ELC Diary Week 8 Term 2

Assessment in the early years is a process of gathering, analysing and interpreting the evidence about what children know, can do and understand. It is part of an ongoing cycle that includes, planning, documenting and evaluating. The primary purpose of assessment is to enhance learning and teaching. At ELC we hope to make our program and the children’s ongoing investigations, learning and participation evident through what we document and display. These displays are providing you with a snapshot of the learning that takes place during the children’s days at ELC. The documentation on display includes the ‘voices’ of the children, their work and thinking and a brief summary or explanation about the learning, written by an educator. Documentation is a connection we provide you with the program, please spend some time viewing the documentation that is currently presented for you within the ELC. Please ask if you would like some more information about the work you see.

Children reveal what they know when tasks are embedded in games and play, where the children enjoy and readily engage in the activities. Gelman 2009

A big welcome to Annie Hood who comes to us as a year 11 student from Seymour College. Annie is currently doing a VET course, Certificate 3 in Early Childhood Education and Care. Thank you for all the help you’ve given so far Annie.