Summary of Facts



Centre Operation

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten is open Monday to Friday from **7:00am to 6:00pm** for fifty-one weeks of the year. *Please note the centre is closed for all Public Holidays*.

Daily Fees

0-23 months: \$120.00/day 24-35 months: \$115.00/day 36-60 months: \$110.00/day

- Fees are payable for fifty-one weeks of the year including Public Holidays.
- All fee payments are made via direct debit using Debit Success, payments are fortnightly in advance.
- Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten charges an enrolment deposit of \$500.00 per family. This is returned once your child/ren
 have finished care with us and your account is finalised.

Choosing your days

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten places a priority on full time and consecutive day positions, however, accept all combination of days.

Our Inclusions

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten provides all meals, catered by Kids Gourmet Food. Which includes; breakfast, morning tea, hot lunch, afternoon tea and late snack. Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten also supplies all nappies, wipes, sunscreen and bed linen.

Education

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten's educational programs are based on the Early Years Learning Framework, which focuses on *Belonging, Being and Becoming*. Our program is developed through children's interests, strengths, family input, community links and intentional teaching. Each interest-based learning experience is planned to developmentally support and challenge the children within an environment that fosters each child's self-worth.

Extracurricular Activities

At Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten we offer a variety of extracurricular activities, these rotate throughout the year. We are currently participating weekly in 'Jam N Jive Juniors' which is a hands-on music class run by an external highly trained music teacher. We are also partaking in a weekly sporting program run by 'Markey Sports' which teaches the children basic skills across a wide variety of sports.

Staffing

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten provides qualified staffing ratios in excess of government requirements. We have a highly qualified full-time Centre Director who is always available to discuss any issues.

Communication

Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten uses a secure web-based software called Kindyhub, as our main source of communication. Kindyhub has an application for smart phones/Ipads which makes it extremely easy and convenient to use as well as the option to use it via email. Kindyhub allows the Centre Director, educators and parents to easily communicate on a daily basis; through formal and informal communication posts, sharing documentation and photos. Observations and daily reports are also sent out to families via Kindyhub to collaborate and share each child's ongoing development and achievements.

Your requirements

Families are responsible for providing formula or breast-milk as required, a sun safe hat for their child, changes of clothes and a drink bottle for water. *Breastfeeding is welcome here at Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten.*

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For further information regarding Caringbah Pre-Kindergarten or for our waitlist, please contact the Centre Director.