

Early Childhood Education Centre (ECDP)

Stanthorpe, including the wider Granite Belt Community, has an Early Childhood Education Program (ECDP), catering for children from birth to pre-prep who are identified as requiring support for learning in one or more the following areas:

- Autism spectrum disorder
- Intellectual impairment
- Physical impairment
- Speech language impairment
- Visual impairment
- Hearing impairment

Services access through the ECDP include:

- Head of special education services (HOSES)
- Special Education Teachers
- Early Childhood Education Teacher
- Guidance officers
- Speech language pathologists
- Visiting physiotherapist
- Occupational therapist



The Stanthorpe ECDP is an Education Queensland facility that provides support to families in identifying areas of strength and needs of your child. We offer a range of education services and programs that aim to enhance your child's development, well-being and community participation. Delivery of the program may be held at the ECDP classroom, in an outreach capacity to the Early Childhood Education Centre, playgroup or negotiated centre.

We develop a close working relationship with our families to ensure we meet children's individual needs and support families in taking the lead in making decisions for their child and their family. We also work together with families and future schools to ensure a smooth transition for your child into full time education programs for their prep year.

All children who access the ECDP will have an individualised program or service plan developed. This plan is called the IPP (Individual Personalised Plan) and outlines the teaching focus and support that is provided for your child.

The staff of Stanthorpe ECDP extends a warm invitation to you and your family. Please feel free to contact me for further information regarding the suitability of our program for your child.

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