

Kindergarten Programs

**Wombat Group** 1<sup>st</sup> Year of Funded Kindergarten (3yo)

## Kangaroo Group

2<sup>nd</sup> Year of Funded Kindergarten (4yo)

Join us at Trentham Kindergarten for an exciting and rewarding educational experience for you and your child.

# Our Amazing Kindergarten

Centrally located between Daylesford, Woodend, Blackwood, and Tylden, our kindergarten is open to all pre-school children in the area.

All experiences and activities offered are designed to assist each child with their individual development. Your child will be offered a variety of play-based learning experiences to help them develop their social and emotional skills, language and literacy skills, creativity and numeracy skills and gross and fine motor skills.



We offer a variety of opportunities for parents, guardians and other members of the family to participate in their child's experience at kindergarten. We encourage families to support our wonderful kindergarten by assisting with special activities, excursions and providing input and feedback to our program.

### Contact Details

For more information on enrolments or to visit our centre please contact us.

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# **Welcome to Trentham Kindergarten**



#### Indoor Learning Environment

In our inside learning environment we offer a variety of activities to help promote all areas of development. Arts, craft, home corner, books, puzzles, games, playdough, blocks, drawing, imaginative play and construction activities are among the permanent learning experiences offered. Additional experiences related to the groups interests and needs are provided to extend each child's learning, keep them actively engaged and having fun with their friends.



# **Programs and Special Visitors**

We participate in many initiatives including Sun Smart, Smiles for Miles, Vic Roads Safety Program and a Pet Awareness Program. Throughout the year we have special visitors who help enhance our educational program including dentist, CFA, Librarian, as well as fun and educational incursions.

#### Outdoor Learning Environment



Outside we have many shaded areas and a large grassed area. We also have a large undercover sandpit and veranda area for children to play when the weather is wet. We have a variety of permanent and flexible play equipment including a pirate ship, cubby house, swings, climbing frames, slide and monkey bars. This wonderful equipment provides children with many opportunities to climb, balance and run to encourage gross motor play and development.



#### Parents & Friends Group

We have an amazing *Parents & Friends Group* at Trentham Kindergarten who work together to coordinate fund raising events and support educators to provide a high-quality kindergarten program. Our *Parents & Friends Group* works with families and the community to raise funds to purchase new resources and to fund educational incursions throughout the year.



Incursion 2021 – Mr Ants Recycling Show

## Facilities

Trentham Kindergarten offers great facilities that are always being updated and improved. In 2020 we had a fantastic extension to our building, adding an additional room to offer Occasional Care and After Kinder Care. This upgrade also included new bathroom and kitchen facilities, a new entrance and additional undercover place spaces.