

Heathcote East Out of School Hours Care



Welcome to HEPS OSHC

Heathcote East OSHC Centre is a not-for profit Service, the Heathcote East Public-School P&C are the Approved Provider of HEPS OSHC and Partners in OSHC are contracted to assist with the Management of the Service.

HEPS OSHC offer a safe, secure and nurturing environment for children aged 5-12 years, outside of school hours.

Our hours of operation are 6.45am-8.45am Before school, 3.15pm-6.15pm After school and 7am-3pm during Vacation Care.

The Service employs a qualified Nominated Supervisor as well as Responsible Persons and a team of casual educators.

Please contact us on 0422 705 570 or info@hepsoshc.org.au. Our address is 5 Mimosa Street, Heathcote 2233.



Our Philosophy

At HEPS OSHC we seek to develop a partnership with and co-operation between parents, Service and school staff; to build relationships where trust and mutual understanding can develop between the home, the Service and the school. These relationships seek to be secure, respectful and reciprocal.

We believe that every child and family is unique, therefore our program cycle and routine are collaboratively created in such a way as to allow children to explore, establish and engage with their interests and grow through self-directed learning.

Our OSHC Service is a play-based service and we believe that the children learn as they discover, create, improvise and imagine. The Service environment is designed to support children's interests, strengths and needs. The educators value and build on children's strengths, skills and knowledge by motivating them and engaging in their learning.

We believe that children are capable, competent and active learners, and important contributors to their community. Our service values the importance of childhood as a significant stage of human development in its own right as well as the foundation for all later learning and development.

The My Time Our Place Framework will inform the development of our Curriculum and continuous review on learning outcomes will be reflected in the program.

At HEPS OSHC, we acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we work, live and play. We recognise their continuing connection to land, water and community. We pay respect to Elders past, present and emerging.

We are committed to continuous improvement to ensure the best possible outcomes for all children