**JOB DESCRIPTION**

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| **Agency** | Department of Education | **Work Unit** | Student Wellbeing and Inclusion |
| **Job Title** | Education Advisor Early Childhood Intervention | **Designation** | Senior Teacher 1 |
| **Job Type** | Full Time | **Duration** | Ongoing |
| **Salary** | $116,331 | **Location** | Alice Springs |
| **Position Number** | 19270 | **RTF** | 162882 | **Closing** | 25/03/2019 |
| **Contact** | Christine Absalom, Senior Education Advisor Early Childhood Intervention on 08 8944 9394 or christine.absalom@nt.gov.au |
| **Agency Information** | <https://nt.gov.au/education> |
| **Information for Applicants** | **Applications must be limited to a one-page summary sheet and an attached detailed** **resume/cv**. For further information for applicants and example applications: [click here](https://ocpe.nt.gov.au/nt-public-sector-employment/Information-about-ntps-employment/applying-for-and-filling-jobs/employment-templates-and-guidelines) |
| **Information about Selected Applicant’s Merit** | If you accept this position, a detailed summary of your merit (including work history, experience, qualifications, skills, information from referees, etc.) will be provided to other applicants, to ensure transparency and better understanding of the reasons for the decision. For further information: [click here](https://ocpe.nt.gov.au/nt-public-sector-employment/Information-about-ntps-employment/applying-for-and-filling-jobs/information-for-applicants) |
| **Special Measures** | The NTPS values diversity and aims for a workforce which is representative of the community we serve. Therefore under an approved **Special Measures** recruitment plan, ATSI applicants will be given priority consideration and preference in selection for this vacancy if they meet all essential selection criteria and are suitable at the position level. For further information: [click here](https://ocpe.nt.gov.au/nt-public-sector-employment/Information-about-ntps-employment/special-measures) |
| **Apply Online Link** | <https://jobs.nt.gov.au/Home/JobDetails?rtfId=162882>  |

**Primary Objective:** Provide early childhood (0-6 years), special educational support and assistance to families and school communities to enable children/students to participate in appropriate educational programs in line with the Students with Disabilities Policy.

**Context Statement:** Student Wellbeing and Inclusion provides services to schools across the NT. The Education Advisor Early Childhood Intervention is part of a multi-disciplinary team of specialist advisory teachers who work with other service providers from government and non-government agencies.

**Key Duties and Responsibilities:** Plan and deliver an effective advisory service to families and school communities for children/students based within Early Childhood Intervention best practice. Provide professional support (eg. assessment, advice, mentoring, intervention programs, resources and professional learning including online learning) to individuals, groups, school communities and other agencies, in cross-cultural and multilingual contexts. Work in consultation with schools, families and related government and non-government agencies to identify special educational needs and design inclusive education programs for children/students. Managean allocated caseload and participate in individual case conferences, ensure adequate records are maintained and Student Wellbeing and Inclusion protocols and processes are implemented. Participate in the development and implementation of relevant policies, procedures and projects.

**Selection Criteria**

**Essential:**

1. Registration, or ability to register with the Teacher Registration Board of the Northern Territory, Possess a current Working with Children Clearance Notice (Ochre Card).
2. A recognised qualification relevant to Early Childhood, Special Education and/or extensive knowledge in working with young children in an early intervention context.
3. Recent demonstrated school experience with proven outcomes in an early childhood, special education context, with demonstrated knowledge, experience, skills and potential to provide support services for children/students within early childhood intervention; incorporating mentoring, planning intervention programs and provision of professional learning including online learning for agencies and school communities.

4. Within a culturally diverse context, ability to establish positive working relations with children/students, families, professionals from diverse specialist backgrounds, school communities and related agencies.

5. Ability to provide input to the development and implementation of relevant policies, procedures and projects.

### Desirable:

1. Sound knowledge of current research, legislation, policies and practices in relation to the education of children/students within Early Childhood Intervention.

**Further Information:** Office-based conditions apply to this position. A current NT driver’s license is required. Visits to schools may necessitate travel by 4x4 vehicle or light aircraft, including overnight stays of up to four days.

**Approved: March 2019 Sue Beynon, General Manager Student Wellbeing and Inclusion**