

VVE-referral

Some children need some extra support with their development. These children can get a VVE-referral. This referral is given by the Child healthcare centre (consultatiebureau). In Wageningen there are two VVE-coordinators who maintain contact between the local council, the providers of VVE, schools and the Child healthcare centre. If your child has a VVE-indication we will contact the coordinators after enrollment, they grant the permission to place the child. Kindercentrum Schateiland has employed its own VVE-consultant. After placing your child the VVE consultant will make an appointment for an introductory conversation out your home. When your child turns 4 years old, the consultant personally transfers any information to the primary school.

Piramide method

The VVE (Vroege- en voorschoolse educatie, early childhood education and care) method that Kindercentrum Schateiland works with is called the Piramide method. We have chosen this method because Piramide stimulates the development of young children in a playful way. With a smart combination of activities the children get a grip on the world while being in a safe environment. Piramide offers every child the opportunity to develop optimally. Children that enroll with a delay/disadvantage in development can catch up without it affecting the children that don't have a delay/disadvantage. Piramide offers room for input and initiatives from both the staff and the children. Children discover the world while playing. With challenging activities by Piramide this is a treat. Initially the initiative is with the children, when needed the staff will help with playing and learning. By working with Piramide all the different areas of development of children will be stimulated.

The main goal of Piramide is to playfully stimulate the development of young children in a safe environment and a positive educational climate. This way educational delays/disadvantages can be prevented and/or reduced.

VVE at Kindercentrum Schateiland

At Kindercentrum Schateiland we work with themes. During the annual planning of the themes, goals from SLO (national expertisecentrum leerplanontwikkeling, national expertise centre curriculum development) are connected to these themes. We choose new goals every year. This way the offer of activities is broad and the ongoing learning curve to primary school can be guaranteed.

At Kindercentrum Schateiland we offer VVE in both toddler groups stated below:

Toddlergroups de Maansteentjes and the Juweeltjes

De Parels and De Juweeltjes are daycare groups for toddlers from the age of 2 to 4 years old. De Parels and De Juweeltjes are opened 51 weeks out of the year from 8.00 to 18.00 o'clock. Children without VVE referral play together at the groups.