

## Children learn best when....

- they are in a safe environment where they are valued, respected and supported;
- they attend school regularly;
- home and school work in partnership;
- learning outcomes are clear, visible and measurable;
- they are given the chance to set personal goals and reflect on their learning;
- their learning goals are challenging but achievable;
- learning experiences are meaningful, engaging and connected to their prior learning;
- necessary skills are explicitly taught and opportunities are given to practice, apply and master these skills;
- learning experiences are tailored to their individual needs;
- they receive constructive and timely feedback;
- they feel safe to take risks and use mistakes as a learning tool;
- they are taught how to work independently and as part of a team; and
- they hold themselves accountable for their success as a learner.