be involved, in whatever capacity, in our centre.

Building Waterfalls

We implement the C&K curriculum "Building Waterfalls" It nurtures in children positive attitudes and dispositions towards life and learning. Through enquiry and play, children are learning to participate as confident, curious and inventive learners who are compassionate listeners, communicators and negotiators.

