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Outside School Hours Care – Written Programs Policy

RATIONALE

To offer a wide range of developmental opportunities for children attending OSHC.

AIM

To provide activities designed and evaluated with regard to each child's social, physical, emotional, recreational, intellectual and creative development needs.

IMPLEMENTATION

These procedures apply to program staff.

- Activity programs are to be developed and evaluated in consultation with program staff and children.
- Activity programs should be flexible and provide children with choices and self-determination at every opportunity.
- Activity programs should be displayed at the centre and include daily routines and a breakfast and afternoon tea menu.
- Activity programs should provide a variety of age appropriate activities including games, sports, construction, cooking, art & craft, music, dramatic play, dance, quiet times, science & nature and long term projects.
- Activity plans must be written weekly in regard to children's social, physical, emotional, recreational, intellectual and creative developmental needs.

REFERENCES

Outside School Hours National Standards, 4.2.1

EVALUATION

Guidelines are updated annually and/or as per DET recommendations.

CERTIFICATION

This policy was ratified at the School Council meeting held at Patterson Lakes Primary School, November, 2018.

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School Council President

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Principal