

## Social environment orientation

Children learn by observing and exploring their living environment. In this way, a child is confronted with its own identity and the diversity in its social environment. It is our task to support the personal development of every child while at the same time accepting different lifestyles.

**Our facilities are places of meeting shaped by tolerance and understanding.**

## Outlaw gGmbH

Outlaw gGmbH - a not-for-profit child and youth welfare organization comprised of more than 180 facilities and teams throughout Germany, in which over 4000 children and adolescents together with their families receive counseling and support. Our greatest strength are our 1200 employees who invest all their competence, expertise and creativity in their work.

Our flexible and innovative support programs tap directly into available personal resources and work in close cooperation with other social agencies on site in our clients' social environments.

**Outlaw is committed to advancing:**

- ◆ Families
- ◆ Leisure and cultural activities for children, adolescents and their families
- ◆ Solidarity across generations
- ◆ Neighborhood development

Outlaw gGmbH is a state-approved child and youth welfare services provider and a member of the German Federation of Welfare Associations (Deutscher Paritätischer Wohlfahrtsverband).

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## Daycare at Outlaw

Outlaw gGmbH provides models for daycare facilities distinguished both by innovation and flexible opening hours.

To us, a daycare facility's educational concept is one of its significant attributes.

Our offers always take into consideration the individual conditions on the site for which they are planned.

## Learning by playing!

Children are born explorers, they have a need to learn and discover their world.

While playing freely, they experience their self-efficacy ("I can do that") and thus learn that they can make a difference.

The joy of doing and succeeding establishes the lasting motivation to bravely try new things over and over, while maintaining a high level of concentration. Our staff supports children on this path. By providing playing facilities and opportunities for both learning and development, we seek to encourage children in their development to independent and socially competent individuals.

**Learning that is both situational and suitable for children is fun and exciting! To children, playtime is learning time!**

## Our view of children

Each and every child, with its individual and developmental needs, is at the center of our work.

At our daycare facilities, children have the opportunity to live out their autonomy during free play and thus experience their own self-efficacy.

Our professionally trained employees support each child according to its age and developmental stage in realizing its individual potential.

Children also learn to accept responsibility and to solve conflicts.

**We stand for a holistic approach to education that takes into consideration each child's social, individual and environmental situation.**

## Participation

It is vital to us to involve each child in decision-making according to his or her developmental stage. Children can and should participate in designing programs and projects as well as their environment or the rules of living together.

**Each child has the right to participate!**

## Integration and inclusion

Integration and inclusion form an important foundation of our work and our attitude.

Daycare is a meeting point for children of different ages, gender and ability level as well as of different cultures, religious or ethnic and social origin and nationality.

Experiencing this individuality is invaluable to the development of children.

Our professionally qualified employees promote the process of accepting differences so the children make positive experiences in social interaction.

**Children are different and each child is unique!**

## Educational partnership with parents

The inclusion and participation of parents forms a significant attribute of our educational work.

Active cooperation between education professionals and parents, assistance with problems, family counseling, and family education are all hallmarks of our work: We provide counseling, relief and support for parents who have questions surrounding the raising of their children.

**The daycare facility as a family-supporting, reliable partner.**