

## *Inquiry Learning is WONDER-ful!*

Nova's Ark **Out of the Box** program is building new ways of learning with a focus on the questions and ideas asked every day.

Inquiry learning starts with natural curiosity for the things that happen every day. Asking *Why* is the start to exploring and learning about the world. From the questions that are asked, new information and communication can be explored to find out more. Investigating through building a project or doing an experiment, or just watching what happens, can lead to new ideas to talk about. Through the process, learners are supported to go from where they are to where they need to go next.



The natural environment of Nova's Ark is a perfect place to experience all the extraordinary, ordinary events that happen around us each day. Falling snow, puddles, goats, and worms are all there to be observed and explored.

Our first step in bringing this learning style to our participants is the creation of the ***I Wonder Wall***. This window into the questions that can be generated will be put together collaboratively and displayed in the multi-purpose room to start our inquiries. Watch us get curious!

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***Imagine children who continually question why things look and function the way that they do. Where their natural sense of wonder is at the centre of their learning and informs the direction it will take.***

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