ALYSSA DUNN

Early Childhood Teacher

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PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

Patience
Empathy
Communication
Teamwork
Collaboration
Motivation
Integrity

QUALIFICATIONS

Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood) – University of Southern QLD 2024

Certificate IV: Education Support North Brisbane Institute of TAFE 2015

Working with children check – Exp. Feb 2024

First Aid, CPR, Asthma, Anaphylaxis – Exp. July 2024

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Highly motivated, enthusiastic, and dedicated Early Childhood Teacher who wants all students to be successful learners. Due to graduate with a Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood) in January 2024, and experienced in play-based and inquiry learning pedagogies. Passionate about children's wellbeing and holistic education. Can contribute an excellent work ethic, a passion for helping others and a dedication to ensuring a healthy learning environment.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Early Childhood Teacher Mango Hill Early Learning

2022-2023

- Plan and implement the Kindergarten program in line with QKLG Curriculum requirements
- Observe, document, assess and extend children's learning both during spontaneous and intentional teaching moments
- Research, source and book extra-curricular activities to support children's learning eg: Life Education Incursion
- Build and maintain positive reciprocal relationships with children, families and staff
- Create and implement support plans for children with exceptional needs
- Supervise and mentor training educators
- Successfully applied for and received a \$1000 grant from Woolworths to establish a Bush Tucker Garden

REFERENCES

Tegan Bourke-Director Mango Hill Early Learning 07 3053 3897

Aleesa Swindlehurst-Supervising Teacher Bellmere State School 07 5498 0666

Nicola Welsh-Head of Teaching and Learning Genesis Christian College 07 3882 9000

Jo Forrest-Teacher Grace Lutheran Primary School 07 3283 0011 Pre-Service Teacher Undurba State School, Bellmere State School

2020-2023

- 8 x weeks in Prep, 3 x weeks in Grade 1
- Planned, taught and assessed units of work in all core subjects
- Participated in moderation of assessment, staff meetings, parent meetings, excursions, and professional development opportunities
- Differentiated lessons to support individual students' needs
- Playground duties
- Volunteered to support pre-prep transition events

Teacher Aide

Grace Lutheran College, Grace Lutheran Primary School, Genesis Christian College

2016-2021

- Provide academic and social/emotional support to students with verified disabilities and learning difficulties
- Liaise with teachers and advocate for students' needs and curriculum modifications
- Ensure modifications and adaptions are implemented for students with disabilities
- Maintaining anecdotal records of students' progress and reporting back to the teacher
- Successfully advocated for Teacher Aide professional development and negotiated whole school membership to Australian Teacher Aide professional development network
- Work closely with classroom teacher/s to ensure a successful learning environment
- Literacy and numeracy instruction to individual students and small groups
- Monitor and manage behavior in the playground
- Interpret and implement lesson plans as prepared by the teacher