The first choice for your child's future...

- Up to 30 hours free for 3-4 year olds per week to a maximum of 6 hours per day
- 100% fully qualified and registered teachers
- A Ministry of Education curriculum
- 1:10 teacher to child ratio
- Full day service 7.45am to 5.15pm
- Small groups
- Natural, spacious park-like environments
- 70 years experience and history of successful education in South Canterbury

The first choice for learning...

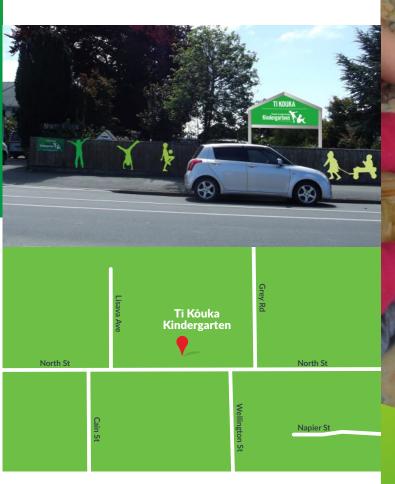
Children learn to:

- actively explore and discover
- think creatively and problem solve
- take responsibility
- experience early literacy and numeracy learning
- socialise and work in groups
- participate and be involved
- develop independence and confidence



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Ti Kouka Moemoea/Vision

Empowering and Growing a Community of Connected Learners

What we value most

Manaakitanga - Care

We value caring for others, our environment and ourselves

Kotahitanga - Unity

Working together in kotahitanga/unity is what we believe leads to the best outcomes for our Tamariki and their learning and wellbeing

Ako - Teaching and Learning

We provide support and nuture to grow a community inspired with a love of lifelong learning and a foundation of social preparedness

Nestled down a driveway away from the road sits a delightful learning space boasting big open play spaces, lots of opportunities to connect with nature, and a community committed to the best learning experiences for tamariki/children



Where they are encouraged to grow resilient, resourceful people who are socially competent and confident.

Ki te whakapaukaha i a ia anō, kia tipu hei rangatira mō āpōpō!



Tī Kōuka kindergarten is a culturally inclusive environment.

Ahakoa ko wai, ahakoa nō hea, he wāhi whakaute ki ngā ahurea katoa o te ao.



What others say about Tī Kōuka Kindergarten

Children

- I love having fun with my friends, playing in the playground, going on the swings
- I like putting my backpack away
- · I like friends, I like slime

Parents

Love the open space and the teachers are all friendly and welcoming. The flexible hours are great.

Our family loves the large natural outdoor space and the caring teachers who interact and get to know the children as individuals. It is this care that has made us feel confident that it is a great place for our children to be when they can't be at home.

Tī Kōuka has been our boys home away from home. A safe, fun, nurturing environment, physically and socially.

Education Review Office 2018 (Ministry of Education)

Children play in a calm, unhurried environment where teachers give them time to make decisions and learn from watching their peers. They experience warm, responsive and respectful interactions with each other and their teachers. Infants and toddlers sense of belonging is well supported through secure and respectful attachments with key teachers.

Children have many leadership opportunities as teachers sensitively support their growing confidence as learners. They have greater choice in their learning and confidently choose from a wide range of activities in the thoughtfully prepared, well-resourced indoor and outdoor areas.