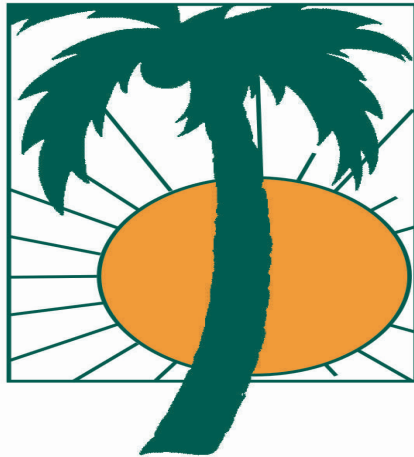


Treasure Island Child Care Philosophy



Waldorf

Aims to awaken the child's innate sense of wonder

There is awe & reverence for life

Vitality is restored in childhood by infusing the learning process with love and enthusiasm

Cultivate the child's capacity for clear thinking

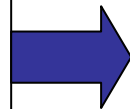


Steiner

All children have different styles of learning

Children absorb everything around them through play, experimentation, modelling & being exposed to real life situations

Allow children to communicate & experiment with their own creative ideas & impulses

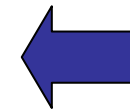


Treasure Island

Enhances each child's developmental stage

Encourages children to use initiative, imagination & flexibility
Recognises childhood as a special phases of life in its own rights & not just preparation for later life

Will ensure children are not discriminated against on the basis of gender, age, ability, economic status, family structure, lifestyle, ethnicity, religion, language or nation of origin



Vygotsky / Piaget

Developmental Cognitive theory's which include the child's ability to mentally represent the world, use social speech, solve problems & scaffold as they learn

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