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CITY VISION

Blacktown City Council 2025 recognises that Council continue to play a role in providing high-quality child care services which meet the needs of all children and their families, in particular families with lower incomes and children with special needs.

POLICY STATEMENT

Council is committed to:

- The delivery of childcare services on the basis of what is in the best interest of the families of the Blacktown community and the early years educational needs of their children.
- The value of a strong community-based child care sector lies in the provision of choice for our residents and their access to high quality care.

POLICY SCOPE

Council believes that:

- Local Government is best placed to identify and respond to the unique needs of its community.
- Its services enhance the development of young children, improving their life chances.
- Through its involvement in providing services for families and children, Council can contribute to the building of social capital within its community.

Council is committed to an ongoing review of the performance of its children's services centres, but is mindful of the need to monitor private

sector involvement in this area in order that its residents are not subject to a lack of local services to meet their needs.

Procedure

Related Delegations

Related Documents