

Early Childhood Director

Applications close: When Filled

McKinlay Shire Council is seeking responsible and creative applicants for the position of Early Childhood Director and Teacher at the Julia Creek Early Learning Centre.

A Generous salary package will be offered, dependant on qualifications and experience. The package will be inclusive of remuneration under the Local Government Industry Award—State 2017 and substantial employee benefits, including recognition towards the importance of work/life balance, 5 weeks annual leave, paid sick leave, up to 12% employer superannuation contributions and professional development opportunities. Comfortable accommodation will be available, in addition to relocation assistance in line with Council's Relocation Assistance Policy.

The Role

The Director will oversee ELC staff and lead the design and implementation of both a Kindergarten program and long day care program in accordance with the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guidelines and Early Years Learning Framework.

Desired applicants will hold the following qualifications and experience:

- Minimum Four Year Degree Early Childhood, or Four Year Degree in Primary Education and at least one of the following Diploma of Children's Services or Advanced Diploma of Child Care from a Registered Training Organisation;
- Current Queensland Teacher Registration; (Desirable, not required)
- Current Working with Children Blue Card;
- Current Senior First Aid Certificate (including Anaphylaxis and Asthma training);
- Supervisors Certificate;
- Experience working with all ages of children who have not yet commenced school;
- Ability to promote and work within a team environment;
- An understanding of all Childcare Legislation, Early Years Learning Framework, and National Quality Framework, Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guideline and Workplace Health and Safety procedures is highly desirable.
- Fully vaccinated against COVID-19

Benefits

- Attractive Salary \$71,000 \$76,000
- 5 weeks annual leave plus 17.5% leave loading
- Relocation Assistance
- Council Housing Allocation

Recruitment information, including a Position Description, can be found on **www.mckinlay.qld.gov.au**. Applicants must provide a current Resume, a cover letter addressing the Selection Criteria (contained within the Position Description) and copies of all relevant qualifications to be considered for the position. For any further questions and or the delivery of completed applications, please contact the HR department on (07) 47 467 166, email **employment@mckinlay.qld.gov.au**