Early Years Learning Framework

Outcomes		Key components of learning
1. Children have a strong sense of identity		Children feel safe, secure and supported
		Children develop their emerging autonomy, inter-dependence, resilience and agency
		Children develop knowledgeable, confident self-identities and a positive sense of self-worth
		Children learn to interact in relation to others with care, empathy and respect
2. Children are connected with and contribute to their world		Children develop a sense of connectedness to groups and communities and an understanding of their reciprocal rights and responsibilities as active and informed citizens
		Children respond to diversity with respect
		Children become aware of fairness
		Children become socially responsible and show respect for the environment
3. Children have a strong sense of wellbeing		Children become strong in their social, emotional and mental wellbeing
		Children become strong in their physical learning and wellbeing
		Children are aware of and develop strategies to support their own mental and physical health and personal safety
4. Children are confident and involved learners		Children develop a growth mindset and learning dispositions such as curiosity, cooperation, confidence, creativity, commitment, enthusiasm, persistence, imagination and reflexivity
		Children develop a range of learning and thinking skills and processes such as problem solving, inquiry, experimentation, hypothesising, researching and investigating
		Children transfer and adapt what they have learned from one context to another
		Children resource their own learning through connecting with people, place, technologies and natural and processed materials
5. Children are effective communicators		Children interact verbally and non-verbally with others for a range of purposes
		Children engage with a range of texts and gain meaning from these texts
		Children express ideas and make meaning using a range of media
		Children begin to understand how symbols and pattern systems work
		Children use digital technologies and media to access information, investigate ideas and represent their thinking