A warm welcome to all our children and families at the start of our new school year. It has been delightful meeting our new families and welcoming back our existing children. We look forward to a wonderful year of growing and learning. This term we are concentrating on the children establishing a sense of ‘belonging’; encouraging the children to feel safe, secure and supported and building a positive and trusting relationship with their teacher and peers. This helps develop confidence and wellbeing.

Parent Contributions

Working in partnership with families

It is very important to us that parents feel involved in their children’s education and add to our class learning experiences. Any input on the children’s interests or development can be incorporated into the program here.

This term we are asking parents to send in or email a family photo for us to display on our family wall. Having a family photo helps connect the children’s home life and their environment here in the ELC.

We have been learning about dental hygiene and healthy eating. Discussions on this at the meal table have given opportunity for the children to give lots of suggestions of what is ‘sometimes food’ or foods we should eat everyday. Providing healthy snacks such as raw vegetables, fruit, cheese, rice cakes and preferably no sugary treats in their lunchboxes will help us continue to educate the children about the importance of good nutrition. See sample lunch box ideas photos.

Regards, Ms Kerry

Dates to remember:

14.3.16 Labour Day (Centre closed)
23.3.16 Harmony Day lunch (Bring a plate)
24.3.16 Last day of term