

The Teaching Team

We have four qualified, registered and certificated teachers here at Cornerstone Christian Preschool, and one wonderful untrained teacher, who is also our administrator. In addition to this, we have relieving trained, untrained or teachers currently training, and at times, primary trained teachers. The teaching team is stable and cohesive, and there is a special sense of harmony and working together with a shared vision and purpose.



(From left): Marion Sheed (Supervisor), Ruth Pinkney (Administrator and Relieving Teacher), Kathleen Christensen (Teacher), Kate Southward (Teacher) and Shiree Sahayam (Teacher)

At Cornerstone Christian Preschool we are passionate about Christian education in early childhood. It is during the early years that the foundations are formed for the rest of a child's life – and what better a time to learn biblical values, develop a strong sense of being loved and cherished by a wonderful God and those around him or her, and to be encouraged in the unique gifts and talents that lie within. When learning in a caring and nurturing environment, with plenty of support and encouragement, young children can blossom and flourish, and stand tall in the knowledge of who they are. We love to encourage children to be creative in all sorts of areas, to explore, and discover their world, and to be excited about learning.

Our philosophy can be summarised in a few words:



Love God – Arohatia a Ihu Karaiti

Love learning – Arohatia te ākonga

Love one another – Arohatia ki ngā tāngata katoa

Marion Sheed
Supervisor