LYONS EARLY CHILDHOOD SCHOOL







Education

Our **Purpose**

We provide high quality education and care for birth to 8 children in a safe and secure environment.

Our children actively engage in play-based learning that supports their academic, social and emotional development.

Our Vision

Our school is a welcoming, colourful place where we love to learn and challenge ourselves.

We strive for excellence in all we do, empowering all learners through innovative, evidence-based practice in a seamless birth to 8 setting.

We develop and nurture resilient individuals, collaborative partnerships with our community, and a strong connection to Country.

Our Values

Kindness

Being gentle, considerate and thinking about others.

I am kind.

I am helpful.

I consider others in all I do.

I am welcoming.

Respect

Treating everyone and everything in the school community well.

I am respectful to everyone.

I care for nature, the environment and our planet.

I respect difference and diversity.

I am proud of our school.

Collaboration

Working together, cooperating and helping others.

I communicate, connect and reflect.

I give and seek feedback so I can improve.

I actively and adventurously investigate.

I work with others as a team and help others.

Resilience

Taking risks, persisting with challenges, being optimistic and positive.

I have a go at new things and challenge myself and others.

I am motivated, work and play hard to achieve my goals and help others to achieve theirs.

I ask helpful questions and solve problems.

I practise and persist.

Our Graduates

By the time our students leave Lyons they are:

- literate, numerate and scientific thinkers who love learning
- using learning dispositions that enable them to think, wonder and explore
- developing their social and emotional skills to enable them to grow and adapt to new challenges
- empowered with knowledge and skills to pursue their passions, interests and learning opportunities
- using technology to investigate, enhance and share their learning
- deepening their knowledge of reconciliation, respect and recognition of Indigenous Australia.

Critical Success Factors

- working together as a community
- improving how we learn and play
- ensuring all learners are capable readers, writers and mathematicians
- looking after our organisation and people