

## Majella Early Childhood Philosophy

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**Statement of Belief or Living out our Philosophy? We believe that all children at Majella are created and loved by God and have a special place in the world. Children have a right to grow and learn in an environment which is nurturing, supportive and safe. They need to be valued and educated, for them to become the person that they were created to be. At Majella we strive to provide a place where children can develop important attributes which can contribute to this. Alongside the family we endeavour to help children develop and become people who:**

**Have a strong Sense of Identity:**

- feel loved, respected and heard
- feel valued, safe and accepted
- understand the importance of their actions

**Are connected with and contribute to the world:**

- know their experience is valuable
- feel connected to the school community
- are environmentally responsible
- have a sense of equity

**Have a Sense of Wellbeing:**

- are resilient
- show perseverance
- have a sense of self-worth
- practise self-regulation manage their emotions
- display physical well being- self care and skill development

**Are confident and involved learners:**

- have confidence in their ability
- are risk takers
- participate in all learning experiences

**Are effective communicators:**

- understand and express their needs
- listen and respond to others
- convey their ideas and thoughts

**CURRICULUM:**

- NQS and EYLF
- PLD literacy
- Talk For Writing
- Fontas and Pinell