

Sparkways Early Learning Whittlesea



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Welcome to Sparkways Early Learning Whittlesea

We're a community focused children's centre located in the heart of Whittlesea within the Whittlesea Community Activity Centre. We're passionate about providing high quality education and care to support great life chances.

Our centre provides safe and inclusive play-based care for 6-week to 6-year olds, delivered by a team of qualified early childhood educators and support staff.

We value our community; respecting, encouraging and celebrating their diverse needs. We know that children achieve better outcomes when their strengths, abilities, interests and cultural practices are understood and supported.

Our environment

Situated opposite A.F Walker Reserve, our centre boasts a spacious and shaded, natural outdoor area designed for play and discovery.

Our indoor play spaces have been curated to provide a homely environment while supporting a wide range of stimulating learning experiences.

Our staff

We're proud to have a dedicated team of passionate and qualified educators who work diligently to provide a safe, inclusive and stimulating environment for children and their families.

Staff work with children to shape daily schedules, ensuring children have choice about when to play, learn, eat and rest.

"I like to build relationships with families and educators where we can collaboratively create personalised educational experiences in a fun and safe environment and see the personalities of the little ones emerge."

Tracey Fenton, Centre Director





We're family focused!

We'll work with you to build a partnership of care to meet the needs of your child.

What we offer

- ▶ Quality long day care
- ▶ Integrated 4 year-old sessional kindergarten program (funded)
- ▶ Play-based early learning programs
- ▶ New facilities boasting natural light
- ▶ Outdoor play area with vegetable patch
- ▶ Nutritious seasonal meals cooked by our on-site resident cook
- ▶ Nappies, bibs and bedding
- ▶ Community excursions
- ▶ Visiting dentist and podiatrist
- ▶ Qualified, experienced and caring staff
- ▶ Storypark account for parents to keep track of their child's development

Who we care for

We welcome all children between 6-weeks to 6-years of age (school-starting age) and can care for up to 111 children at any one time.

Our hours

6:45am-6pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays.

Our fees

Fee includes freshly prepared meals, and nappies. Please contact the centre directly for further information regarding fees.

Join our community

If you'd like to find out more about how we can support your family:

Contact us

- Call: (03) 9716 2153
- Email: whittlesea@sparkways.org.au
- Web: www.sparkways.org.au
- Facebook: @WhittleseaChildrensCentre

Book a tour

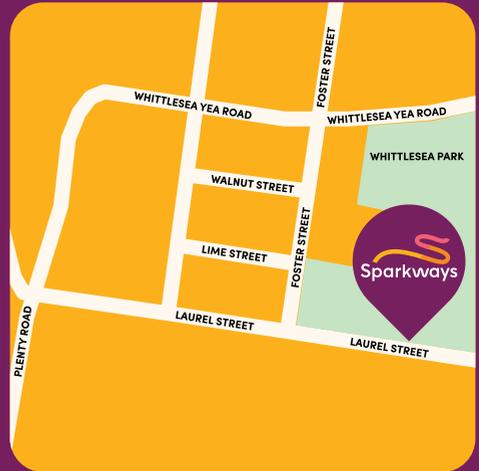
We'd love to welcome you to our centre for a guided tour. Simply contact us on the details above.



Where to find us

We're located at the rear of the Whittlesea Community Activity Centre and in easy reach of local amenities:

57-61 Laurel Street, Whittlesea VIC 3757



The Sparkways difference

At Sparkways we're more than an early learning and care provider. We also work to improve life chances for children and young people experiencing disadvantage. We do this through our youth mentoring and training and employment pathway programs, as well as supporting families experiencing vulnerability to access early learning.

When you choose to enrol your child at a Sparkways early learning and care service you're not only providing your own child with a great educational start to life, you're also helping to transform the life chances of other Victorian children and young people.

