

ABOUT FAMILY DAY CARE

Family Day Care is a network of individual people providing quality care in their own homes, in a stimulating environment for the children of other families. It is organised, supported and co-ordinated by the Castlemaine Child Care Co-operative Ltd.

Family Day Care is an Australia-wide system of child care funded largely by the Federal Government. It is designed for children under school age, and for primary school age children needing care outside of school hours.

FAMILY DAY CARE IS:

Personal - no more than four pre-school age children are cared for at any one time.

Flexible - to suit the varied requirements of parents.

Reliable - Educators are carefully selected for inclusion in the Scheme.

Safe - Home Safety Checks are carried out and Educators and adults living in the house are required to pass Working With Children and Police checks.

Affordable - Federal Government Child Care Benefit (CCB) and Child Care Rebate (CCR) are available for most families.