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NSW community preschools are in crisis

Quality

Community preschools set the standard for early childhood education and care, and are 3 x more likely to be rated high quality than for profit services.

Safety

Community preschools have low rates of safety breaches because they are:

- staffed by professional and experienced teachers
- managed by volunteer committees of parents who prioritise children's education and safety - not profit.

Pay

Community preschool teachers are paid up to 30% less than teachers in schools with the same qualifications and roles.

We call on the NSW government to fund community preschools fairly



Early Childhood Education & Care



IEU the union for early childhood teachers

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