

Factsheet CAT02

Categories of child-related work 2: a community kindergarten



A community kindergarten registered under Part 5 of the *School Education Act 1999*.

Roles in child-related work

Some examples of roles considered to be in [child-related work](#) are listed below. Please note that in all cases, for a role to be considered to be in child-related work, the **usual duties** of that role must involve, or be likely to involve, **contact** with a **child**. Roles include:

- teachers and education assistants
- **students** on placement over 18 years of age
- non-teaching staff, including gardeners, cleaners and cooks whose employment is at the community kindergarten during kindergarten hours and whose usual duties involve contact with children that is more than **incidental**
- incursion providers, for example dance or art instructors, who attend to facilitate activities with the children.

Exemptions

The following [exemptions](#) apply to this category:

- child **volunteers** under 18 years of age
- unpaid students on placement under 18 years of age
- **short-term visitors** to WA
- a **parent** volunteering at the kindergarten at which the child is enrolled, refer to [Factsheet CRW03 – Exemptions, the parent volunteer exemption](#).

Definitions of **bold** terms can be found in the Working with Children Check glossary at www.workingwithchildren.wa.gov.au