

### WHAT IS PREP 4 PRESCHOOL?

Learning Links early intervention playgroup provides a relaxed, safe and engaging environment where play activities are tailored to enhance the development of your child. Our professional and experienced Early Childhood Educators and Therapists provide developmental information and guided support to help your child communicate, learn and play in preparation for a smooth transition to preschool.



### WHO CAN ATTEND?

- Families with a child aged from 2 years with additional needs, or who are facing difficulties regarding their child attending an early learning service such as preschool or childcare.
- Children must not currently be attending an early learning service.
- Your family must be able to attend the program one morning each week.
- Siblings are welcome to attend.



### HOW CAN THE PROGRAM HELP YOUR CHILD AND FAMILY?

Prep 4 Preschool playgroup is a gentle introduction to supporting and promoting your child's learning and development in a small group setting. You will have opportunities to meet other families and for your child to learn and play alongside other children. Your family will have support from staff to connect with a range of community supports, including preschools and childcare centres.



### HOME LEARNING PROGRAM

The Early Intervention team have developed a Home Learning Program for families interested in being part of our playgroup but unable to attend a centre due to COVID-19. The home program includes guided play-based activities to engage your child and support learning at home, as well as online Zoom Group Times with our centre-based families, educators and therapists.



### JOINING THE PROGRAM

To find out more about our playgroups or to come for a trial visit, please contact Melissa on **(02) 8525 8230** or email [prep4preschool@learninglinks.org.au](mailto:prep4preschool@learninglinks.org.au)

Or, you can enquire about joining the Prep 4 Preschool program via the Learning Links website: [www.learninglinks.org.au/playgroup](http://www.learninglinks.org.au/playgroup)



### DETAILS

**Where:** Learning Links Oatley – Cnr Oatley Avenue & Hurstville Road, Oatley NSW 2223

Rockdale Community Hub – 89 Cameron Street Rockdale NSW 2116

**Day:** Oatley – Every Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

Rockdale – Tuesday or Wednesday

Families must be enrolled and attend one session per week.

**Time:** 9.30am to 11.30am

**Cost:** The program is FREE

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