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SPRING SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

SEPTEMBER 28TH – OCTOBER 9TH 2026

HOLIDAYS JUST GOT BETTER!



Get ready for two weeks packed with fun, creativity, adventure and new friendships!



Our exciting school holiday program is back!!
With brand-new workshops and, for the very first time,
community activities created especially for our younger participants.

Whether your child loves cooking, animals, gaming, technology, science, art, music, sport or simply trying something new, there is something for everyone—because nobody should miss out these school holidays!

Our amazing Diverse Pathways staff are ready to welcome, support and engage your child through exciting hands-on activities in a fun, safe and inclusive environment.

Book one, book two—or book them all! We would love to spend the school holidays with you!



MESSY PLAY WORKSHOP

6- 12 YEARS

Get ready to mix, squish, splash and create in this fun-filled sensory workshop!

Participants will explore a variety of hands-on activities such as making slime, experimenting with oobleck and cloud dough, creating colourful fizzy reactions and producing messy masterpieces through bubble, splatter and shaving-foam painting.

With a range of textures, tools and activity stations available, everyone can participate at their own comfort level. Participants will build creativity, curiosity and confidence while enjoying plenty of opportunities to experiment, play and connect with others—and may even take home one of their creations!

DATES & TIMES

Monday 28th September
9.00am - 12.30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp



CREATIVE CREW

6- 12 YEARS

Calling all young artists and makers!

Creative Crew is a colourful, hands-on workshop where participants can explore their imagination through a variety of exciting art and craft activities. They may create polymer-clay characters, friendship bracelets, beaded keyrings, painted canvases, decorated plant pots or personalised keepsakes to take home.

Participants will experiment with different colours, textures and materials while developing creativity, confidence and practical skills. With plenty of choice and support available, everyone can work at their own pace, express their individual style and proudly share their finished creations with the group.

DATES & TIMES

Monday 28th September
1:30pm- 5:00pm

COST

\$227.50 pp



MIX IT – SQUISH IT

12+ YEARS

Get ready to experiment, create and make a little mess!

This age-appropriate sensory-art workshop gives teens and young adults the opportunity to explore different colours, textures and materials through a selection of fun, hands-on projects.

Participants may try acrylic paint pouring, tie-dye, textured canvas art, shaving-foam marbling or splatter-painted décor. They may also create take-home products such as body scrubs, bath salts, clay trinket dishes, stress balls or personalised sensory tools.

With plenty of choice and no pressure to touch materials they find uncomfortable, participants can work at their own pace, connect with others and enjoy a relaxed creative experience. Everyone will leave with something unique they have designed and made themselves.

DATES & TIMES

Monday 28th September

1.30pm 5.00

Thursday 8th October

9.00am - 12.30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp



DESIGN STUDIO

12+ YEARS

This workshop is a relaxed, age-appropriate workshop for teens and young adults who enjoy art, design and making something uniquely their own. Participants can choose from a range of creative projects, such as polymer-clay jewellery and charms, textured canvas art, personalised tote bags, phone charms, trinket dishes and upcycled home décor.

Throughout the workshop, participants will experiment with different materials and techniques while developing practical skills, confidence and creative independence. They can work at their own pace, connect with others in a welcoming environment and take home finished pieces that reflect their individual interests and personal style.

The session encourages creativity, independence and social connection without requiring any previous art experience.

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DIVERSE PATHWAYS PROGRAM EXPLORER

ALL AGES

Not sure which program to choose? Our Diverse Pathways Sample Day gives participants the opportunity to experience all the different programs and activities we offer in one fun-filled day.

Participants will rotate through a variety of hands-on sessions, which may include cooking, creative arts, technology and gaming, gardening, practical skills, animal care, science, social activities and team challenges.

They will meet our friendly staff, explore the Diverse Pathways property and discover which activities best match their interests, strengths and future goals.

The day will finish with participant-choice time, allowing everyone to return to a favourite activity. It is the perfect introduction for new participants—or a great opportunity for current participants to try something different before selecting their future programs.

DATES & TIMES

Tuesday 29th September

9:00am- 4:00pm

COST

\$422.50



NEW

RE-SET
RECHARGE

12+ YEARS

Take a break from the busyness and enjoy a relaxed workshop focused on wellbeing, creativity and connection.

Participants will explore a variety of practical activities designed to help them discover what makes them feel calm, focused and recharged.

The workshop may include gentle yoga and stretching, guided meditation, journaling, music, sensory activities, mindful art and low-pressure social games. Participants will also learn to recognise what drains or restores their energy, try different strategies and create a personalised recharge kit to take home.

All activities are optional and can be adapted to individual comfort levels. No one will be required to close their eyes, remain still or share personal journal entries or feelings. Participants can work at their own pace while enjoying a safe, welcoming space to reset, reconnect and recharge.

DATES & TIMES

Wednesday 30th September
1:30pm- 5:00pm

COST

\$227.50 pp



KITCHEN FOUNDATIONS

12+ YEARS

Build confidence in the kitchen through a relaxed, practical and hands-on cooking workshop.

Participants will learn the basics of preparing a simple meal, including reading a recipe, measuring ingredients, using kitchen equipment safely and following each step from preparation through to serving.

Throughout the session, participants will practise essential skills such as hygiene, safe food handling, chopping and mixing, time management, teamwork and cleaning up their workspace. They will help prepare and enjoy a delicious meal while developing greater confidence and independence in the kitchen.

No previous cooking experience is required. Tasks can be adapted to suit each participant's abilities, support needs and comfort level.

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9.00am - 12.30pm

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FARM, COOK, CREATE AND PLAY

6 - 12 YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Thursday 1st October
9.00am - 12.30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Four exciting experiences come together in one action-packed session!

Participants will meet and help care for our friendly farm animals, prepare a delicious recipe, get creative with an art or craft project and enjoy active games and outdoor play.

From feeding animals and mixing ingredients to making a special creation and joining in team challenges, every part of the session offers a new hands-on adventure.

It's a wonderful way to build confidence, creativity, teamwork and practical skills while making new friends and having plenty of fun.

INSIDE OUT DAY

6 - 12 YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Thursday 1st October
1.30pm - 5.00pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Get ready for the best of both worlds!

Inside Out combines energetic outdoor sports and active challenges with exciting indoor gaming and group activities.

Participants can kick, catch, run and play through sports such as soccer, cricket and AFL before heading indoors to enjoy favourite games that encourage focus, strategy and problem-solving.

It's a fun, supportive day designed to build confidence, coordination, teamwork and new friendships—while making sure everyone finishes feeling included, accomplished and proud.

MAD SCIENCE

6 - 12 YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Friday 2nd October

9:00am- 12:30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Curious minds will come alive in this exciting hands-on workshop combining fascinating science experiments with fun building and mechanical challenges!

Participants will create colourful reactions, investigate how things move and work, and design, build and test their own creations. From fizzing experiments and balloon-powered inventions to simple machines and engineering challenges, children will be encouraged to predict, experiment, problem-solve and try again.

It's the perfect session for young scientists, builders and inventors who love discovering, creating and learning through play.

SWEET CREATIONS

6 - 12 YEARS

Mix, decorate and create something delicious in this fun, sensory-friendly baking workshop!

Participants will transform cupcakes and slices into colourful edible masterpieces using frosting, sprinkles and plenty of imagination. Along the way, they'll practise following steps, making creative choices and working alongside others.

With encouragement from our friendly facilitators, every child can create at their own pace, build confidence and proudly enjoy their tasty creations.

If they can resist eating everything first, parents might even receive a surprise treat at pick-up!

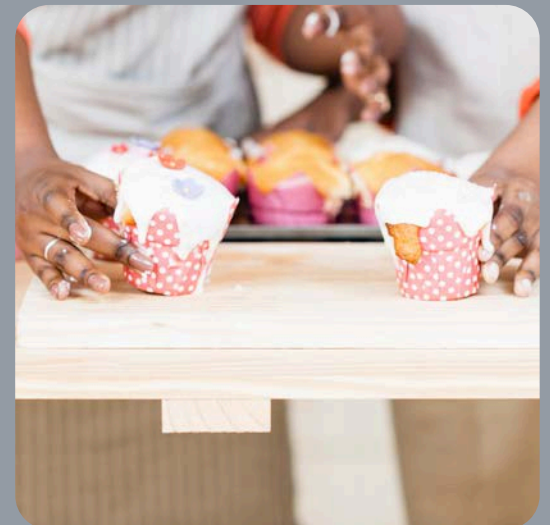
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KITCHEN CREATIONS

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Step into our kitchen and experience what it's like to create a selection of treats worthy of a bakery display!

Participants will work through the full process of preparing cupcakes and slices, from reading recipes and measuring ingredients to baking, decorating and presenting the finished products.

They'll experiment with piping techniques, flavour combinations, toppings and edible decorations while developing their own creative style. The workshop also builds practical skills in kitchen safety, time management, teamwork and cleaning up, with participants encouraged to take greater responsibility and work as independently as possible.

Everyone will finish with delicious creations they can be proud of!

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Friday 2nd October

9:00am - 12:00pm

Thursday 8th October

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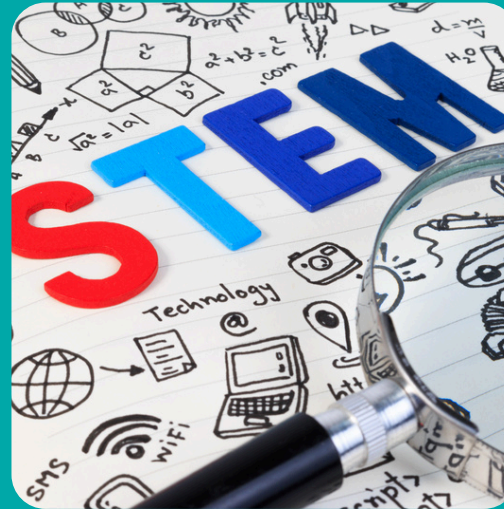
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NEXTGEN STEM

12+ YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Friday 2nd October

1.30pm - 5.00pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Put your ideas to the test in an interactive workshop combining science, technology, engineering and problem-solving.

Participants will explore how things work through hands-on experiments, mechanical builds and exciting design challenges. They may investigate chemical reactions, construct working models or use limited materials to engineer creative solutions to real-world-style problems.

Working individually and in teams, participants will plan, build, test and improve their designs while developing practical skills in communication, critical thinking and perseverance.

ARTISTIC ESCAPE

6 - 12 YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Tuesday 6th October
9.00am - 12.30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Let imagination take the lead in this colourful, hands-on creative workshop!

Participants can move between painting, sculpting, collage, sensory art and craft stations, choosing the activities, colours and materials that inspire them most. There are plenty of opportunities to experiment, try new ideas and proudly express their individual style.

With friendly facilitators available to provide support and encouragement, children can create at their own pace while building confidence, decision-making, fine-motor skills and creative problem-solving.

They can also share materials, exchange ideas and connect with others in a welcoming environment designed to make creativity fun.

GAMING HEAVEN

6 - 12 YEARS

Ready, set, game!

Participants will begin with a fun mix of board games, card games, logic puzzles, LEGO building challenges and team problem-solving activities. They can test their strategy, creativity and construction skills while learning to take turns, share ideas and celebrate each other's achievements.

The session will then move into the digital gaming zone, where participants can enjoy age-appropriate games, cooperative missions and friendly competitions using iPads, Nintendo Switch and PS5. With support from our friendly facilitators, children can build confidence, practise social skills and connect with others.

Whether they enjoy puzzles, building, strategy or video games, there will be something for every kind of gamer.

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Tuesday 6th October
1.30pm - 5.00pm

COST

\$227.50 pp



GAMING HEAVEN

12+ YEARS

More than just gaming, this interactive workshop gives teens and young adults a relaxed, age-appropriate space to connect, collaborate and challenge their thinking.

Participants will begin with board games, strategy games, logic challenges, LEGO builds and team problem-solving activities designed to encourage conversation, planning and friendly competition.

The session will then move into the digital gaming zone, where participants can enjoy cooperative missions and structured challenges using iPads, Nintendo Switch and PS5. Facilitators will support respectful communication, turn-taking, teamwork and positive online behaviour while encouraging participants to manage winning, losing and unexpected changes.

With a thoughtful balance of screen-free and technology-based activities, the workshop provides a fun and purposeful way for participants to develop confidence, friendships, strategic thinking and social skills through shared interests.

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Step into a relaxed creative studio where participants can switch off, explore new ideas and create something that reflects their own personal style.

With a selection of projects and materials available—including canvas painting, clay, textured art, collage, jewellery and personalised décor—participants can choose what interests them and work at their own pace.

The workshop offers a welcoming, low-pressure space to experiment with different techniques, develop creative skills and connect with others who share similar interests. Whether they arrive with a clear idea or simply want to see where their creativity takes them, participants will leave with original pieces they are proud to call their own.

NEW

MUSIC AND MOVEMENT

6 - 12 YEARS



DATES & TIMES

Wednesday 7th October
9:00am- 12:30pm

COST

\$227.50 pp

Turn up the music and get ready to move, groove and have fun!

Participants will enjoy an exciting mix of dancing, karaoke, rhythm games and musical challenges in a welcoming and supportive environment. Activities may include Just Dance, musical statues, freeze dance, body percussion, rhythm instruments, movement games and creating a group dance routine.

Children will have opportunities to choose their favourite songs, experiment with different sounds and express themselves through music and movement. Along the way, they'll build confidence, coordination, listening skills and social connection while learning to take turns and work together.

No singing or dancing experience is needed, and quieter activities and movement breaks will be available so everyone can participate in a way that feels comfortable.

SWEET CREATIONS

6 - 12 YEARS

Mix, decorate and create something delicious in this fun, sensory-friendly baking workshop!

Participants will transform cupcakes and slices into colourful edible masterpieces using frosting, sprinkles and plenty of imagination. As they follow each step, make creative choices and experiment with edible art, they'll naturally develop focus, patience, hand-eye coordination and fine-motor skills.

With encouragement from our friendly facilitators, children can work at their own pace, share ideas and build confidence while proudly showing off—and tasting—their creations.

If the treats survive the all-important taste test, parents might even receive a sweet surprise at pick-up!

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ANIMATE CODE CREATE SESSIONS



Step into the world of digital creation with a full day of technology, animation, coding and game design! Participants will explore 3D animation and bring their own characters to life, experiment with beginner-friendly coding, explore the colourful world of Mecca Chameleon and design their own Roblox Obby complete with obstacles, checkpoints and creative challenges.

Throughout the day, participants will plan, build, test and improve their digital projects while developing problem-solving, creativity and technology skills. They will also have opportunities to share their creations and explore projects made by others. No previous coding or animation experience is required—just an interest in technology, gaming and creating!

Cost \$422.50 pp



DATES & TIMES

9.00AM - 3.00PM

8 - 12 YEARS

Wednesday 30th September
Thursday 8th October

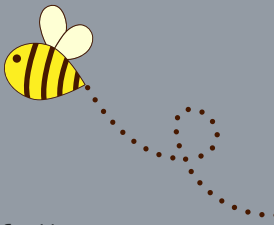
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SPRING INTO FUN

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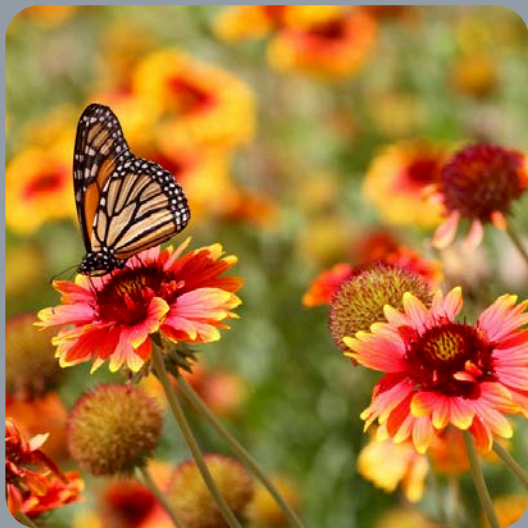


Celebrate the final day of the school holidays with a full day of fun, friendship and variety!

Participants will work together in the Spring Amazing Race, completing a mix of farm activities, scavenger hunts, puzzles, sporting challenges and creative tasks.

Throughout the day, participants will have opportunities to cook and share something delicious, create a spring-inspired craft and join in outdoor games and team challenges. There will also be plenty of participant-choice time, with options such as karaoke, gaming, pool, animal time, music and movement, or returning to a favourite creative activity.

The day will finish with a celebration snack, a fun team finale and awards recognising teamwork, creativity, kindness, persistence, independence and the willingness to try something new. Activities will be adapted for each age group so everyone can participate, connect with others and finish the holidays on a high!



DATES & TIMES

Friday 9th October

9:00am- 4:00pm

COST \$422.50



ADVENTURE SOCIALS

🎉 Get Ready for Action-Packed School Holiday! 🎉

15 YEARS *

🌟 Book one day, a few days, or the whole program. The choice is yours!

🌟 Costs may vary depending on support needs

🌟 Activity tickets included

🚗 Transport available at an additional cost

🎯 Build confidence and make new friends through exciting experiences!

Places fill fast, so don't miss out! Secure your spot today and make these holidays your best yet! 🌈🌟



PUTT PUTT GOLF

Monday 28th September
10:30am- 1:30pm
Lisarow
\$231.00 pp



LASER TAG

Thursday 1st October
10:30pm- 1:30pm
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10 PIN BOWLING

Wednesday 7th October
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Bateau Bay
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SUPPORT WORKERS AVAILABLE

Need a Little Extra Support to Join One of Our Group Programs?

Diverse Pathway is proud to offer a dedicated team of specialised support workers.

Our support team is here to help you confidently navigate life's challenges. Whether you need assistance with daily living tasks, personal care, or community participation, we're committed to providing the tailored support you need—when you need it most.

This holiday season, our experienced support workers are available to provide:

- Transport to and from our programs
- Assistance during program activities
- One-on-one support to help you make the most of your experience

Let us support you in achieving your goals and enjoying greater independence and inclusion.

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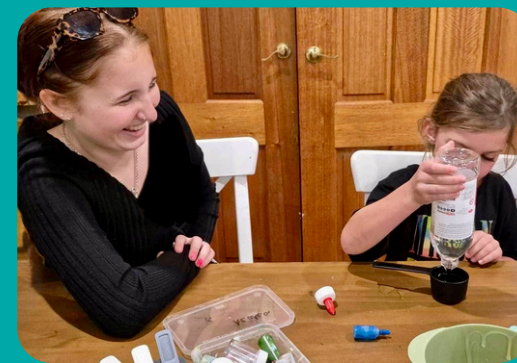
Enquire for availability

COST

\$73.58pp per hour

LOCATION

110 McPherson Rd, Mardi



General Information

CENTRE LOCATION

110 McPherson Rd, Mardi

SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES

WEEK 1 Monday 28th September - Friday 2nd October

WEEK 2 Tuesday 6th October - Friday 9th October

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