

# Play Center in New Zealand

## About Play Center.....

The play center is a child-care facility.

And the place that a protector substitutes for a teacher, and takes care of the children.

It is different from a Japanese kindergarten.

Education of a free style to let the children do what they want.

In addition , a protector handcrafts children's toys.

They think about the security of children first.

They made clay using wheat flour, too.

They put much salt in the clay.

Because children put it in their mouths and do not swallow it.

The clay behaves in different ways when it contains water and when it contains hot water. The discovery is learned not only by children but also adults. Unlike general education, the point is that parents and children learn together.



Materials to prepare the clay into ↑

## The story of a protector working in Playcenter.....

She said “ It is very hard to work in Playcenter. We have to do everything.

The center can take charge of children 9:00 to 12:00,it costs 45 dollars to 60 dollars,three days or two days in a week.The he rate is fixed by the number of times to go to the playcenter. As for 3 years old or more , 20 hour childcare charges are free in the NewZealand each month. The number of children is different every day,but is from eight to ten children.

Finally,the children have a lot of friends by going to the Playcenter. A child cen become independent. She said that it

was only to let a child go to the Playcenter.



Playground equipment ↑



Baby's area →