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## Philosophy, Principles and Mission

### Our Philosophy

Children learn best through discovery and exploration, guided by the child's inner desires. They require a supportive and enriching environment that naturally fosters independence, responsibility, respect, trust, empathy, and a sense of community. Our principles guide us in implementing this philosophy.

### Our Principles

- Children should have some control over their learning
- Children must have interaction with others
- Children need to be encouraged to communicate
- Children require a variety of outlets to express their thoughts and creativity
- Children must be inspired by their environment
- Children need adults that are mentors

### Our Mission

Following the Reggio Emilia approach to learning, we promote the image of children as strong beings, capable of building relationships, constructing their own theories, and structuring their own learning. We strive to provide children with an environment that is rich with outlets for expression, resources for exploration, and opportunities for interactions with others.

