Blakeview Preschool Philosophy

<u>Vision:</u> All children will be global citizens and lifelong learners

At Blakeview Preschool we provide an environment for learning and growing together, building pathways for a positive future. We believe children to be inquisitive, unique individuals with different strengths and abilities

We strive for a balance between intentional teaching strategies and child-initiated activities and play. We implement Early Years Learning Framework to ensure all children become curious learners who are able to make independent choices and actively pursue their own learning.

We value and acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as the traditional custodians of the land we live and learn on.

Our aims:

- to provide a safe, nurturing, challenging environment where we play and learn together, acknowledging prior learning and gaining new knowledge, skills and understandings.
- to build secure and respectful relationships and encourage children to build connections with others and our community
- to facilitate the development of positive learning dispositions
- to provide inclusive practices which are empowering, consistent and rigorous
- to embrace the diverse values, beliefs, family and cultural backgrounds, traditions, life experiences and knowledge children bring to preschool
- to ensure the education and care we provide is of a high standard, is progressive and is strengthened by continuous improvement and reflection
- to have high expectations of all learners to achieve

<u>Values</u> :		
Resilience	Respect	Caring