

United. We do more.

Support and care for 100,000 Victorians in need.



All that kids can be | Supporting children and youth to grow up healthy and achieve success



Trend

Growing up can be tough. Not every parent has access to the essential building blocks to raise a healthy child. Too often preschoolers are not ready to learn and children do not have a safe place to go after school. Alarming numbers of young people are not completing high school and are experiencing unemployment.



Goal

To help children and youth get on the right path to succeed in life by investing in their development from early childhood to young adulthood.



Strategy

United Way strives to help infants grow into healthy children; offers the support children need to start and succeed in school; empowers young people to make successful transitions into the workforce or post-secondary education.



Our Investments

We fund programs and services that:

- Support individuals to be strong parents
- Assist children to be ready for school
- Build positive role models and mentoring for children and youth
- Support youth to stay in school and transition to a meaningful work life



Impact of Investment

With community support in 2016, United Way invested over \$990,600 to provide children and youth with the resources and opportunities they need to grow up healthy and achieve success. As a result, children and youth accessed 36 programs related to school readiness, school achievement and a successful transition into adulthood and the workforce.

Some results from our 2016 funding cycle:

- 11,199 kids increased their positive sense of identity and were encouraged to make healthy lifestyle choices
- 3,849 youth received the support they needed to succeed in school and develop key life skills
- 3,115 children and youth established positive relationships with their peers

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