



POSITION VACANT

Childcare Educator – Educational Leader (Qualified)

Located approximately 550km south-west of Cairns and just south of the base of the Gulf of Carpentaria, in the heart of the Gulf Savannah country, lies the quaint and beautiful town of Croydon, Qld. Rich in history, boasting beautiful heritage buildings, the iconic Gulflander train, stunning sunsets and numerous trails for birdwatching, bushwalking, mountain biking and trail running. Croydon offers a unique Outback experience while providing all the necessary services, including a supermarket, healthcare centre, schooling, and recreational facilities.

The Position: This position is responsible for assisting the director in facilitating a safe and nurturing environment where children can explore, learn and engage in activities that promote social interaction, cognitive skills, and emotional resilience.

The role involves promoting a culture of mutual respect and working collaboratively with the Director and other staff members to deliver a high-quality Early Childhood Education and Out of School Hours Care service. This service must align with all aspects of the National Quality Framework, while also inspiring a love of learning and building a strong foundation for each child's future success.

Skills / Experience Required: To be successful in the role, you will need a:

- Certificate III or Diploma in Children's Services
- Current First Aid/CPR/Anaphylaxis and Asthma Certificate and ability to maintain qualification
- Current and valid Positive Notice for working with children blue card
- Police Check
- Demonstrated knowledge and understanding of regulatory and legislative requirements and standards for childcare.
- Ability to communicate effectively with children, families and staff through formal and informal communication channels
- Demonstrated skills, knowledge and experience

The position description can be downloaded from Council's website www.croydon.qld.gov.au

For further information about the position please contact Council's Business Manager, Stephen Frost, on 07 4748 7100 or email sfrost@croydon.qld.gov.au

Applications are to include a covering letter, resume and at least 2 references and

Emailed to: Human Resources Officer, Croydon Shire Council admin@croydon.qld.gov.au or delivered to: Croydon Shire Council Administration Office, 63 Samwell Street, Croydon Qld 4871

This position will remain open until filled. Applications will be assessed as they are submitted.

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Chief Executive Officer

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