Role Profile

Teacher Aide

Purpose

The purpose of this position as Teacher Aide is to work under supervision, supporting teachers and allied health professionals in the provision of quality teaching and therapy services to autistic children.

Responsibilities

This role is a term time position with annual leave to be taken in school holiday periods where the opportunity to participate in our vacation care program does not arise.

- Support the Teacher in the design, preparation and implementation of individualised programs for each child in the group or individual program
- Initiate cooperative, positive and flexible student involvement throughout a variety of session activities and tasks under the supervision of the Teacher
- Assist in the supervision of children in the playgrounds before classes commence and during recesses and lunch breaks, including rostered playground duty
- Assist other AQ staff in maintaining a safe and secure learning environment for students in all areas of AQ premises and transport
- Assist the Teacher by following his/her directions implicitly and asking for further clarification if required
- Actively develop and/or improve own understanding of ASD through accessing AQ resources and on-the-job training
- Attend and participate in staff meetings

Highly Regarded

- Experience with autistic children or children who present with challenging behaviours
- Experience with educational programs which may include self-care, feeding, toileting and social skills

Requirements

- Certificate III in Education Support
- Working With Children Check (Blue Card)
- Current, recognized Provide First Aid including Provide CPR qualification
- Certificate of Completion in NDIS Worker Orientation Module "Quality Safety and You"

