

# Leadership in early childhood education



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**Leadership in early childhood education is the responsibility of both positional leaders and all teachers**

## Effective leadership practices include:

- building trust with all team members
- fostering a culture that promotes openness to change, risk taking, and innovation
- supporting leadership in others through mentoring and coaching
- ensuring access to and leading professional learning
- promoting ongoing improvement through internal evaluation
- reflecting on their own leadership practices



## Teachers can develop their own leadership practice by:

- building and sustaining trusting relationships
- being culturally responsive in their practice
- actively participating in professional learning and keeping up to date with research
- contributing expertise to the sharing and building of knowledge participating in networks