

Kalangadoo Kindergarten Philosophy Statement

Belonging

Nurturing

Wellbeing

Happiness

Vision

Children are competent and capable learners with the dispositions for lifelong learning.

We believe

- That learning through play can be fun, exciting and challenging. It is a lifelong experience for all including educators and families.
- That all children are unique with different skills, strengths and backgrounds.
- In the involvement and participation of parents and the wider community. This participation brings a genuine voice and partnership within learning and development.
- That true 'Belonging' occurs when children & family are acknowledged with respect. They are the first teachers of their child and we as educators have the privilege to continue this journey in partnership with them.
- We believe in a holistic approach to children's learning and wellbeing. Each child is valued in their own right. We endeavour to nurture all to be successful in life.

As educators we strive to

- Create a caring and supportive environment with a wide range of learning experiences within a play based curriculum for children in all programs as they develop the dispositions for lifelong learning.
- Empower and encourage each child's love of learning.
- Be lifelong learners engaging in continual professional development to foster our passion.