



McDowall OSHC caters for a large number of families in the local community. We see approximately 350 different children each week.

We currently have funding for:

- ✓ 238 positions per afternoon
- ✓ 120 positions per morning
- ✓ 120 positions per vacation care day
- ✓ 238 positions per student free day

The number of children we can take each session – morning, afternoon and vacation care – is dependent upon how many CCB places we are granted. Child Care Benefit (CCB) and Child Care Rebates (CCR) are payable to all eligible families that utilise a child care facility of some type (e.g. long day, outside school hours' care service, etc.). **All families must provide us with their Family & Children's CRN's from Centrelink. Contact 136150 for further information and details on your eligibility.**

Our three care options are:

1. Permanent care
2. Casual care
3. Alternate week care – fortnightly care based on custody arrangements.

Casual spaces available dependent on availability.

All booking and cancellation requests are to be in writing – preferably by email to admin@mcdowallos.org.au.

Extra-Curricular Activities

We drop off and collect children to/from these activities if the start and finish times coincide with our opening hours.

However, during these activities the children are not under OSH supervision and are the responsibility of the activity facilitator.

Enrolments for 2017 – Book ASAP to reserve your place!

All enrolments for 2017 are to be submitted through the QKEnrol - Family Lounge Portal via the McDowall SS P&C Association website.

<http://mcdowallss.com/outsidehoursschool>

HOURS

Before School Care

6:30 – 8:30 am

After school care

2:30 – 6:30 pm

Vacation and Pupil Free Day Care

6:30 am – 6:30 pm

Public Holidays & Two Weeks

Over Christmas/New Years

FEES

Before School Care

Preps - \$16.25*

School Age - \$15.50

After School Care

Preps - \$20.50*

School Age - \$19.50

Vacation Care

Full Day - \$50

4-Hr Block - \$30**

Annual Registration Fee

\$25 per family

Breakfast and afternoon tea is provided every day.

(Kitchen closes at 7:30am for all breakfast orders)

*Preps are escorted to their classrooms after Before School Care and collected from their classrooms before After School Care

**A 4hr block is available anytime throughout the day (may not be available on excursion days)

McDowall Outside School Hours Care

**C/ McDowall State School
1018 Rode Rd
McDowall, 4053**

E: admin@mcdowallos.org.au

Phone: 3353 5755

Post: PO Box 2

Everton Park QLD 4053

Fun things we offer at OSH!

Below is an example of the weekly program that we offer at OSH of a morning and afternoon.

Activities for week beginning Monday 17th October 2016

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning					
Outdoor Education Activity Building / Bottom Oval	Student Free day	Soccer 	Silent ball 	Bib tag 	Red Rover 
Creative & Expressive Arts Playroom	Student Free day				
Nutrition & Sustainability	Student Free day	Sensory play: Dinosaurs 	Environmental Learning Area 		Gardening 
Afternoon					
Outdoor Education Bottom Oval	Student Free day	Hockey 			
Outdoor Education Activity Building	Student Free day	Throw and Catch 	Badminton 	Scooter Boards 	Ribbon Dancing 
Outdoor Education Middle Oval Outdoor Education	Student Free day		Bug Catching 		
Environmental Area	Student Free day			Plant exploration	
Creative Arts Playroom	Student Free day	Hama Beads 	Board Games 	Box Construction 	Hama Beads 
Expressive Arts TV Room	Student Free day	Role-play: Puppet 			Body scan Meditation 
Creative Arts	Student Free day	Making Puppets 	Olympic Rings 	Environmental area 	Fish Aquarium 
Expressive Arts Activity Building	Student Free day	Sports Program 	Sports Program 	Sports Program 	Sports Program 
Nutrition & Sustainability	Student Free day	Environmental 2 2 nd Green Star Challenge.... What items can be put into the recycle bin and what items need to be put into general waste? 	Cooking Children will be making their own customized smoothie today. 	Environmental 1 We are going to weave grass in the environmental learning area. 	Gardening Our raised garden beds will be getting our attention today and we will be mulching all garden beds. 

Environment

The OSH building has multiple areas for the children. Added bonus is that our building has ducted reverse cycle air-conditioning for those hot and cold days.

We also include extensive use of outdoor spaces.

Planning

When designing and creating the weekly program, our three lead educators integrate Outdoor Education, Nutrition and Sustainability and Creative and Expressive Arts into a diverse and rich leisure based learning environment for all children. This allows us to drive our programming to cater to all children's needs.

Menu

We have created a rotating and evolving menu, that offers children nutritious and enjoyable options.

Vacation Care

During vacation care we offer a huge array of both incursions and excursions. We offer exciting and interactive opportunities that allow children to both enjoy themselves whilst also learning new things.