

Position Vacant 2018

Department:	EDUCATION
Job title:	INDIGENOUS EDUCATION OFFICER
Applications open:	WEDNESDAY 06TH JUNE 2018

We are seeking a passionate and friendly Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person to join our Education team at Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary, the largest property within the National Trust Australia Queensland (NTAQ) family. This is an Identified Position* (see below). Our Education team delivers a variety of programs including hosting school visits at the Sanctuary, conducting outreach programs in schools, delivering community courses, hosting school holiday programs and appearing at community events. We are seeking a presenter to deliver content and showcase Indigenous culture & Australian wildlife conservation.

Position details & duties

- This role will have the immediate focus on delivering our education sessions on Indigenous culture. This is delivered to students ranging from pre-school to tertiary level, and international students.
- Additional duties will include assisting the education team with their duties as required.
- Some off-site work will be required to participate in conducting outreach programs & events.
- General administrative duties will be included in this role, for example program bookings.
- This is an ongoing Casual role, subject to bookings received. Some weekend work may be required.
- This role will include some animal handling, in relation to presenting wildlife content. Training will be provided.
- Pay and work conditions are Grade 3 of the Amusements, Events & Recreation Award 2010.
- Preferred start date for this role is as soon as possible.

For more information on the CWS Education programs and experiences please see our website:

<http://www.cws.org.au/education>

Selection Criteria:

1. Connection to and knowledge of Indigenous culture is required to deliver the content of this role.
2. Must be experienced in being able to present information in a memorable, informative and interesting way to children aged 3 – 18 years & to international groups.
3. Must have flexible availability necessary to deliver successful outcomes for this role – this includes working over school holiday periods.
4. Health, fitness and ability to walk distances, carry loads up to 10kg and to perform all requirements of the role is essential.
5. Current Blue Card or eligibility to obtain a Blue Card (or exemption) is essential.
6. A driver's licence is essential.
7. Previous experience in developing Indigenous educational experiences is desirable.
8. Must be interested in Australian wildlife and related conservation issues.
9. Wildlife handling experience or willingness to be trained in handling wildlife is required.
10. Experience in, or ability to host school holiday programs would be an advantage.
11. **IDENTIFIED POSITION - To perform this role it is essential that the person who holds the position be an Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person. It is therefore a genuine occupational requirement under section 25 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1991 that applicants are Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islanders. A Confirmation of Aboriginality will need to be provided.*

How to Apply

Your application should include your resume plus a brief cover letter stating how you meet the Selection Criteria. Please email your application to this email address: employment@cws.org.au.

Thank you.