

Family Involvement Policy

Aim:

To encourage family participation at the centre. To meet and support the needs of the community.

Procedure:

The centre encourages active family involvement in all aspects of the centre's operation and the centre's programs. Involvement is encouraged through:-

- Parent interviews held at the request of families or staff. Interviews will be an opportunity for parents and staff to discuss their child's development and progress as well as the centre's program.
- Family members being invited to the centre to share a special skill or talent with the children eg. cooking, bathing baby etc. Family members are also encouraged to participate in excursions and any special event eg. Science Show.
- Parent questionnaires and surveys.
- Child portfolios, and floor books which family members are invited to view/contribute to.
- Attending Management Committee meetings.
- Menu suggestions.
- Attending celebrations, family events and open days/nights as they are organised.
- We value parent suggestions for our programming.

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