

# **CREATE Foundation Role Profile**

Position Title:	Engagement and Administration Facilitator
Reports to:	State Program and Engagement Coordinator
Location:	Parramatta, NSW
Status:	Part Time
Salary:	SCHADS Award Level 4.1 + Superannuation + Salary Sacrifice
Hours:	22.8 hours per week

#### **Position Statement**

Primary Purpose of the role of Engagement and Administration Facilitator:

- To connect with children and young people face to face, email, social media, and phone to engage them in CREATE activities and events to facilitate their voice.
- Maintain accurate records of contact and communication with children and young people.
- Cleanse the clubCREATE data base and manage return to senders from mail outs and email mail out returns.
- Actively engage the OOHC sector (government, case workers, NGO's etc) to promote membership of clubCREATE to source new members, and update children and young people's contact details.
- Maintain accurate details of program participation of children and young people on the ClubCREATE database.
- Source children and young people for opportunities to have a voice, for example, to deliver presentations, attend meetings, sit on panels, be a part of interview panels and so forth as required.
- Assist in the delivery of CREATE programs and activities to children and young people with a care experience.
- To assist in collecting evaluations from children and young people about programs and activities.
- To assist with general administration and office duties (this may include collecting data, answering phones, compiling mail-outs, distributing invitations, and taking RSVPs etc.).

#### Position Context and specific job requirements:

The Engagement and Administration Facilitator position is focused on connecting with children and young people.

The successful candidate will need to understand child development, and trauma coupled with a comprehensive knowledge of the issues facing children and young people with a care experience coupled with highly developed communication and interpersonal skills.

#### **Position Description**

#### **Key Responsibilities**

#### 1. Relationship Management

- Develop and maintain culturally sensitive and appropriate relationships with children and young people via phone, text, email and social media.
- Communicate effectively with children and young people to ensure they are connected to CREATE, informed and supported to have a voice.
- Maintain positive relationships with the OOHC sector and agencies.
- Abide by organisational policies and CREATE's Core Principles.
- Communicate effectively with children and young people.
- Work collaboratively with colleagues.
- Maintain a positive work culture and operate in a culturally safe manner.

# 2. Data and Reporting

- Take responsibility for collecting and recording accurate data, facilitating young people's engagement by completing evaluations and collecting evaluations, answering phone calls, mail duties, etc.
- Take responsibility for data cleaning for the clubCREATE database, and return to senders, and any other tasks required by the State Program and Engagement Coordinator.
- Update program information on the clubCREATE database.
- Any other task assigned by the Line Manager.

#### 3. Program(s) Delivery

• Assist to deliver programs and activities as required.

#### **Key Relationships**

#### Internal

- State Program and Engagement Coordinator
- Program Facilitators

#### External

- Children and young people in care
- Department responsible for child safety/protection
- Out-of-Home Care Sector partners and agencies

#### **Organisational Citizenship and Teamwork**

- Demonstrate an active, dedicated commitment to the CREATE Mission, Vision, and Core Principles.
- Abide by organisational policies, guidelines, and practice guides.
- Actively seek to understand, represent and support CREATE's vision, strategic direction, and company position to all stakeholders, internally and externally.

- Ensure a high level of confidentiality and integrity; liaise with stakeholders in a professional, respectful, and constructive manner.
- Actively contribute to an environment of personal and physical safety for all staff, visitors, and young people (incorporating company guidelines including Workplace Health and Safety, discrimination and harassment, etc).
- Participate in national CREATE initiatives, projects, and events.

# **Key Result Areas**

- 1. Demonstrated ability to work in a culturally sensitive and inclusive manner and respectfully engage with children and young people in care including those from all cultures including Aboriginal and Torres Islander backgrounds.
- 2. Contribute to a positive organisational culture.
- 3. Effectively adhere to and facilitate Child Safe Standards and ensuring that a trauma informed approach to engagement with children and young people is employed.
- 4. Effectively communicate with children and young people.
- 5. Accurate recording of data, and effective data cleansing and return to senders.
- 6. Accurate recording of programmatic activity on clubCREATE.
- 7. Contribute meaningfully to supporting program delivery.

# **Selection Criteria**

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(The following requirements must be met to be considered for this role).

# You MUST address the below Selection Criteria and forward with your Cover Letter, and CV/Resume to be considered for this role:

Please note: Aptitude testing will be conducted at interview.

- 1. Prefer tertiary education qualifications (degree) in Social Science, Human Services, Psychology, Sociology, Communications and at least one years' experience in an NGO.
- 2. Demonstrated ability to work within the National Child Safe Standards, coupled with an in depth understanding of the impact of trauma on children and young people with a care experience and ability to understand the needs of young people in out-of-home care.
- 3. Highly developed IT literacy skills (Microsoft Office), and the ability to use databases to capture information accurately.
- 4. Highly developed written and interpersonal communication skills coupled with confidence in negotiation, conflict resolution and problem solving and the ability to act in a professional manner at all times. Ability to communicate effectively with children and young people to provide information and encourage their participation.
- 5. Operate within a culturally safe framework. Demonstrated ability to work in a cross-cultural context, and the ability to work respectfully with children and young people in care including those from all cultures including Aboriginal and Torres Islander backgrounds.
- 6. Ability to co-facilitate and promote programs and events for children and young people including workshops and

training.

- 7. Ability to work autonomously and show initiative, coupled with an ability to work as a productive member of a team and maintain a positive culture. Ability to manage workload and meet deadlines.
- 8. Successful Security Check per state requriements (for example Working with Children card / Ochre card) and must comply with Government and/or health directives in each state jurisdiction, and where so indicated be vaccinated for COVID-19.
- 9. All applicants must be eligible to work in Australia. A copy of Proof of Citizenship or Permanent Residency status will be required.