Philosophy

Golden Grove Kindergarten is uniquely situated within a community which includes natural creeks and catchments alongside urban environs. We value children’s right to connect, care and learn from nature in childhood.

Children experience deep level learning through Active Learning Environments that promote challenge and safe risk taking.

**Educators have a commitment to**

- warm and responsive relationships between children, Educators and families creating a sense of belonging
- an image of children as capable and competent learners
- plan and implement emergent and inquiry-based curriculum practices
- ongoing professional development, focused on contemporary approaches to early childhood education
- deep and professional planning, documenting, analysing, reflecting and responding to children’s learning in relation to the Early Years Learning Framework (EYLF)
- the acknowledgement of children’s and families rights to have their cultures, identities, abilities and strengths valued and included
- reviewing our philosophy annually during Children’s Week