

Playgroups

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	NAME	ADDRESS	TIME	DETAILS
MONDAY	Belgian Gardens State School Playgroup	43 Potts St, Belgian Gardens Ph: 4417 1333 E: admin@belgiangardensss.eq.edu.au.	9 – 10.30am	During school terms. 0 - 5 years. \$2 donation, bring own morning tea.
	Community Gro Playgroup - Upper Ross (Also Thursday)	1/43 Allambie Lane, Rasmussen P: 4774 0144 E: inquiries@communitygro.org.au	9.30 – 11.30am	During school terms. Ages 0 - 5 years. Transport available for Upper Ross area
	PlayStars – PlayMatters (Also Thursday)	Townsville Hub, 5/56 Charles Street Ph: 1800 007 529 E: gormancgorman@playmatters.org.au	9 – 11am	Ages 0 – 12 months. Bring own morning tea.
TUESDAY	Little Kooka's – Kelso State School	Kelso State School, 23 Yvette St, Kelso Ph: 4789 6222 E: lboel3@eq.edu.au	9 – 11am	During school terms. Messy play, arts & crafts
	Notch Mobile Play Group	Bluewater Community Centre, 14 Forestry Rd Ph: 4751 6511 E: playgroup@notch.org.au	9 – 11am	Age 0 5-years. Mobile service. Bus available. Ring for playgroup service information.
	Playtime	Willows Presbyterian Church, 26 Carthew St, Ph: 4723 1232 E: church@willows.org.au	9 – 11am	During school terms. Ages 0 - 5 years. Contact direct for more details.
	Play2Learn Townsville (Also Wednesday)	Vincent State School, 280 Palmerston St P: 0422 233 501 E: nqoffice@savethechildren.org	9.30 – 11.30am	Free. Morning tea provided for the children.
	Play2Learn, 54 Reasons - Heatley State School	Heatley State School, 410 Fulham Rd Ph: 0422 233 501 E: nqoffice@savethechildren.org	9.30 – 11.30am	During school terms. Ages 0 – 5 years. Free to all children.
	Yamani Meta Playgroup	16 Peel St, Garbutt P: 4759 4039	10 – 11.30am	During school terms. 0 - 5 years. Free to all Families
	Playgroup – PlayMatters (Also Friday 12.30 – 2.30pm))	Townsville Hub, 5/56 Charles Street Ph: 1800 007 529 E: ruferr@playmatters.org.au	9 – 11am	Ages 0 – 6 years. Bring own morning tea.
WEDNESDAY	Notch Mobile Play Group	52 Palm Dr, Deeragun Ph: 4751 6511 E: playgroup@notch.org.au	9 – 11am	Age 0 5-years. Mobile service. Bus available. Ring for playgroup service information.
	Ageless Play Townsville - Play Matters	Bolton Clarke Glendale, 435 Darymple Rd Ph: 1800 007 529 info@playmatters.org.au	9- 10:30 AM	Ages 0 – 5 years. Free.
	The Willows Warriors	Willows State School, Kirwan Ph: 4799 1333 E: admin@thewillowsss.eq.edu.au	9 – 11.30 am 12.30 – 2:30pm	Application only. For children commencing prep the following year.
	Townsville South State School Playgroup	The Prep Room, 78 Tully St, Sth Townsville Ph: 4726 4111 E: townsvillesouthss@eq.edu.au	9 – 10.30am	During school terms. Gold Coin Donation. Ages 0 - 5 years. Outdoor session – bring hat and drink.
	Hubs Bubs	Cranbrook State School, via gate D Albert St Ph: 0478 004 723 E: Lross160@eq.edu.au	8.30 – 10am	'Meet & Play'. School Term. Blue card holders, Parents/carers of bubs 0-18 months.
	Aitkenvale State School Play group	Aitkenvale State School, 67-85 Wotton St Ph: 1804 00 7529 E: info@playmatters.org.au	9 -10:30 am	During School Terms
	Play2Learn Townsville (Also Tuesday)	Vincent State School, 280 Palmerston St P: 0422 233 501 E: nqoffice@savethechildren.org	9.30 – 11.30am	Free. Morning tea provided for the children.

THURSDAY	Althea Projects Inc - Wee Care Residential Service	9 First St, Railway Estate Ph: 4772 4499 E: admin@altheaprojects.org.au	9.30 – 11.30am	During school terms. Gold coin donation and bring own morning tea.
	CamKids Playgroup - Lavarack Barracks	Geckos Family Centre, Building 501, Lavarack Barracks E: hq3bde.familynq@defence.gov.au	10am – 12pm	During School terms. Defence families only. Must have base access. Ages 0 - 5 years. Bring water, snacks, hats & Sunscreen.
	Northreach Playdate	Northreach Baptist Church, 38 Canterbury Rd, Kirwan Ph: 4723 2371 E: reception@northreach.org.au	9.15 – 11am	During school terms. Ages 0 - 5 years. Preschool age - no charge.
	Notch Mobile Play Group	Rollingstone Community Centre, Balgal Beach Ph: 4751 6511 E: playgroup@notch.org.au	9.30 – 11.30am	Age 0 5-years. Mobile service. Bus available. Ring for playgroup service information.
	Little Rassar's Play – KindyLinQ (Rasmussen)	Rasmussen State School, 19 Allambie Lane Ph: 4789 6333 E: admin@rasmussenss.eq.edu.au	8.30 – 11.30am	During school terms Ages 0-3 years. Bring hat, water, snacks
	Community Gro Playgroup - Upper Ross (Also Monday)	1/43 Allambie Lane, Rasmussen P: 4774 0144 E: inquiries@communitygro.org.au	9.30 – 11.30am	During school terms. Ages 0 - 5 years. Transport available for Upper Ross area
	Play2Learn, 54 Reasons – Garbutt State School	Garbutt State School, 76 Chandler St, Garbutt Ph: 0422 233 501 E: nqoffice@savethechildren.org	9.30 – 11.30am	During school terms. Ages 0 – 5 years. Free to all families
	Cranbrook Hub Playgroup	Cranbrook State School, via gate D Albert St Ph: 0477004723 E: Lross160@eq.edu.au	8.45 – 10.30am	Ages 0-5 Years 'Meet & Play'. School Term. Blue Card holders or parent of a child enrolled at school
FRIDAY	Hermit Park State School	Cnr Surrey and Sussex Streets, Hyde Park Ph: 4421 2222 E: admin@hermitparkss@eq.edu.au	9.30 – 10.30am	Every 2 nd Friday. During school terms. Free to families enrolled in HPSSchool.
	Play Connect+ Townsville	5/56 Charles St, Aitkenvale Ph 1800 007 529 E: inclusionsupport@playmatters.org.au	9 – 11am	Open to children with a disability and/or developmental concern aged 0-8 years, their families, carers, siblings.
	Fairfield Baptist Playgroup - Wulguru	151 - 155 Stuart Drive, Wulguru Ph: 0427 367 492 E: office@fairfieldbaptist.com.au	9.15 – 11.15am	Ages 0 - 4 years. During School term. Morning tea provided. Gold coin per family
	Playgroup – PlayMatters (Also Tuesdays 9- 11AM)	Townsville Hub, 5/56 Charles Street Ph: 1800 007 529 E: rufer@playmatters.org.au	12.30 – 2.30pm	Ages 0 – 6 years. Bring own morning tea.

TOWNSVILLE CITY COUNCIL CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Auslan Storytime: Once a month, 10 – 11am; Citylibraries Flinders St. Visit What's on Townsville for more information.

Baby Rhyme Time: Tuesdays, 10.30 – 11.20am; Citylibraries Riverway / Wednesdays 11-11:50am Citylibraries Flinders St/Thursdays, 9 – 9.50am; Citylibraries Aitkenvale.

Little Bang: Saturdays, 10.30 – 11.30am; Citylibraries Riverway

Messy Play in the Park: Various times and locations. Visit What's on Townsville for more information.

Toddler Time: Tuesdays, 9 – 9.50am; Citylibraries Riverway / Thursdays 10.30 – 11.20am; Citylibraries Aitkenvale

Baby Stay and Play: Fridays, 9 – 10am; Citylibraries Riverway

Song time in the park: Various times and locations. Visit What's on Townsville for more for more information.

Storytime: Wednesdays 9:40-10:30am Citylibraries Flinders Street; Saturdays, 8.30 – 9.30am; Citylibraries Riverway

For more local Playgroups affiliated with **PLAY MATTERS AUSTRALIA**, please go to their website: <https://playmatters.org.au>.

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