



Philosophy of

Village Kids Childcare Centre - Havelock North

Morepork Team

Centre

We believe that each child is unique and will learn best when teachers and the environment affirm and support each child holistically. Our programme follows the strands of Te Whariki, where each child's learning is extended, shared and celebrated.

We recognise and share our unique New Zealand dual culture and heritage and we value our joint partnership with parents, whanau and the wider community.

PAUA

Our PAUA philosophy is unique to Village Kids. It incorporates several principles that ensure we work effectively as a team of teachers, parents, children and management.

It includes the beliefs that we should have fun and appreciate each other, that our attitude effects the work environment and that we need to pay attention to each other.

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We believe in allowing children free and natural movement which allows all children to drive their own learning in their own space and time.

Children are respected for their individuality and their needs are nurtured through reciprocal relationships with their Primary Carer which is essential to each child's sense of belonging and well-being.