

C&K White Rock Community Kindergarten

Our Philosophy

We, the staff of C&K White Rock Community Kindergarten will-:

- Welcome and value every child and their family that comes to our service.
- Encourage learning and cultural inclusivity through positive and welcoming interactions.
- Provide high quality, early childhood education that will engage all children in inclusive experiences.
- Welcome and encourage every family to become involved in our kindergarten and make it theirs. We welcome the sharing of stories, perspectives and life experiences.
- Embed Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural perspectives in our early childhood practices.
- Facilitate reconciliation by listening and develop meaningful relationships based on mutual respect, purpose and understanding.
- Be an active voice for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children, families and communities.
- Facilitate learning about the community and our place in a global society.
- Offer children the opportunity to engage in new experiences and develop new skills, while nurturing and encouraging their independence to develop a sense of becoming.
- Support children and families to make healthy choices. This includes their personal wellbeing and mental health through our involvement in the Australian Government Be You initiative.
- Provide a service of support for our families to best meet the needs of children and parents.
- Build relationships of trust and security by working in partnership with families while recognising families as the child's first teacher.
- Ensure all children in our care develop a strong sense of belonging to the kindergarten and the wider community.



For our children to thrive, a strong foundation of love, safety and security is essential.

We acknowledge the Gimuy Walubarra Yidinji people as traditional owners of the land our kindergarten is built on. We pay our respects to all Elders past, present and emerging. We honour the past, learn with the present and create our future.

