

Welcome to Edu – Play Early Learning Centre



Dear Parents and Guardians

Thank you for selecting Edu – Play Early Learning Centre in your search for the best education for your child. The journey of discovery is an important time for you and your family. We hope you will use the admission process to learn about the educational opportunities available and trust that ours will be the kind of educational institution that suits you best. To learn more about us, please explore our website at www.edu-learn.co.za.

At Edu - Play we strive to facilitate your child's schooling years, and develop their educational potential beyond that, in a fun, safe and inclusive atmosphere. Our main focus is providing a facility which is committed to quality education, enjoyable experiences, lasting skills development and opportunities for holistic growth. We hope that achieving this in a friendly, secure and nurturing environment will play an essential part in creating independent, reflective and healthy young adults who are ready and eager to take on life's adventures.

Learning at Edu – Play is a deeply enriching experience, and we hope you will consider becoming a member of our schooling community. We welcome and encourage your family to become involved. Research has shown that parent participation in their child's schooling coincides with a greater likelihood of academic success for that learner.

We look forward to a long and rewarding relationship with your family.

Kind regards

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EDU – PLAY EARLY LEARNING CENTRE

OUR FOCUS IS:

1. To facilitate a welcoming, caring environment in which the educational and therapeutic needs of learners with specific educational needs can be addressed optimally.
2. To provide an individualized learning environment that continuously develops every learner's unique strengths in the classroom.
3. To enable the learner to develop to the best of his/her ability and potential.
4. To empower parents and/or caregivers of learners with specific needs.
5. To support and empower the family as a whole: the learner, parents, siblings as well as the extended family.
6. To support the global development of each learner; moral, intellectual, social, emotional, and physical.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Language: English and Afrikaans dual medium classes

Ages from: 3 years to 16 years

Class sizes: Controlled classes (maximum eight learners)

Centre Class Times: 08:30 – 14:00 (open for drop-off from 07:30)

Aftercare: 14:00 – 17:15

Holiday Care available during Centre Holidays

Two week placement observation before intake



OUR AIMS AND OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide the highest possible standard of holistic education to learners experiencing barriers to learning;
2. To provide learners with a daily educational and development program as well as an aftercare facility;
3. To enable differently-abled and neuro-diverse learners to reach and maintain their optimum physical, sensory, intellectual and/or social function levels long term;
4. To provide learners with specific needs with the tools to enhance their lives and to give them a greater degree of independence, well-being and self-confidence;
5. To provide a safe and nurturing environment for the learner;
6. To encourage equality and promote change in the attitude towards people with disabilities;
7. To enforce personal dignity and human rights;
8. To provide mechanisms to ensure effective monitoring and evaluation;
9. To empower learners and teach the necessary skills to become independent adults.



HOW TO ENROL:

STEP 1:

Apply to enrol with one of the following options:

1. Download and complete the application for admission form available on the website or from the Centre.
2. If necessary, contact the Centre for the required documents.

STEP 2:

Submit your completed application form along with all supporting documents (indicated on the application form) to the Centre (info@edu-learn.co.za).

STEP 3:

Application forms will be assessed.

STEP 4:

If successful, parents will receive communication, and the two week placement observation period will be scheduled.

STEP 5:

A welcome letter and invoice for a once-off non-refundable enrolment fee will be sent. Once the enrolment fee is paid, the learner's place is confirmed (please retain proof of payment for record purposes).

STEP 6:

Completion of a mandatory once - off parent training session.

STEP 7:

Please refer to www.edu-learn.co.za regularly to stay up to date with all the relevant news and arrangements.

