

OUR PHILOSOPHY

AT THE MANOR FARM KINDERGARTEN, WE BELIVE THAT

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Children are competent, capable and resourceful.

Each child is an individual and has a right to actively initiate and make decisions about their learning.



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Play is essential to children's learning and development. Through rich play experiences, children organise and make sense of their world and develop positive dispositions for life and learning.



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The kindergarten curriculum needs to be flexible, child centred and responsive to children's individual interests and levels of development. The learning environment needs to have a sense of joy and happiness; encourage exploration and imagination and incorporate elements of the natural world.



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The diversity of all people needs to be celebrated, acknowledged, respected and valued.



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Building positive and respectful relationships with children, families and the community is essential.

This happens when we work together and value each other's contributions.



