



Bayside Playgroup

A Service of Bayside Family Day Care

Weekly Updates for Parents & Early Childhood Educators of Children in Family Day Care

Location: Wynnum Gospel Hall, 161 Preston Road, Manly West New Hours: Wednesdays Only 8:30-10:15 AM or 10:30 AM-12 Noon

Updates & Extensions for Next Week:

Wednesday 21st July 2010

1. **Wooden Building Blocks & Wooden Planks** will be available to **Encourage Fine Motor Development.** (QA 3.5.1)
2. **Aboriginal Computer Painting** will be accessible week due to children's request. (QA 3.2.7)
3. Home Corner will offer **Vegetable Chopping & Mixing** which is designed to **replicate everyday home activities** while **developing children's motor skills.** (QA 3.5.3)
4. **NAIDOC WEEK Activity Sheets** will be accessible to children and educators to provide a positive attitude towards diversity. (QA 3.2.12)
5. **Insect Rubbing Plates & Toy Insects** will be added to the environment as an **interest based activity.** (QA 3.2.4)
6. **Sequencing Games** will be encouraged using **Indigenous Colours.** (QA 3.6.8)

PARENT / EDUCATOR EXTENSION

Bark Painting

Locate a Paper Bark Tree in the local area and strip some outer bark from its trunk. These pieces of bark become a canvas for the painting. Use earth-toned paint and draw or dot paint with a twig or small branch.

LITERACY & NUMERACY RESOURCES



'Sharing Books is Beginning Reading'



'Grouping & Matching are about Counting'

THE EARLY YEARS LEARNING FRAMEWORK

Outcome 2: Children respond to diversity with respect

Outcome 4: Children develop dispositions for learning such as curiosity, cooperation, confidence, creativity, commitment, enthusiasm, persistence, imagination and reflexivity.