

Educator Profile:

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Enner Glynn



HOME BASED CARE AND EDUCATION

Hi my name is Margaret (known to many children as Margie who lives at the big blue house). I live in Enner Glynn with my husband Stephen and our three children, Jayden 16, Rhiannon 13 and Annelise is 10. We also have a lovely gentle toy dog (Papillion) named Daisy.

I come from a farming background in the Marlborough region. I spent 11yrs in Australia and for 6 yrs was a stay-at-home mum (which i loved). During that time I volunteered at the local primary school where I helped out several times a week with children's literacy activities. I was also a coordinator for a playgroup, working as part of the NSW playgroup association.

Since moving to Nelson in 2010 I have been an in-home Educator, caring for many children of all ages. I have completed my level 3 certificate in early childhood education, and am continually learning through professional development sessions, that we are fortunate are hosted locally. For the past 2yrs I have had the pleasure of being supported by a wonderful company called Village Kids, owned and operated by Kirstie Van Houtte. I am supported by experienced programme tutors who offer advice and together we plan a programme for each child's development.

I am an active member in the Village Kids programme, taking part in regular activities such as playgroup, gym class, nature play, music group and other excursions.

I pride myself in providing an environment that is clean, warm, calm, safe and nurturing - much like a 'home away from home'. I have many resources for the children and plenty of outdoor space to jump climb, ride and run around in.

I strongly believe there are immense benefits where a child has the opportunity to bond with one Educator, who works together with parents to guide the child's development. I offer a place where children can feel safe, secure and happy, and to learn and discover at their own pace. Please give me a call on 022 699 7017

