

Family Engagement

- Termly Sustainability focus in newsletter for families—providing information, simple hints and tips
- Parent contributions to SAP on ways we can look after our Kindy.
- Parent cooking
- WOW literacy home packs

2018 Sustainability Inquiry Question
'How can we help our Kindy and park environment to be healthy, now and in the future?'

Water Usage

- Why is water important? How can we look after and manage our water resources?
- Rain water pump in sandpit (water containers during summer months)
- Reducing water—songs, stories, ways to save water
- Water quality –Nature kindy, testing, impacts on environment
- Water timers on bathroom taps

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Sustainability Action Plan 2018

"Working together to promote a sustainability mindset for educators, children and families"

Kensington Reserve 10 master plan: Biodiversity through wetlands and nature play

- Partnership with Burnside council
- Children and families to be involved in consultation and planning
- Nature kindy explorations
- Monitoring the environment in the park
- Impacts of pollution and human actions on the environment
- Rubbish collection in the park

Food Growing Program

- Sustainable food practices
- Garden girl—food growing, caring for our environment, Kaurna bush tucker
- Chickens—eggs
- Cooking using seasonal produce from our garden
- Develop community herb garden outside gate

Air Quality

- Importance of trees and plants—planting more in our environment
- Promote walking and cycling, public transport to reduce air pollution
- Wheels week

Reduce landfill

- Tri-Coloured bin system (green organics, yellow recycling and red landfill)
- Nude food practices (reducing food packaging)
- Food scraps—worms, chickens,
- Limiting use of plastic and non-recyclable materials and resources at Kindy