

# **Esperance “Kids Stuff”**

A parents guide to  
services available for  
Families and Children  
in Esperance.

## What is the Early Years –

The moment a child is born all their experiences are learning experiences.

The opportunities and encouragement we give our children in their first eight years of life shape the person they grow up to be.

Even before they are born, babies are ready to learn. Their brains grow faster in the first two years of their life than at any other time.

How our children grow up is not just about how they are cared for at home. It is also about how we in our communities help each other to raise our kids.

## What is the Early Years Network

The Early Years Strategy is the Western Australian Government's initiative to commit to supporting children, families, carers and communities to improve the well being of our children aged 0 – 8 years of age.

The Early Years Strategy is about encouraging communities to find new ways of working together to help their children to get the best start in life.

This directory of services within our community has been written to keep you informed of what is around our Town. It answers frequently asked questions about what is available for your child as well as providing a list of contacts around the Esperance region.

Thanks to Marina and Charisse from Lotteries House for their assistance as well as Jo Aberle from Escare and Janette Fletcher from Community Health and the Esperance Early Years committee.

For further information regarding local Early Years information you can contact:

Early Years Coordinator  
Janette Fletcher

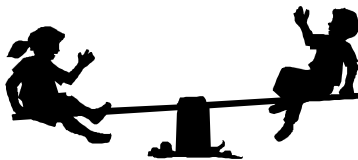
Ph: 9071 0400

The WA early years strategy website is;  
[www.earlyyears.wa.gov.au](http://www.earlyyears.wa.gov.au).



## Did You Know

- Even before we are born we are ready to learn
- Our brains grow faster in the first two years of life than at any other time
- The opportunities and encouragement we give our children in the first 8 years of life shape the person they grow to become.
- Every experience, good or bad, will make a difference to our children; self esteem, how they learn, their social skills and opportunities for the future.
- It is never too early to become involved but it can easily be too late.



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## **What's available in Children's Services**

Do you work? Or perhaps just need time out, a break away from the kids? Looking for somewhere your kids can go so they are mixing with other children their own age. Unsure on what you can do?

Why not look at:

### Family Day Care

Family day care services provide care and developmental activities for small groups of children, in the homes of family day carers. Care is flexible and can be matched to suit each family's needs and may be available on weekends or overnight if needed. Family day care services provide care for children up to 12 years of age.

### In Home Care

Provides care in the child's home. Families need to meet particular criteria before IHC may be approved.

### Long Day Care

Long day care is a centre-based form of child care service. Long day care services provide quality all day or part-time care for children of working families and the general community. Private operators, local councils, community organisations, employers or non-profit organisations may run these services.

## Outside School Hours Care

Outside school hours care services provide care for children in the primary years school system. Some may cater for children up to 15 years of age. It provides care for children before and/or after school and during vacation time. In some services, care is also provided on pupil-free days during the school term.

## Crèche

A crèche is similar to a child care setting where staff will look after your children while you go off to take part in an activity within the complex itself. You will generally find crèche facilities at Gyms / Health Clubs, Parenting Workshops.

## **When can my child start school?**

### What is Early Education

Early childhood education includes kindergarten, pre-primary and years 1 to 3.

Children must be four by 30<sup>th</sup> June in the year they go to kindergarten and 5 by 30<sup>th</sup> June in the year they go to pre-primary

To enroll your child in any Early Education program please contact your choice of school direct. Some schools may have limitations on enrolments due to boundary or zone regulations.

Currently parents in Esperance have the choice of either Government Non-Government primary schools.



## **Supporting Children and Families**

### Play Group

A playgroup is a group of parents, carers and their young children who meet together regularly for interaction and fun. Playgroups are for children from birth to school age and usually each one meets on the same day every week and lasts for about two hours. Playgroups are run by the members themselves and meet in a variety of venues depending on the needs of the group and the availability of suitable premises.

### **Benefits for Adults**

Through playgroup, mothers, fathers, grandparents and other caring adults find the opportunity for

- meeting new friends
- reducing isolation or loneliness
- developing a new self-confidence
- having a special time with their children
- discovering new ideas for extra fun at home
- developing a greater understanding of children and what being a parent and carer is all about
- building a support network and social contacts

### **Benefits for Children**

Through playgroup children:

- have fun with play activities
- make new friends
- discover new experiences
- find out about the world around them
- gain self confidence and develop self expression
- learn how to get along with other people



### Children's Libraries

All state and community libraries have a children's section. Parents are encouraged to come along and bring their children so they are introduced to books and story telling at a young age. Many libraries run story telling sessions during the week. The programs are designed for young children and their families. Sessions generally include story readings, singing and rhyme activities.

Story telling sessions are designed to promote a love of books and stories.

### Community Toy Libraries

Community toy libraries offer a wide variety of toys, games and books for loan. Generally you have to become a member of the library before you can borrow any items.

## **What Health Services are Available to me**

### Child Health Clinics

Child Health Centres combat health problems in Early Childhood, they can also assist and guide parents with the general well-being and development of their child. Most clinics conduct routine health checks, immunisation and provide nutritional information and child rearing tips. Child Health Nurses often run a variety of programs that are directed at assisting parents in adjusting to the demands of being a parent, these often include sessions on techniques on settling your baby, when to introduce solids, toilet training and guiding behaviour.

## Recommended Immunisation Schedule

Age	Disease
2 Months	Hepatitis B Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping Cough Pneumococcal Disease Poliomyelitis, Rotarix (oral)
4 Months	Hepatitis B Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping Cough Pneumococcal Disease Poliomyelitis, Rotarix (oral)
6 Months	Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping Cough Pneumococcal Disease Poliomyelitis
12 Months	Measles, Mumps Rubella Hepatitis B Meningococcal
18 Months	Chicken Pox
4 Years	Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping Cough Pneumococcal Disease Poliomyelitis Measles, Mumps Rubella
12 Years	Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping Cough Hepatitis

For further information about the National Immunisation Program visit Immunise Australia at [www.immunise.health.gov.au](http://www.immunise.health.gov.au) or contact the Immunisation Hot Line on 1800 671 8111 Contact ACIR (Australian Childhood Immunisation Register) to check if your child is up to date 1800653809.

## Antenatal Care

Antenatal classes provide information and support for parents-to-be and are run by midwives with guest speakers such as the physiotherapist, social worker and child health nurse.

## Dental Health



Most primary schools offer free basic dental care to school aged children from pre-primary right through to year 12. The main emphasis of the School Dental Clinic is on prevention, oral health education and early intervention to fix dental problems. Public and Private dental services are also available.

## Children with Special Needs

There is a wide range of services available to help people with physical and intellectual disabilities in the Esperance region.

Most services offer advice and information that enables families to link in with other services however some services offer respite care, which allows for the carer of a child with special needs time out.

Child Care can provide a much-needed break for families caring for a child with additional needs.

All Child Care Centres have access to an Inclusion Support Worker that can assist both Families and Caregivers at the centres.

## What is Pediatric Health Services?

You will find a team of Allied Health professionals at your local Community Health Centre. They are a committed team of professionals working together to provide integrated assessment and intervention services for children of all ages. Generally the team will consist of:

## Speech Pathology

A Speech Pathologist can assist children of all ages with a variety of problems including stuttering, poor vocabulary, understanding and use of speech. A Speech Pathologist may also be able to assist in feeding difficulties and dribbling problems.

## Social Worker

They are there to assist inpatients and outpatients and their relatives with health and welfare related issues. The Social Work department provides services associated with carer support, practical welfare support and referrals, crisis support, grief counseling and family support including relationship facilitation.

## Occupational Therapy



Occupational Therapist can assist children's development in areas of play, self-care, school readiness and engaging in school activities. Occupational Therapist specializes in working with children that may have difficulties with their fine motor coordination skills, visual perception.

## Audiology

The Audiology Department provides assessment and management of hearing difficulties and associated ears problems, such as: Ringing in the ears "Tinnitus", Middle ears infections "Otitis Media".

Audiologists are also able to provide information on Ear Care and cleaning.

## Physiotherapy

Physiotherapists can assist the gross motor development of children in the following areas

- Developmental delay
- Development coordination disorder
- Neurological disorders
- Orthopedic problems
- Chest conditions

Services may involve assisting parents with the promotion of development milestones; developing specific muscle strength and endurance; developing programs for children with specific needs for active inclusion; or for the provision of equipment, walking aids, resources and information.



## Dietetics Department

The Dietetics Department provides nutritional care to children in hospital and to outpatients. Major activities include evaluation, screening, counseling and education of parents of infants and children with nutritional concerns.

## Enuresis Program (A program for bedwetting)

A trained enuresis nurse at Community Health can provide assistance and information to parents and children about bedwetting. A program is available for children over 5 ½ years of age. Contact Community Health for more information.

## **Directory of Services**

**This information was printed in April 2008  
If numbers obsolete please contact Community  
Health 9071 0400 or Escare 9071 3110  
[www.escare.org.au](http://www.escare.org.au).**

## **Child Care Services**

### Long Day Care

Cubby House's Little Treasures  
(formerly Bay of Isles Child Care Centre)  
1 Phyllis Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 7789

Lingalunga Early Years Learning Centre  
Randell Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 2281

### Occasional Child Care

Cubby House's Little Treasures provides Occasional Care  
Lingalunga provide respite care on an ad hoc basis.

### Family Day Care

WANSLEA Esperance Family Day Care Centre  
WANSLEA Esperance In Home Care  
Ph: 9071 1057

### Esperance Outside School Hours Care

Provides Before /After School, and Vacation Care  
Cnr George & Backland Streets, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 7227 Mob: 0409 832 125

For Child Care Benefit go to Centrelink on the Esplanade.

### Crèche

Escare operates unlicensed crèches for community groups  
as well as for Escare activities

Bay Of Isles Leisure centre operates crèche daily for  
patrons of the centre.

## **Schools**

### Kindy (4-5 year olds)

Esperance Community Kindergarten  
Walmsley Street  
Ph: 9071 4930

Esperance Four Year Old Kindy  
Black Street  
Ph: 9071 2368

Nulsen Four Year Old Kindy  
Tchan Street  
Ph: 9071 6932

Nulsen Aboriginal Four Year Old Kindy  
Tchan Street  
Ph: 9071 7254

Esperance Christian Primary School  
Cnr Blake & Ocean Streets, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 2703

### Pre Primary / Primary Schools

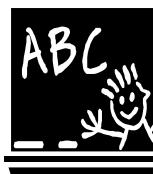
Castletown Primary School  
Easton Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 5599 (Fax: 9071 4852)

Esperance Christian Primary School  
Cnr Blake & Ocean Streets, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 2703 (Fax: 9071 6659)

Esperance Primary School  
PO Box 150  
Andrew Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 2084 (Fax: 9071 1884)

Nulsen Primary School  
Victoria Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 4466 (Fax: 9071 2098)

Our Lady Star Of The Sea  
Giles Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 5195 (Fax: 9071 5201)



### Primary Schools located in Surrounding Areas

Cascade Primary School  
RMB 9152, Cascades  
Ph: 9079 2061 (Fax: 9079 2096)

Condingup Primary School  
RMB 9, Condingup  
Ph: 9076 6013 (Fax: 9076 6094)

Grass Patch Primary School  
Freeman Street, Grass Patch  
Ph: 9075 7042 (Fax: 9075 7039)

Jerdacuttup Primary School  
PO Box 109, Ravensthorpe  
Ph: 9839 6034 (Fax: 9839 6058)

Munmlinup Primary School  
RMB 7186  
Budjan Street, Munmlinup  
Ph: 9075 1011 (Fax: 9075 1108)

Salmon Gums Primary School  
PO Box 6, Salmon Gums  
Ph: 9078 5017 (Fax: 9078 5080)

Scaddan Primary School  
PO Box 2392 Esperance  
Kendall Road, Scaddan  
Ph: 9075 6055 (Fax: 9075 6028)

## Secondary Education

Esperance Senior High School  
Pink Lake Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9555 (Fax: 9071 9556)

Ravensthorpe District High School  
Morgan Street, Ravensthorpe  
Ph: 9838 1007 (Fax: 9838 1032)

Esperance Education Support Centre  
Pink Lake Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9560

Esperance Residential College  
Doug Murray Drive, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9666

Country High School Hostel  
Information Freecall: 1800 645 212

Esperance Anglican Community School  
Office; Dutton Arcade  
90832444

Wongutha CAPS  
PO Box 101, Gibson  
Ph: 9075 4011 (Fax: 9075 4019)

## Tertiary Education

Curtin University Centre for Regional Education  
Pink Lake Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9570

Curtin University Vocational Training (VTEC)  
Pink Lake Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9570

## Other

Library & Learning Centre (previously known as  
Esperance Community College (ECEC))  
Pink Lake Road, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 9560

District Education Office; 90719100

## **Play Groups**

Cascade Playgroup  
Various Homes CASCADE  
Contact Tracey lijhi@bigpond.com

Condingup Playgroup  
Condingup Community Centre  
Contact Tracey 9075 0040

Esperance Playgroup  
Black Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9072 1310

Jellybeans Intergenerational Playgroup  
10am - 11.30am  
every second Friday @ Aged Care Facility  
Randell Street, Esperance  
Ph: 9071 3259

Nulsen Playgroup, Nulsen Kindy  
Wed 2-3pm Contact; Taryn Linden  
Ph; 90717254

Young Parents Playgroup  
Contact ESCARE Inc. on 9071 3110

## **Library Services**

### Esperance Public Library

Windich Street

Ph: 9083 1500

[www.library.esperance.wa.gov.au](http://www.library.esperance.wa.gov.au)

### Esperance Toy Library

OPEN...Thursday 9.30 - 11.00am

Bay of Isles Leisure Centre, enter via Padbury Street

Ph: 9071 3784

## **Community Support Services For Families at Lotteries House, Forest Street;**

Fax, photocopying, room hire

Ph: 9071 7192 [www.esperancelotterieshouse.com.au](http://www.esperancelotterieshouse.com.au)

### Escare Family, Youth and Financial Counselling

OPEN...daily 9.00 – 4.30pm

Ph: 9071 3110, [www.escare.org.au](http://www.escare.org.au)

### Bay of Isles Community Outreach (BOICO)

Mental Health Support

Ph: 9072 1009

### Goldfields Individual & Family Support Assoc Inc

Ph: 9072 1726

## **Other Community Support**

### Centrecare

Relationship Counselling

Community Drug Service Team

Radio House, William Street

Open: Daily

Ph: 9071 1955

Gum Tree Christian Fellowship  
Shop; Dutton Arcade  
Open: 10.00am - 2.00pm  
Ph: 9072 0385

Department for Child Protection  
Dempster Street  
Open daily 8.30- 4.30pm  
Ph: 9083 2566 [www.dcp.wa.gov.au](http://www.dcp.wa.gov.au)

Esperance Care Services  
99 Woods Street  
Open: Tues-Thurs 9.30-2.30  
Ph: 9071 4716



## **Parenting Support**

Antenatal  
Classes run on Thursday evenings but individual sessions can be organised.  
Contact Community Health on 9071 0400 to book.

Australian Breastfeeding Association  
Breastfeeding Helpline: 9340 1200  
[www.breastfeeding.asn.au](http://www.breastfeeding.asn.au)

For local Breastfeeding Information contact  
Community Health;  
Ph: 9071 0400

Escare Family Support Service  
Ph: 9071 3110, [www.escare.org.au](http://www.escare.org.au)

Esperance Community Health  
Parent Support for individuals or groups.  
Forest Street (opposite Woolworths)  
Ph: 9071 0400

CLIP (Children affected by Lead Information)

Contact Mandy Waters; 0409117240

Department for Child Protection

(Foster Carer Support)

Dempster Street

Ph: 9083 2566

GIFSA (Goldfields Individual & Family Support Association Inc)

Lotteries House, Forrest Street

Ph: 9072 1726 Mob: 0427 446 686

MEGS (Mothers Encouragement Group)

Meets Fortnightly - Tuesday morning 9.30-11.30am

Bay of Isles Christian Fellowship

Ph: Gillian 9071 1320

Nulsen Child Health and Support Clinic

Nulsen Kindy

12-2pm Wednesdays (not during school holidays)

Contact; Janette at Community Health

Ph: 90710400

PLEDG Esperance

(Parents Learning Educational Development Group)

Seeks to build strengths of communities to include all.

Parents welcome carers & professionals to assist in developing all children's wellbeing together.

Phone: Grace 9071 3349 or Michelle 9071 1001

Ngala

Free Call 1800 111 546

[www.ngala](http://www.ngala)

Parenting Line

28 Alan St, Mt Lawley

Free Call 1800 645 432

## **Parenting Workshops and Information**

### Esperance Community Health

Positive parenting Program (Triple P),  
Toddler Programme, Introduction to solids  
New Parent Group and Postnatal exercises  
Ph: 9071 0400

### Escare Family Support Service

Protective Behaviour Workshop  
Parenting Primary years and teenagers.  
Quarterly newsletter with up to date local information.  
Ph: 9071 3110

### Speech Therapy Department

Rhyme Time; Tuesday mornings  
Born To Read  
Ph: 9071 0829

### Esperance Public Library

Toddler Time, Story time as well as various activities for  
primary ages and youth.  
Ph: 9071 0680

## **Health Services**

### Child Health Clinics

Community Health Centre  
Forest Street  
Open Daily 8.30 – 4.30  
Ph: 9071 0400

### Women's Health Clinic:

Community Health Centre  
Forest Street  
Ph: 9071 0400

Asthma Educator

Ali Hooper  
Ph: 9071 0400

Cancer Support Coordinator

Kym Sullivan.  
Ph: 9071 0400

Diabetes Educator

Val Lane  
Ph: 9071 0400

Social Worker

Ph; 90710899

Radiography

Ph; 90710835

Pathology

Ph; 90710838

Mental Health

Mental Health Service

Forrest Street,  
Ph: 9071 0444

Child Adolescent & Mental Health

Forrest Street,  
Ph: 9071 0444

Community Mental Health Promotion

Forrest Street,  
Ph: 9071 0444

Carers Support:

Silver Chain, Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre  
Ph: 9072 1704 or 0429 083 666

Home and Community Care (HACC)  
Ph: 9071 4155

### Medical Practitioners

Drs. Byrnes, Mottershead, Staer  
Unit 7/98 Dempster Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 2462

Drs. Spencer, Mears, Moore  
116 Dempster Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 7799

Drs. Friend, Clingen, Speelman  
Medical Clinic Hicks Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 1956

Drs. Jacobs, Howarth, Hodge  
47 Dempster Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 1511

Speech Pathology  
Esperance Hospital  
Ph: 9071 0829

Lynda Paxton (private) speech pathologist  
Ph: 0416 203 563

Kath Guest (private) speech pathologist  
Ph: 0427 716 304

### Occupational Therapy

Occupational Therapist  
Community Health Centre  
Ph: 9071 0400

Kath Menck (private)  
Ph: 0429963196

Physiotherapy Service

Esperance Hospital

Hicks Street

Ph: 9071 0813

Esperance Physiotherapy (Private)

5 William Street

Ph: 9071 5055

Audiologist

Katie Meiklejohn (Private)

Ph: 9071 1222

Fiona Norwood

Esperance Community Health

Ph: 9071 0400

Chiropractor

Bay of Isles Chiropractic Centre

53 Dempster Street

Ph: 90715711

Podiatrist

Esperance Podiatry

UnitB1, 116 Dempster Street

Ph: 90721514

## **Chemists**

Chris Bradshaw's Pharmacy  
94E Dempster Street,  
Ph: 9071 3539

Terry White Pharmacy  
Boulevard Shopping Centre  
Ph: 9071 2125

Castletown Chemist  
67 Goldfields Road,  
Ph: 9071 4480

## **Dentistry**

Dr. D. J. Cole  
Centrepoint Arcade Dempster Street  
Ph: 9071 2219

Dr. Chris Harris  
Suite F/116 Dempster Street  
Ph: 9071 3289

Dr. Hugh Sharpe  
47 Dempster Street  
Ph: 9071 1465

Public Dental Clinic  
(Healthcare Card Holders only)  
Esperance Hospital  
Ph: 9071 0889

School Dental Clinic  
School Dental Therapy Centre  
Esperance Primary School  
Andrew Street,  
Ph: 9071 1781

## **Disability Services**

### ACTIV Industries

11a Sheldon Road, ESPERANCE  
PH: 9071 1943 (Fax: 9071 5943)

### Disability Services Commission

Suite C/116 Dempster Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 6634 (Fax: 9071 5532)

### Goldfields Individual & Family Support Assoc Inc

(GIFSA) Lotteries House  
Forest Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9072 1726 (Fax: 9071 7247)

### Employment Esperance Inc.

63A Dempster Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9071 5358 (Fax: 9071 5320)

### Bay of Isles Community Outreach (BOICO)

Mental Health Support  
Lotteries House  
Forest Street, ESPERANCE  
Ph: 9072 1009 (Fax: 9071 7193)

## **Other Services**

### Citizens Advice Bureau

PO Box 546,  
Ph: 9071 1011

### Commonwealth Rehabilitation Service (CRS)

Unit 3/58 Windich Street,  
Ph: 9071 5791

### Esperance Crisis Accommodation (ECAS)

Lachie's House 14 Emily Street  
Ph: 9071 4395

## **Other Groups**

### Local Drug Action group

Meet Monthly contact Kylie Ryan;  
Ph: 9071040

### Early Years Network:

Meet monthly;  
Contact Janette Fletcher  
Ph: 90710400

### Esperance Community Arts

Mary Rogers  
Tel/Fax: 08 90721158

## **Community events:**

Bi-annual Festival of The Wind  
Bi-annual Children's Festival (Fun Day Out)  
Celebratory events such as Australia Day and  
Christmas Pageant; contact Esperance Shire.  
Ph: 90710666

## **Other Activities for Children**

Aquarium, Acacia Gardens & Games, Mini-Golf, Telegraph  
Farm, Cannery Arts, Esperance Museum, Walking and  
bike riding .Information from Esperance Visitors Centre  
Museum Village, Dempster Street  
Ph: 90831555

## **Internet Access**

### Esperance Public Library

Ph: 9083 1500  
Or contact Visitors Centre  
Ph; 90831555

### Esperance Churches

for comprehensive list contact Esperance Visitors Centre  
Ph: 90831555

## **Parks and Play Grounds**

Early childhood is one of the most crucial stages for learning. Children learn through sensory experiences, doing rather than listening and observing.

Playgrounds promote free play, building social skills, confidence and self-esteem. Different equipment can also contribute to the development of physical, emotional and intellectual skills.

Forts provide opportunities for

- Problem solving
- Balancing
- Planning

Flying Foxes allow children to develop

- Arm strength
- Upper body strength

Climbing Equipment assists in

- Developing bilateral skills needed for tasks such as tying up shoe laces and using scissors
- Developing arm and grip strength

Rocking Equipment, see-saws and slides help develop

- Upper body control and strength
- Provide vestibular input (body awareness in space)
- Increase balance

Swings

- Provide vestibular input - wind them up and spin while in the swing
- Develop balance and coordination

Walking on various surfaces can also help young children to develop balancing skills.

FACILITIES AT ESPERANCE PLAYGROUNDS

Equipment	Grace Darling	Adventure-land	Greater Sports Ground	Brockman St	Laylor Park	Lions Park	Olympian Park	Victoria St	Collie St	Treasure road
Fort	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Flying Fox					✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
Swings	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Slide	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
Monkey Bars	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
See-saw	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		
Climbing Equipment	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Spring rockers	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓		
Running area	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Other Facilities	Grace Darling	Adventure-land	Greater Sports Ground	Brockman St	Laylor Park	Lions Park	Olympian Park	Victoria St	Collie St	Treasure Rd
Toilets		✓	✓							
Drink Fountain	✓	✓								
Covered area	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Car parking	✓	✓	✓	Verge Parking	Verge Parking	✓	Verge Parking	Verge Parking	Verge Parking	Verge Parking
Tables /bin	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

### **Breast Feeding / Nappy Change / Toileting**

Lotteries House, Community Health Centre  
Boulevard Shopping Centre, Library  
- all the above in Forrest Street  
RSL Park - Dempster Street  
Jetty, Esplanade - James Street  
Adventure land - Taylor Street

### **Children's Parties**

Fairy Parties; 90716273  
Bay of Isles Leisure centre; Pool Parties  
Puff the Dragon parties: 9071 6228  
Funktion Junktion (inflatable's) 90786060

### **Children's Clothing**

Little Urchins	Hennesys
Target	Esperance Shoes
Red Cross	Anglican Op shop
Woods S.t Op Shop	

### **Child Restraint Hire Services**

Red Cross Infant Restraint Hire  
57 Dempster Street  
Ph: 9071 4842

### **Restraint Fitters**

Garry Wilson - Regional Transport Officer  
Dept. for Planning & Infrastructure  
Ph: 9071 6891

Val Lane - Community Nurse  
Esperance Community Health  
Ph: 9071 0400

Jill Fitzpatrick; School Drug Education & Road Aware;  
Ph: 90719100

Lyn Gallagher - WANSLEA Family Day Care  
Ph: 9071 1057



### **Physical Activities**

There are a great variety of sports played in Esperance from soccer to table tennis.

For a complete up to date list of children's sport and recreation activities please contact:

#### Esperance Library;

Windich Street

Ph: 9071 0680

#### Bay of Isles Leisure centre

Swimming for all ages

### **Movement/ Dance/Dance**

#### Fun Dance for Kids, Maree Blackburn

ROAB Hall

Ph: 90711641

#### Fiona Ryan Dance Academy Lets Dance

Andrew Street (building behind Camping world)

Ph: 0409 293 475

#### Twilight Aerial Gymnastics Academy

Bay Of Isles Leisure Centre

Ph: 90720222

#### Maestro music

Dempster Street

Ph: 9071 6161

#### Dance Devotion

Jenny Muntz

Ph: 9071 3271

RING 000 IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY ONLY  
FIRE - POLICE – AMBULANCE

Hospital	9071 0888
Police	9071 1900
State Emergency	9071 1697
Health Direct (nurse triage)	1800022222
Poisons Information	13 11 26
Centrelink	131021
Crisis Care	1800 199 008
Men's Domestic Violence Help Line	1800 000 599
Women's Domestic Violence Help Line	1800 199 008
Sexual Assault Resource Centre	1800 199 888
Crisis Accommodation	9071 4395
Family Help Line	1800 643 000
Parenting Line	1800 654 432
GrandCare	1800 008 323
Kid's Help Line	1800 551 800
Life Line	13 11 14
Crisis Care Unit	1800 199 009

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