

Growing Curious Minds: Learning Through Exploration and Mistakes

Dear Families,

At Imagine Education Group, we believe that children are powerful learners who grow through curiosity, exploration, and experience. One of the most important foundations we support is a growth mindset – the understanding that learning happens over time through effort, persistence, and trying new things.



Children learn best when they feel safe to explore, wonder, and even make mistakes. Mistakes are not something to avoid; they are an important part of learning. Through trial and error, children test ideas, solve problems, and build resilience.

Each attempt — successful or not — helps their thinking grow.

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In our learning spaces, educators model curiosity by thinking aloud and wondering out loud with children. You might hear questions like:

“I wonder what will happen if...?”

“What could we try next?”

“That didn’t work the way we expected — what did we learn?”



When adults model curiosity and openness, children learn that it’s okay to try, adjust, and try again.

What Can You Do?

At home, families play a powerful role in supporting this mindset.

You can help by:

Praising effort, persistence, and curiosity, rather than just outcomes

Encouraging children to explain their thinking

Using language that values learning, such as:

“You kept trying — that’s great problem-solving.”

“What do you think might happen if...?”

“That was tricky — what did you learn from it?”

When children hear these messages consistently at home and at the centre, they begin to see themselves as capable learners who are not afraid to explore, ask questions, and take risks.

Thank you for partnering with us to nurture confident, curious, and resilient learners.

Warm regards,
Pedagogy and Curriculum Team