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Queensland Children's Week Celebrations: (QA 5 Relationships with Children)

OCTOBER 24th to 28th.

Celebrate

Children's Week 2022



Every child is special and should have a safe, happy and healthy upbringing. The United Nations, along with countries around the world, developed a set of rights to help every child reach their full potential. This document is known as 'The Convention on the Rights of the Child'. Talk to the children about their rights and explain why they are important.

As a Service we have embedded the UN Rights of a Child and how this guides our practices. Children's Week celebrations is another way we can embrace our vision to be affected advocates for young children and their rights.

What is the aim of the Children's Week?

The aim of Children's Week is to celebrate the rights of children to enjoy childhood and for the wider community to rejoice in their talents, skills and abilities.

HOW IS MY PLACE FAMILY DAY CARE CELEBRATING CHILDREN'S WEEK?

Across Children's Week we will be running a Play Group each day in a different park location.

Monday 24th - Ipswich - Queens Park
Tuesday 25th - Brisbane - Karawatha
Wednesday 26th - Russel Island
Thursday 27th - Toowoomba - Queens Park
Friday 28th - Gold Coast - (Abraham Park)

Please mark these dates in your Calendar and look out for more details.

We would love to see as many of you as possible.

For those of you that can't make it, don't worry because you will be included in the celebrations as well!

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School Holiday Fun

Please check out the link below to guide you all your school holiday fun.

<https://www.familiesmagazine.com.au/>

The Spirit of Sound

(QA 6 Collaborative partnerships with families and communities)

Sharing this lovely initiative of Hearing Australia [The-Spirit-of-Sound-Storybook](#). You can purchase the book or download it for free.

You can also see this read beautifully on You Tube by Luke Carroll [The Spirit of Sound Storybook reading with Luke Carroll](#) and the website has some lovely resources to support the story.

"Hearing Australia is proud to have partnered with artist Davinder Hart, of the Noongar Nation to develop the Spirit of Sound, a children's storybook that explores the importance of hearing and sound in the context of cultural connections and traditions."

When we start to listen, we can start to learn. – Davinder Hart

(Click and open the above hyperlinks to view and listen to the story)



Administration Update:

Educator Notes on Timesheets

Please remember to transfer any "bubble" notes that have been made at sign in/out times onto the Educator Notes section of the timesheet. We need this information to be clearly visible to the compliance team if the Service needs to change anything.

Also, to avoid timesheets being rejected please add the correct in and out times in the Educator notes. Clicking the "e-signature" button at section 3 will drop down the sign in/out for the week.

School Holiday Bookings

September school holidays are approaching. Don't forget to put in a booking change request for those children who will be attending at least the week before the holidays begin.

WEBSITE UPDATE

Hope everyone has had a chance to visit the new Inala Community House Website.

If you have not tried or are having trouble logging onto the website, please contact your Coordinator ASAP!