Hamilton Community Pre-School



"Where discoveries, learning and fun connect"

Information Sheets for Parents:

Families are Supported

National Quality Standard - Quality Area 6

Element 6.1.3 – Families are supported. Current information is available to families about the service and relevant community services and resources to support parenting and family wellbeing

Hamilton Community Pre-School use a variety of methods to support families and keep them informed of the details about their child's learning, development and wellbeing, as well as the operational aspects of the service. This includes informing families about the service's ongoing self-assessment in relation to the National Quality Standard, quality improvements being achieved, as well as their participation in, and outcome of, the assessment and rating process.

Educators support families in their parenting role by being readily available for informal discussions with them at mutually convenient times. Further support is offered by referring families to current information on parenting and family issues displayed in the service, as well as referring them to recognised parenting and child development websites. We also have a parent lending library with many resources and parenting books for parents to borrow when required.

Providing easily accessible and reliable information about support networks and local community services helps families to make connections and use resources that support parenting. Improving the wellbeing of families is an important contributing factor in improving children's overall wellbeing.