

# Learning to love learning

A great way to meet other people and give your child opportunity to socialise with other children in readiness for /or in conjunction with their preschool or long day care experiences.



Child and Family Services students provide a variety of experiences based on the

observed interests of the children under the guidance of our qualified, experienced early childhood teachers. Students use playsession to complete many of their practical assessment tasks.

“Each child is a unique individual”



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# Playsession



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# What is Playsession ?

Playsession is organized by the Child and Family Services Section at the Coffs Harbour Education Campus. Playsession provides students enrolled in a variety of Children's Services courses to have hands on practical experiences, working with young children and their families. Playsession allows the students to put into practice the theory taught in class. Consistent attendance from families would be appreciated for students to complete all assessment tasks.

Playsession gives children, their families and carers the opportunity to be immersed in current Early Childhood Education :

\*Interest based learning through experimenting, investigating and discovery.

\*Developing independence, social skills, and positive relationships.

\*Creating a warm and welcoming home like, sustainable & natural environment..



## Our Students

Students and staff will, for their assessment tasks, observe children closely, using a variety of recording methods including written, photographic and children's work samples. We are delivering a number of courses this year including the Diploma in Children's Services and the Certificate II & III in Children's Services. All students will be wearing TAFE embroidered polo shirts and badges so they can be easily identified. Please do not hesitate to ask them about their studies.



## Our Staff

All staff delivering playsession are qualified Early Childhood Teachers, with University Degrees. They have a wide range of experience in a number of different early childhood services and are a wealth of information.

Also on Playsession each week we have Sharon Shuttleworth, our Class Support Officer in attendance who coordinates playsession. .

## Playsession Timetable

Tues, Wed, Thurs mornings 9:30 -11:30 am.

All playsessions are held in OG42 at the Coffs Harbour Education Campus on Hogbin Drive.

To enrol into these playsessions you will need to ring **Sharon Shuttleworth on 66593609 or 66593641**



There is a weekly individual fee for a single child or family, \$5:50 for one child, \$7.70 for two or more children.

Families are invited to bring along a healthy morning tea snack , a hat for all family members for outdoor play and provide adequate clothing for all weather conditions. Tea & coffee are provided for all parents/carers.

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