

# **Uraidla Kindergarten Philosophy Statement**

Our philosophy aims to reflect the shared values of our Adelaide Hills community, its children, families and educators.

We have strong connections with both our natural and built environments and aspire to look after these for future generations.

## **Relationships are at the heart of what we do.**

We value genuine connections that promote collaboration and mutual respect. Through these nurturing and trusting relationships we strive to achieve the best outcomes for all.

## **Everyone is unique, capable and competent.**

We value the diversity of cultures, individual thoughts, ideas and ways of learning and endeavour to respond flexibly in our practices and curriculum.

## **Learning is a lifelong process.**

We value individual strengths and interests. From this foundation we facilitate a spirit of inquiry and a culture of continuous learning, reflection and growth.

We believe skilfully guided play supports the development of creativity, flexible thinking and collaboration.