City of **Bayswater**



It's never to early to learn how to lead a healthy lifestyle, which includes everything from nutrition and physical activity to the importance of waste reduction and diversion.

This program is designed to teach young children how to make a positive impact on themselves and the environment through hands-on activities and education.

The program supports waste reduction and recycling opportunities for the early childhood centre, as well as teaching staff and children how to divert organic waste from the waste stream and compost it on site.

A waste reduction and wellbeing program for early learning and childcare centres in the City of Bayswater.

For more information



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Incursion - Worms

Options available for 2-3 year olds and 4-5 years olds.

Includes games and education about the three-bin system and a close up look at worms, including building a worm farm and learning how to feed the worms.

Incursion - Gardening

Options available for 2-3 year olds and 4-5 years olds.

Children will help set up and plant a raised garden bed and learn about the connection between eating nutrient rich food with processing food waste. The lesson includes learning about the types of food that can be grown, what plants need in order to grow and how to care for them.

The program includes:

- Waste audit to determine the quantity of organic waste produced on site.
- Consultation to discuss options for reducing waste on site.
- Teacher incursion to teach staff how to care for a worm farm and how to compost.
- Ongoing information and support.
- Questionnaire and evaluation survey.
- Final report including questionnaire and waste audit results, success and challenges, and staff feedback.

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