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Environmental and Sustainability Strategy

Rationale:

To encourage staff and children to be aware of environmental issues and to promote environmental protection, Orroroo Kindergarten will make every effort to protect the environment within the venues it uses, ensuring the health of children, parents and staff. The centre will also make efforts to protect the broader world environment and do its part to safeguard a clean and healthy world for all of us.

Children Need

- A clean and healthy environment in which to grow and learn.
- Education about environmental protection.

Parents Need

- Information about environmental protection and how they can promote this at home.

Staff Need

- Information about environmental protection.
- Environmentally friendly products for use in the Centre.

Management

- Should promote environmental protection.

How this will be implemented

- Literature about environmental protection will be displayed in the centre and brochures made available to parents.
- Themes in relation to environmental protection will be included in the children's program in the day to day operation of the Centre.
- Wherever possible the use of environmentally friendly products will be encouraged in the Centre.
- All rubbish will be disposed of in an environmentally friendly way and products recycled whenever possible. Containers will be washed and prepared for recycling.
- Wherever possible the Centre will endeavour to be both water wise and energy efficient.

The centre will support projects, which promote environmental protection.

Referenced to:

Public Health Act 2011

Environmental Protection Act 1993 (SA) and Regulations

Chairperson

Governing Council

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Director

Orroroo Kindergarten

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