National Quality Framework Quality Area 5:

Australian Children's Education & Care Quality Authority

relationships with children



Educational program and practice

Children's health and safety

Physical environment

Staffing arrangements

Relationships with children

Partnerships with families and communities

Leadership and service management

Your child will feel safe, secure and that they belong. Positive relationships with educators help your children to play and learn.

Examples of what to look for:

- Your child is made to feel supported and welcomed.
- Educators respond to the individual needs and interests of children.

The **National Quality Framework** introduces a new quality standard to improve children's education and care services across Australia. Seven quality areas help ensure your child is given the best possible start in life. Over time, all Australian services will be rated against the National Quality Standard.

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?
Children need quality care and attention that meets their individual needs

