This kindergarten service is an approved kindergarten program provider under the Queensland Kindergarten Funding Scheme (QKFS).

**Kindergarten Program – details**

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| **Service type:**Kindergarten | | |
| **Service name:** Lowood & District Community Kindergarten Association Inc | | |
| **Address: 31 Daniel Street** | **Suburb:** Lowood | **Postcode:** 4311 |
| **Phone: (07) 54261859** | **Fax:** | |
| **Web: http://lowoodcandk.asn.au** | **Email: admin@lowoodkindy.com** | |

**Education Program – details**

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| Queensland Government Kindergarten Approved Program – providing programming compliant with the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guidelines  delivered by a Bachelor Qualified Early Childhood Teacher |

**Kindergarten Fees** (information current as at: **01/01/2021**)

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| **Total daily rate:**  (list the minimum cost of the kindergarten program as a rate per day) | 5 day fortnight fee:$35.31 (per day)  See *Application of QKFS*. Fees for eligible age children |
| **Inclusions in the total daily rate:**  (list inclusions, e.g. food, sunscreen) | *Sunscreen, Kindergarten Program* |
| **Enrolment conditions:**  (list commitment required of child to participate in the kindergarten program) | Minimum 15 hours per week for 40 weeks, or 600 hours per year |
| **Application of QKFS subsidy to reduce out-of-pocket expenses:**  (detail how the QKFS Plus Kindy Support and SEFIA Subsidy (if applicable) is passed on to eligible families)  **QKFS Plus**  Available for eligible families or child/ren that demonstrate **one** of the following criteria;   * a current Australian Government Health Care Card (HCC); or * a current Australian Government Pensioner Concession Card (automatic HCC entitlements); or * Department of Veterans’ Affairs Gold Card or White Card; or * Those who identify as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander * three or more children of the same age, enrolled in the same year. | SIEFA Subsidy (if applicable) is passed on to all eligible families and is detailed on your statement / invoice.  5 day fortnight fee:$26.00 (per day)  For eligible age children  QKFS Plus (if eligible) is passed on to eligible families on a weekly/ fortnightly basis and is detailed on your statement / invoice.  5 day fortnight fee:$0.00 (per day)  For eligible age children |

**Additional fees or levies**

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| **Item and purpose** | **Cost/frequency** | **Tax deductible Y/N** |
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Provider information does not represent the official position of the Queensland Government.

**Approved Kindergarten Program Providers**

As an approved provider, this service holds a current Queensland service approval for a centre based service, under the Education and Care Services National Law (National Law) or the Education and Care Services Act 2013, and an appropriate public liability insurance of at least $10 million. To be eligible to receive funding the service must provide a kindergarten program:

* To children who are at least 4 years of age by 30 June in their kindergarten year
* Delivered by a qualified early childhood teacher
* Aligned with the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guideline, or other education program approved by the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority
* For at least 15 hours a week, 40 weeks a year or a minimum of 600 hours over 37 weeks for services operated by non-state schools.

**The Australian and Queensland Governments are providing subsidies to support the delivery of kindergarten programs. For more information, please visit the Department of Education website:** **<https://earlychildhood.qld.gov.au/>**