



We respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land where we learn and play, the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin Nation. We pay respect to their Elders past, present and emerging.

CENTRE CALENDER

September

- Save the Koala month
- 1st** Father's Day & Indigenous Literacy Day
- 2nd** National Health and Physical Education Day (HPE)
- 4th** Early Childhood Educators Day
- 4th** Fathers / Special persons Day (Gum Nut celebration)
- 14th** R U OK? Day
- 20th** World Clean Up Day
- 21st** World Gratitude Day
- 23rd** International Day of Sign Language
- 26th** Footy Finals Dress Up Day

October

- 1st-4th** Australian Wildlife week
- 5th** World Teachers Day
- 7th** Start of Term 4
- 10th** World Eyesight Day (Love your Eyes)
- 14th-18th** Kinder room School Readiness Week
- National Nutrition Week
- 20th** Childrens Week



Centre opening hours.
7:30 AM - 6:00 PM



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CENTRE NEWS

SUN HATS

As the weather warms up, we kindly ask that you ensure your children arrive at Gum Nut ready to play outdoors.

Please make sure they are wearing sunscreen and a sun hat to protect them during the morning outdoor programs



SICK CHILDREN

It is crucial for the wellbeing of all children and staff that we maintain a healthy environment at Gum Nut. Therefore we kindly ask that if your child is feeling unwell or displaying any symptoms of illness, please keep them at home until they have recovered.

This includes symptoms such as fever, cough, runny nose, vomiting, diarrhea or other contagious conditions. By keeping sick children at home, we can help prevent the spread of illness to others and ensure a safe and comfortable environment for everyone.



IPADS

To ensure a smooth and safe sign-in and out process, we kindly ask that you supervise your children and ensure they do not touch the Ipads during these times as we have had one broken recently.

This helps us maintain accurate records and keeps our Ipads in working order.



Thank you for your support and cooperation!

FAMILIES LEAVING

As we are rapidly heading towards the end of the year, we know we will be farwelling our 4-year old Kinder children. We request that if your child will not be attending Gum Nut in 2025, that you let us know as soon as possible. We currently have a waitlist and would like the opportunity to offer any available spots to new families.

GUM NUT PRESCHOOL AND CHILDCARE
END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

Carols in Alphington park

FRIDAY 6TH OF DEC 2024

6pm - 8pm

CAROLS
FACE PAINTING
GAMES
RAFFLES

Special helpers at 7pm

BYO Picnic, beverages &
singing voices

Extended family & friends
welcomed.

ALPHINGTON PARK:
20 VIEW STREET, 3078

Family Input



At Gum Nut we believe in working together and recognise the value of family input. It allows us to foster a sense of belonging for both parents and child. When this collaboration happens, it strengthens the child's identity and enhances their learning.

The Early Years Learning Framework (EYLF) states, “Educators’ practices and the relationships they form with children and families have a significant effect on children’s involvements and success in learning. Children thrive when families and educators work together in partnership to support young children’s learning.”

All of our programs invite parents to participate; you could share an interest or skill, teach a new song, play an instrument or share a cooking activity.

TESTIMONIALS

We have recently updated our website and would love to share your families experiences / time at Gum Nut Preschool and Childcare.

If you would like to contribute, please email your feedback through to our office:
office@gumnutpreschool.com.au

Thank you in advance.

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General housekeeping

CARE NET MOBILE FOOD RELIEF



Mondays (fortnightly)

Gum Nut Driveway.
9:30 am-10:30am

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please keep the following information up to date:

- Address, phone number, email.
- Dietary requirements, medication and action plan for your child.
- Immunisation history

EMAILS

Just a friendly reminder that room emails are used for planning purposes only.

For everything else please email the office directly via

office@gumnutpreschool.com.au

GOOGLE REVIEW

We hope your experience with us has been positive and enriching. Would you mind taking a few moments to share your thoughts on Google?

Your feedback helps us improve and lets others know about the quality of care we provide.

We appreciate your feedback!

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