

Your Outside School Hours Care

At every Camp Australia service, we provide an engaging and supportive space for children to play, connect, learn and grow.



What is OSHC?

OSHC stands for Outside School Hours Care. An OSHC service provides education and care for primary school-age children (generally aged 5 to 12 years) outside school hours and during school holidays. Depending on your school, it can cover Before School Care, After School Care and Vacation Care.

Why would OSHC suit your family?

At Camp Australia, our vision is 'To support families in achieving their dreams' and to do that we take a unique approach to OSHC based on over 30 years of experience.



Tailored programs for all

Our experienced educators involve your child in designing the experience they can expect in our service. From your enrolment guidance of their likes to the games and activities where we observe areas for them to grow; each program has your child at the heart of what we do each day.



A place for friendships to form

As life moves faster and play dates are harder to arrange, our OSHC service is a great place for your child to meet new friends and bond over shared interests.

We design programs that bring children together so they can connect and grow outside school hours.



Child Care Subsidy available

Eligible families can reduce the cost of care with a Government subsidy. This amount depends on your family circumstances. For more information simply log into my.gov.au and complete your Child Care Subsidy Assessment.



More time for you

Our service is available to all families no matter the need. We offer peace of mind so you can manage work, health, study or other types of responsibilities stress-free knowing that your child is engaged and happy in their experience with us.



Our industry leading approach: Your OSHC

Your OSHC service is also an integrated part of your school community. We tailor our program to your school's vision and values and also to your children's interests and needs. Our team of qualified educators works closely with you and your school's teachers to deliver a seamless transition to and from the classroom environment.

Whether your child has social, cultural, language-based, religious or individual needs, we work with the whole community to see how we can best support their unique needs.

Tailored programs for all: How we do it

As the most experienced OSHC provider, we have become experts in delivering extra-curricular learning outcomes for children. Enrichment, sport and activities are part of our unique programming approach which is customised for your children.

All experiences are carefully designed to deliver on specific learning outcomes, that align with the My Time, Our Place Framework for School Age Care in Australia. This approach means that programs are tailored to the individual needs and interests of each child who attend. No two days in OSHC are the same.

One day, the children could be creating their own magnifying glass and binoculars as part of a science enquiry, or aligned to National Recycling Week they could be making their own compost bins from recyclable materials, learning all about sustainability and how they can protect the planet.

The next day, children could be cooking dishes from around the world learning about nutrition and culture, or setting up a story group to share interesting things about themselves while gaining insights into their own identity.

To us, OSHC is a deliberate environment to help children grow.



Meals that nourish

We know good food is a necessity for growing minds and bodies, so our programs always include nourishment.

Our healthy eating philosophy operates at every service, every day. We focus on fresh produce and use at least 75% of the weekly food budget for seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables.

Outside of that your child's needs and interests determine our ingredients, whether they're dietary, cultural or religious needs. We just ask that you let us know when you register.

Our Before School Care programs offer a selection of:

- Porridge and muffins (Depending on service facilities)
- Healthy cereal, oats and milk
- Seasonal fresh fruits
- Wholemeal toast with a variety of toppings such as baked beans, spaghetti, honey or vegemite

At After School Care, our meal plans change all the time. But to give you a taste:

- Seasonal fruit and vegetable platters (70% of budget)
- Homemade hummus and rice crackers
- Salad sandwiches on wholemeal bread
- Popcorn
- Homemade banana bread

All weekly menus meet the Australian Dietary Guidelines. We've even developed our own cookbook so we can cater for the range



of different cooking facilities available at different services. Our cookbook contains around 100 delicious and easy to prepare savoury, sweet and no-bake recipes from around the world for our staff to deliver a variety of menu where the school facilities allow.



National Recycling Week Program

EXPERIENCES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Planned activity 1 Photo-diffusion Write an Art and Literature story about recycling.	Planned activity 2 Write a letter to the school principal about recycling.	Planned activity 3 Write a letter to the school principal about recycling.	Planned activity 4 Write a letter to the school principal about recycling.	Planned activity 5 Write a letter to the school principal about recycling.
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ZONES

Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3	Zone 4
Zone 1 This zone is for children who are new to the school.	Zone 2 This zone is for children who are familiar with the school.	Zone 3 This zone is for children who are confident in the school.	Zone 4 This zone is for children who are highly confident in the school.

Every OSHC session also offers children the choice between different zones should they not want to participate in the proposed planned experiences: Sports, Construction, Art and Craft, Homework, Mindfulness, Games are some of the options available.

Plus, each term we also have at least one themed and supported week like National Science Week, National Reconciliation Week or National Recycling Week.

And even though there is a theme for that week, our team of educators engage with each child during the planning stage to ensure the program still meets everyone's interests.

◀ Here is an example of what National Recycling Week in OSHC can look like.

While each day is different and offers a varied range of fun and engaging activities, we believe that there are three ingredients for a great program:

1. Creating a welcoming space for the children. We make sure that our OSHC rooms are tidy and organised with an atmosphere that encourages children to learn and have fun.
2. Conducting an engaging program where every child can learn new things and foster new friendships.
3. Having a great team of qualified educators who are part of the school community.

To find out more, speak to the Coordinator at your service who will be happy to take you through the detailed program for the service and answer any questions you may have. You can also visit www.cdc.gov.au and search for your school's service page for more information about the fees and times at your service.

HOLIDAY CLUB by Camp Australia



For children, the holidays are about fun, adventure and exploration; and that's what they'll get at Holiday Club. All our activities have been carefully designed to leave them feeling energised and stimulated while still providing learning opportunities for them to grow.

Our seasonal holiday program is about children feeling they are not at school. A week at Holiday Club could see your child taking part in dance parties to break down barriers and build their confidence, get creative with cooking activities that they could show you at home, go on a trip to the Zoo or many other excursion venues that we discover for each season. See an example of a day at your program and how we jam in as much activity as we can, so that they go home happy.

One of the benefits of being a Camp Australia customer is that you can access any of our Holiday Club locations Australia-wide.



Your child does not need to attend a particular school to attend any of our Holiday Club sessions. Maybe they have friends going to a different Holiday Club, perhaps they just like the program better, or you could require a service that is closer to your work. Our locations give you the ultimate choice.

To find out more, speak to your OSWC Coordinator or visit www.campaaustralia.com.au/holidayclubs and search for your local Holiday Club programs.



A day at your Holiday Club

6:30am Breakfast

Flexible Play options:
Comic Books + Bead Jewellery

8:45am Group Discussion

Sun Safety & Playing Fair

9:00am Activity

Create your own game
We'll discuss all different sports and then everyone can create their own game.



10:15am Morning Tea

10:30am Activity

Group time
Set up tents for picnic.
Outdoor games
Frisbee, Wit & Ball Catch, 44 Horses

12:00pm Lunch

in the picnic tents



12:30pm

Making refreshing lemonade to share

1:30pm Flexible Play

Board games + Playground +
Art Corner + Dress up Corner

3:00pm Group Game

Water-balloon Baseball

4:00pm Afternoon Tea

4:30pm until close

Key Activity
Mindfulness Meditations & Storytelling.
Flexible Play options
Group Games + Dance Party +
Horse Corner + Quiet Corner

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