## **KOALAS**

## The daily program consists of:

- 7am Centre Opens.
- Mixed group play in the Possum Room free choice of activities.
- Pack away for Stories in the Koala Room.
- Group discussion regarding recent events, personal health & safety, weather, things of interest etc.
- Outside Play in mixed groups (with Joeys). Free choice of activities (art/craft, pretend play, sand play, gross motor, stories, gardening, and feeding & caring for the animals)
- Progressive Morning Tea on verandah. The children are reminded to wash hands, eat healthy food and drink water.
- Welcome class.
- Music & Movement.
- Group Time based around the interests and needs of the children.
  "News time" where the children are given a chance to share a little something of their home lives and interests with their peers.
- Activity Time based around children's current interests. E.g. construction, art/craft, home corner, puzzles, books, drawing, and play-dough.
- Pack away for Music and Movement.
- Transition to wash hands for lunch.
- Lunch Time at tables with a focus on social interactions, healthy eating, and manners.
- Clean up lunch and make beds. Reading and quiet play.
- Rest Time. Children are encouraged to sleep or rest on beds according to their individual needs.
- Reading and quiet activities. Pack away beds and put on shoes.
- Progressive Afternoon Tea.
- Outside Play in mixed groups (with Joeys). Free choice of activities (art/craft, pretend play, sand play, gross motor, stories, gardening, feeding and caring for the animals)
- Outside Play in mixed groups. (Possums join in for free choice play)
- Pack away and Group Games.
- Story and late snack in Possum Room free choice of activities.
- 6pm Centre Close