

Parent involvement

Parents are encouraged to spend time at kindergarten, helping with the learning program or with the running of the centre. You may wish to:

- Spend a short time reading a story
- Share skills such as playing a instrument, a simple craft activity, cooking, gardening etc
- Help staff at the end of the session
- Attend Governing Council meetings
- Attend community events

Governing council

The Governing Council is a group of parents who work with staff to ensure the smooth running of the centre. Members are elected at the Annual General Meeting and meet two evenings a term for about 1.5 hours. At the meetings, the council discuss the needs of the centre, possible events, curriculum directions and community needs.

Being on the council is an excellent way to better understand how the kindergarten is managed and to get to know other parents.

All parents and caregivers are welcome at council meetings.