

DEEPPLAY

The aim of this short presentation is to show you our Ethos **DEEPPLAY© we utilise in our childcare.**

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*n.b. As with all Early Years Providers we always work within the remit of the Government's statutory Early Years Foundation Stage. However, this curriculum only states WHAT is required, not HOW you should implement it. **DEEPPLAY**© is our solution to delivering exceptional childcare.*

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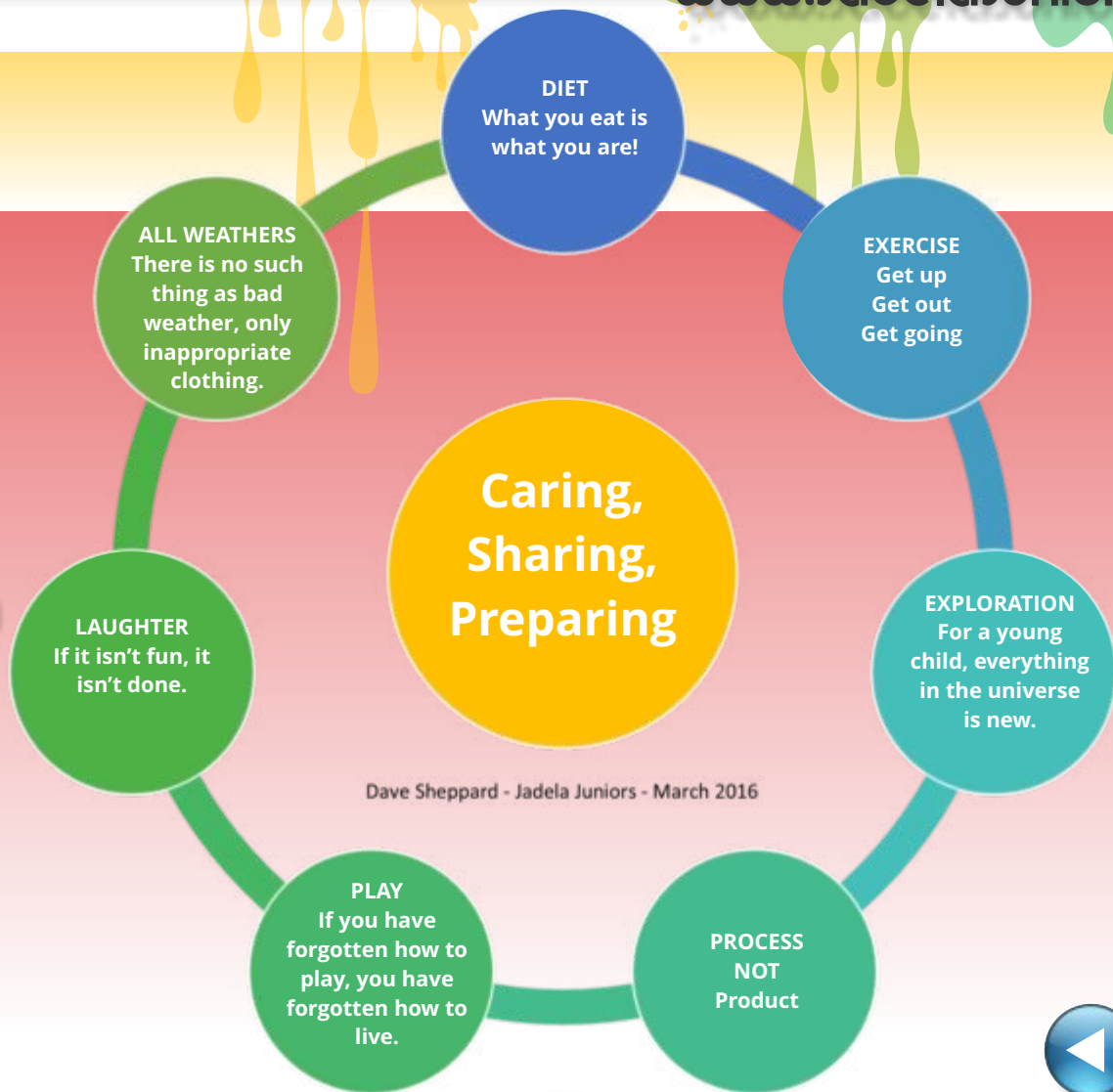


Our Ethos

DEEPPLAY

What is it?

Let's look at each
of these ideas in
more detail.



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DEEPPLAY - diet

A healthy, nutritionally balanced diet appropriately feeds the mind, body and soul. Eat well, eat regularly & eat healthily.

We always offer freshly prepared nutritional foods to aid your child's development and growth. You are what you eat!



DIET
What you eat
is what you
are!



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DEEPPLAY - exercise

Physical exercise drives the body to develop and grow.

Make play physical, inside and outside, through activities involving dance, running, balancing, climbing, jumping, slithering, rolling, building, kicking, throwing and catching.

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EXERCISE

Get up
Get out
Get going



DEEPPLAY - exploration

All the things you now take for granted are the very things your child is waiting to discover for the first time.

Recognise that your child will delight in the mundane, thrive on the ordinary, excite at the usual, and often want to repeat, repeat, repeat that experience.



EXPLORATION
For a young child,
everything in the
universe is new.

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DEEP PLAY - process

The end product of any process is not relevant, it is the journey from the beginning to the end that is important for a child. Learning a process (how to do something) is where all the learning takes place. What the final outcome actually looks like is totally irrelevant.



PROCESS
NOT
Product



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DEEP PLAY - play

We gradually lose our ability to play if we do not engage life with the same wonder we had as a child. Regain that insight as you share in your child's delight and amazement. This will significantly enhance your ability to engage your child in their discoveries and development.



PLAY
If you have
forgotten how to
play, you have
forgotten how to
live.



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DEEPLY - laughter

When you are having fun
your mind and body are at
their most receptive.



In this state of mind your
child wants to engage, loves to
learn, wants to be involved and
most of all wants to do it again
and again and again.

LAUGHTER
If it isn't fun,
it isn't done.



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DEEPPLAY - all weathers

Everything looks, feels and smells different as the weather changes.

Hot, warm, cold, windy, foggy, wet, snowy, icy – there is always something new and exciting to discover. The weather isn't the problem. The problem is the way we are dressed.



ALL WEATHERS
There is no such thing as bad weather, only inappropriate clothing.



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DEEPPLAY - yes we care

Everything we do is founded on the Early Years Foundation Stage statutory requirements.

At Jadela Juniors:

- we **C**are about our children
- we **S**hare everything with our Parents
- we **P**repare each child for school readiness



YES
we Care
we Share
and
we Prepare



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Caring, Sharing and Preparing



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We **Care** for your child
and for you.

You can view a PDF
version of our
All About Me form.

A thumbnail image of a PDF form titled 'All About Me'. The form is divided into sections for 'Your Child's Details', 'Your Child's History (Grandparents)', 'Your Child's Health', and 'Your Child's Health (Medical History)'. Each section contains fields for name, date of birth, and other personal information.

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Caring, Sharing and Preparing

We **Share** your child's development & learning with you.

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Caring, Sharing and Preparing

We ***Prepare*** your
child for their life's
learning Journey.

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version of our
*Record of Development
Summary* form.



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Recommended reference books

We have read and recommend the following books as excellent reference works and easy reads.

'Early Childhood – a guide for students' edited by Tina Bruce

'The Excellence of Play' edited by Janet Moyles

'Extending thought in Young Children' by Chris Athey

'Again! Again! Understanding Schemas' Edited by Sally Featherstone

'Heuristic Play' by Shiela Riddall-Leech

'Practical EYFS Handbook' by Penny Tassoni

'Feeding your Baby & Toddler' by Annabel Karmel



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and interesting.

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