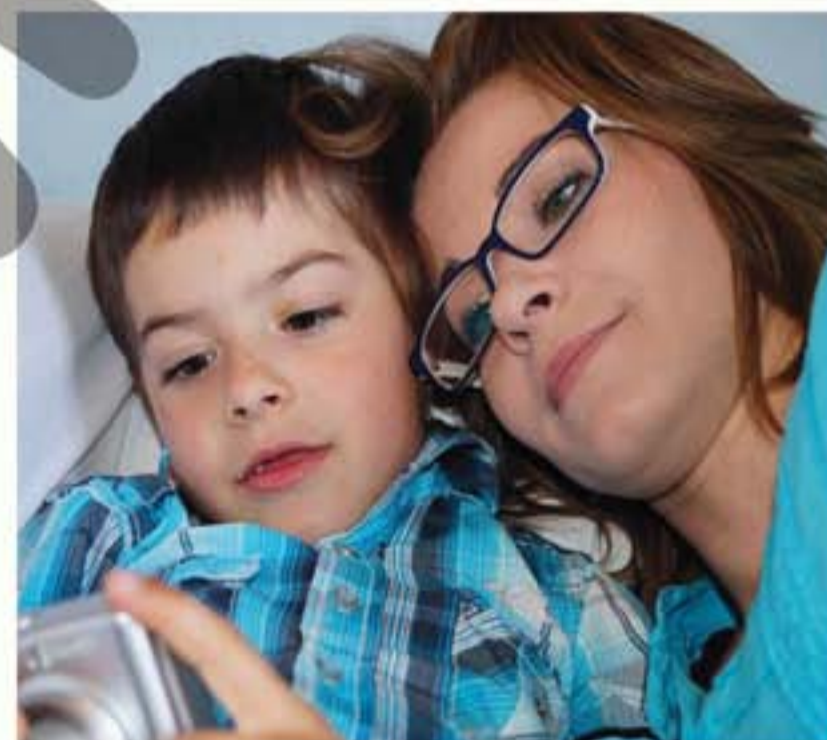


# Belonging



Within early childhood, a child's sense of belonging can relate to how comfortable a child is within the setting, having a sense of trust and security with Educators. When a child has a sense of belonging they are more confident, feel more secure, be more creative and more likely to explore the world of learning.

# Being



Within early childhood, a child's sense of being can relate to how Educators show respect to each individual child, through greetings, conversations and actions. When a child has a sense of being they build and maintain relationships with others, take part in life's journey and face challenges in everyday life.

# Becoming



Within early childhood, a child's sense of becoming, changes overtime as they gain knowledge, extend their understandings, create relationships and develop skills. This enables a child to learn to participate actively in today's society. It also refers to the changes they experience as they grow, learn and develop.