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Neurodevelopment Early Intervention
Support and Training

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The Neurodevelopment Early Intervention Support and Training (NEIST) program offers individualised, intensive learning tailored for children with neurodevelopmental issues such as autism and ADHD.

Our dedicated team focuses on building skills through personalised strategies, ensuring children thrive in everyday life and family participation is encouraged throughout the journey.



Our individual intensive learning program

is for children with potential or known neurodevelopmental issues including autism spectrum disorder (ASD), attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), related conditions and other learning delays.



Our sessions can be in-home, in early childhood settings, at school or clinic-based.

We use teaching strategies tailored to suit your child's own style of processing information. We focus on speech, communication, cognitive, play and social skills to enable children to engage in everyday life activities, education and social settings.




Our exceptional team of educators

are passionate about building a strong rapport with each child and enjoy getting to know them through regular one-to-one sessions, figuring out what motivates them to learn. We actively encourage family participation and work collaboratively with other professionals to achieve positive outcomes for your child and family.

We feel privileged to be a part of each child's learning journey and love helping families every step of the way. This program may be covered under your child's existing NDIS plan.





Playgroup – Early Childhood (5 and under)

Children learn through play, and our new playgroup program offers a wide variety of play experiences for children up to five years old in a safe and supportive environment.

The NEIST playgroup **runs weekly** and is provided free to families whose children are experiencing developmental delays, require early intervention and who need support with speech, communication, cognitive, play and social skills.

- Our playgroup is facilitated by friendly and experienced team members, who provide age-appropriate and interactive activities, with a focus on building connections within the community and families. This is an opportunity for parents and carers to support each other and share their knowledge and experience.
- Exploring, playing, learning and socialising at playgroups enhances children's physical, cognitive, emotional and social development. We provide a variety of activities to target and model toy play, symbolic play and imaginary play. We will set up activities that target specific themes and ideas each week and make changes each week for variety including Creative and Constructive Play, Sensory Play and Craft.
- Our team can also provide support for parents and carers on their parenting journey. This includes information and suggestions regarding parenting and facilitating referrals to our other services or external services if required.
- No bookings are required. **Just drop in and have fun!**
- This playgroup is held on Wednesday morning 10-11.30 am at Nicholls Community House.

Support and Training – Open to Everyone

Our experienced NEIST team have extensive expertise working with children with autism, ADHD and developmental delays. We are available to provide support, training and education services to families, early childhood services and schools. Fiona Jackson has over 20 years of experience working with neurodivergent children, with a background in psychology and early intervention.

Fiona and her team of passionate professionals work closely with children to maximise learning time and provide positive outcomes for children and their families.

Previous sessions include:

- Early communication and social skills
- Responding to behavioural challenges
- Play flexibility
- Supporting children to learn in early childhood and school environments
- Developing early learning curriculums

We can tailor our education and support to your needs. Call us to discuss today.

Watch this space for more news from the NEIST program soon.

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