Eudunda Community Preschool Centre
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Eudunda Community Preschool Centre is a locally governed Department of Education and Children's Services site, the centre is run by a Governing Council comprising of parents of children who attend the centre, staff and community members. We provide deep sense of safety and caring for the children, where the development of life skills and competencies are promoted. As a result, the children receive an enriching pre-school education regardless of gender, family structure, socio-economic status, physical or intellectual impairment or distance from the centre. Eudunda Community Preschool Centre is a Department of Education and Children’s Services site and as such, our service, by trained education staff, reflects this department’s deep commitment to quality, equity and the future of ALL our children.

*Our Preschool Program is based around the National Early Years Learning Framework with an emphasis on learning through play. We encourage all children to attend Preschool not only as a way of preparing for school but mainly because it provides a sound educational foundation for children in their early years. Research has shown that children experience a continuity of learning when they attend a preschool program prior to starting school and that this increases their chances of enjoyment and success at school.

*Currently all children in South Australia are entitled to spend four terms at Fulltime Preschool (4 sessions per week or equivalent) prior to commencing school. Children may also be eligible for a term of Pre entry Preschool prior to commencing Fulltime Preschool (1 session per week). This service will only be provided if there is sufficient enrolment space and staffing.

*Commencement at Preschool is determined by when a child is going to start school, then counted back by four terms.

*Preschool (Kindy) fees are currently $60 per term. (Pre entry $20) Fees are used for the purchase of new equipment and to help with the day to day running expenses of the centre. Fees are payable at the commencement of each term or as arranged with the Director.

*Governing Council meetings are held on the 3rd and 8th weeks of each term. All parents are most welcome to attend these.

Eudunda Community Preschool Centre is a SA Skin Cancer Council accredited Sun Smart Centre.

*Please ensure your child has a labelled broad rim or legionnaires hat at all times while attending Preschool. Children without hats will have to remain in the shade. During terms 1 & 4 sunscreen should be applied in the morning and the centre will provide sunscreen for reapplication at lunchtime.

SESSION TIMES

All services only during school term time

PRESCHOOL
9.00am – 3.00pm Tuesday and Thursday

PRE ENTRY
9.00am -11.30am Tuesday

OCCASIONAL CARE
9.00am - 12noon Wednesday

PLAYGROUP
9.30am – 11.30am Monday