

# Department for Education, Children and Young People Strategic Plan 2024 – 2030

**OUR WHY**      **Bright lives. Positive futures.**

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**OUR HOW**      **Every child and young person is:**

**Known**, heard and included      **Safe** in all environments      **Well** and thriving      **Learning** more every day

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**OUR BELIEF**      **The rights of children and young people are upheld in all that we do, particularly the right to an education, to influence decisions that affect them, and to be safe from harm.**

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**OUR VALUES**

 **Connection**

Building positive relationships and a sense of belonging.

The Connection value icon was illustrated by Tanya Harper.

 **Courage**

Accepting challenges and embracing opportunities.

 **Growth**

Aspiring to learn, and improving, even when it is tough.

 **Respect**

Caring for ourselves, each other, and our environment.

 **Responsibility**

Stepping up and doing what is right.

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**OUR FOUNDATIONS**

A valued and capable workforce

Strong partnerships with children and young people, families and community

Improvement informed by inquiry and evidence

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge the Tasmanian Aboriginal Community as the traditional and continuing custodians of Lutruwita, where Palawa have cared for their children and prepared them for life since the beginning of time. We honour Elders, past and present. We are committed to ensuring every Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander child and young person is known, safe, well and learning.