1. General information

Centre name
: Wattle Park Kindergarten

Centre number
: 4610

Preschool Director
: Victoria Willcox

Postal address
: 2A Yeltana Avenue Wattle Park

Location address
: as above

Telephone number
: 08 83313619

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: 83646892

e-mail address
: Victoria.Willcox828@schools.sa.edu.au

DECD District
: Central East Partnership

Geographical location – i.e. road distance from GPO (km)
Wattle Park - 15mins from CBD

Enrolment/Attendance
: Maximum of 30 children per session

Co-located/stand-alone
: Stand Alone

Programs operating

Sessional Kindergarten for eligible children
- Sessions operate
  - Tuesday 8.15am to 3.45pm
  - Wednesday 8.15am to 3.45pm

- Bilingual Support
  As required in consultation with parents/guardians
• **Preschool Support**
  Available when needed.

• **Early Entry**
  Early entry is available for children with additional needs such as ESL, physical, intellectual needs and Autism Spectrum disorder.

2. **Key Centre Policies**

   Available on Kindergarten Website

   - Facebook Page Policy
   - Hot Weather Policy
   - Skin Protection Policy
   - Behaviour Guidance Code
   - Parent Concerns and Complaints Procedure
   - Healthy Food Supply and Nutrition Policy
   - Short Walks Policy
   - Media/Photo Policy

3. **Curriculum**

   Early Years Learning Framework

4. **Centre Based Staff**

   **Staff Profile**
   - 0.5 Director
   - 0.5 Teacher
   - 0.5 Early Childhood Worker

5. **Centre Facilities**

   **Buildings and grounds**
   The grounds are well kept and shady. The Kindergarten provides a number of outdoor activities available like the sandpit, decks, spaces for cubbies, picnics and areas for children to explore, discover and be creative.

   The indoor environment provides various areas for learning through play.

   **Capacity (per session)**


Centre Ownership
Burnside Council

Access for children and staff with disabilities
Building has ease of access for children with disabilities

6. Local Community

General characteristics:
Wattle Park is an established area in the Eastern suburbs.
Parent and community involvement in the preschool
Strong Governing Council, involved in a wide range of decision making.
Parents involved in curriculum development and support, social functions, cooking, clean-up, gardening and laundry.

Schools to which children generally transfer from this preschool
Magill Primary School, Burnside Primary School and a wide range of private schools. Other schools include Linden Park, Marryatville and Trinity Gardens including the Steiner stream.

Other local care and educational facilities, e.g. child care, schools, OSHC
There are substantial local childcare centres and Early Learning Centres.
Most local public and private schools offer OSHC.

Commercial/industrial and shopping facilities
Wattle Park has a nearby small shopping precinct and bakery, and nearby is the larger Erinandale shopping precinct.

Accessibility
Adelaide is approximately a 15 min drive from the preschool. There are numerous bus routes from the city which directly stop close the preschool and also come from Norwood so access is good.