

- The Pedagogical Leader conducts research and provides resources to Educators and Practice Mentors to support sound pedagogy and exceptional practice. Research includes innovative teaching methodologies, engaging learning environments, theoretical perspectives, positive relationships and connections with children, behaviour support and Inclusion and diversity.
- Pedagogical Leader interacts, guides, supports and facilitates the role of the Educational Leader and the Practice Mentor team.
- The Pedagogical Leader builds competence and capability by conducting inhouse professional development training to Practice Mentors and 1 to 1 mentoring and guidance to Educators. The Pedagogical Leader supports, informs and guides the Programming Enrichment Plan.
- The Pedagogical Leader supports Educators in implementing the curriculum based on the NQF and The EYLF and MTOP (version 2.0). The Pedagogical Leader facilitates inhouse service professional development as per identified learning opportunities and trends.
- Visits Educators virtually or face to face to provide guidance on programming and planning or practices and shape the educational learning environment. The Pedagogical Leader tailors their approach to the diverse learning styles and Backgrounds of Educators and Practice Mentors.
- Engages Educators and Practice Mentors in reflective practices that enhance their pedagogical strategies and creates an atmosphere where continuous improvement is encouraged and valued.
- The Pedagogical Leader ensures a collaborative approach and acts as an advocate for the needs and interests of both Educators and children. The Pedagogical Leader assists Educators to reach their full potential, ultimately enriching the learning experiences of children.

### Key Links:

Sage Journals - The role of early childhood pedagogical leaders in schools: Leading change for ongoing improvement

<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/abs/10.1177/18369391221130788>

### Enhance Policies:

Educational Program and Practice

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/1t66an8rp1rovxpls76r/Enhance-FDC-Educational-Program-and-Practice-Policy-FINAL.pdf?rlkey=b42vm9szg7ozbrg8u8uuky2ma&st=mvr2de86&dl=0>