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| Belconnen1 - Mothers Voice Singing Group | MON | BELCONNEN | 0-5 | Church | A friendly, relaxed singing and music group for mothers accompanied by babies and young children. No previous musical skill or experience required. Toys and instruments provided. BYO snacks. No cost. | Vacancies | bcc@bcsact.com.au |
| Charnwood2 - Charnwood Paint and Play | TUE | CHARNWOOD | 0-5 | Preschool | | Vacancies | bcs@bcsact.com.au |
| Charnwood1 - Ginninderra Little Athletic Tiny Tots | SAT | CHARNWOOD | 3-4 | Other Venue | Activity areas are set up to develop physical skills such as running, jumping, kicking, throwing and catching. Coordination will improve as well as team work and social skills. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Cook1 - Playing in Spanish | FRI | COOK | 0-5 | Cook Playroom | A playgroup for Spanish speaking families with children between birth-5 years. A place for children to speak and listen to Spanish in a relaxed and fun environment. | Restricted m'ship | playinginspanishact@gmail.com |
| Cook1 - Early Intervention My Time Holiday Program | VAR AM | COOK | 0-12 | Cook Playroom | My Time Holiday playgroup for children aged 6-12. For children with chronic illness or disability. Only runs during school holidays. Disability Additional needs illness facilitated | Restricted m'ship | play@playgroupact.org.au |
| Cook3 - Rainbow Playgroup | FRI | COOK | 0-4 | Church | Warm, friendly, all aged group. Leader facilitates craft, music and storytime. Grandparents there to help as well. Please bring morning tea to share. Meet school terms only. Morning am | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Cook1 - Sticks and Stones Nature Playgroup | THU | COOK | 0-5 | Cook Playroom | Sticks and Stones Nature Playgroup connects our young members and their families with nature by basing this experience in an outdoor environment. Our Thursday morning nature playgroup provides families with the opportunity to share nature based | Full - No Referrals | sticks.stones.natureplay@gmail.com |
| Cook2 - MAMBI Mums | THU AM | COOK | 0-1 | Cook Playroom | A Playgroup for babies aged 0-1 years and their carers. We are a group formed from our MACH clinic group. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |

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| Various0 - The Hungry Caterpillars Thurs am | THU AM | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | A new parent playgroup on a Thursday morning in Cook. This playgroup developed from a MACH group and is for new parents with babies born between March and May 2016. | Full - No Referrals | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| *Cook0 - Belco Bubs Aug 2016 MACH | THU | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | Playgroup for babies born April-June 2016. Continuation of MACH Mothers group. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Cook2 - Suomi-Kerho Finnish Playgroup | WED | COOK | 0-5 | Cook Playroom | Finnish language playgroup for children aged birth-5 years. Program includes Finnish songs, games and stories. | Vacancies-see note | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Cook0 - Kippax Autumn Babies | TUE | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | | Full - Waiting List | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| *Cook0 - CBR Mother's Group (Belconnen) | THU | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | A new parent group from Belconnen with babies born between January and March 2017 | Full - No Referrals | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Cook0 - Friday Play | FRI | COOK | 1-2 | Other Venue | We are a group focused on creating play and opportunities for play for our little ones in a fun, relaxed and inclusive environment. We have achieved an inclusivity tick after completing training with ACT Playgroups. | Vacancies | katie.rathmell@gmail.com or 0420377671 |
| Cook2 - Cheeky Monkeys | FRI | COOK | 0-2 | Cook Playroom | A playgroup for children aged up to 20-24 Months (as of October 2017). Singing, craft, free play both indoor and outdoor | Vacancies | cheekymonkeyscook@gmail.com |
| Cook1 - All Seasons Playgroup | THU | COOK | 0-5 | Cook Playroom | All Seasons is a playgroup for 0-5 yr olds with a focus on connecting children and families within the natural environment, allowing them to explore and engage in active outdoor play. | Vacancies | allseasonsplaygroup@gmail.com or 0421885448 |

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| *Cook0 - RolyPolys | VAR | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | A new mother's group for babies born in June/July 2017 | Full - Waiting List | rolypolys.playgroup@gmail.com |
| Cook1 - Belco Spring Babies | TUE | COOK | 0-1 | Other Venue | A playgroup for families in the Belconnen region with babies born in Spring 2017. | Full - No Referrals | rebecca.collette@gmail.com |
| Cook1 - Wednesday Wonders | WED | COOK | 0-5 | Cook Playroom | We are a relaxed, friendly playgroup based in the ACT playgroup building with excellent facilities. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Dunlop1 - Playgroup in the Park | THU | DUNLOP | 0-5 | Park | Facilitated by BCS - Kippax. Paint and Play. Free - bring a piece of fruit. No playgroup if it is raining. Outside. Nature. Facilitated. Morning. Am | Vacancies | bcs@bcsact.com.au |
| Florey1 - Paint & Play | FRI | FLOREY | 0-5 | Preschool | Who: Kids – birth to 5 years - with their mums, dads and carers. What: A fun time for kids to paint, do puzzles, do activities, play games, meet other kids, parents and carers and connect with other families. | Vacancies | bcs@bcsact.com.au |
| Holt1 - Young mums | FRI | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | This group is restricted to young mums under 25. Contact the West Belconnen Child & Family Centre intake worker for more information. | Restricted m'ship | |
| Holt1 - Poppy Playgroup | TUE | HOLT | 9mth-5y | Community Centre | Facilitated Playgroup especially for children whose parent has a mental illness. Entry is via referral. | Restricted m'ship | 1800 171 882 play@playgroupact.org.au -restricted |
| Holt1 - Mandarin for Fun Toddlers | SAT | HOLT | 8mth- 3 | Community Centre | This group aims to teach both children up to 3yrs and carers a solid Mandarin language base to help both practise at home. It uses fun ways to teach to enable learning. This program may build and encourage further 2nd language development. | Vacancies | mandarinforfun@gmail.com |

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| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Tues am | TUE AM | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | A great place for parents and carers and their children to make friends and play in a relaxed environment. Join us for free play, craft, music and morning tea. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Fri am | FRI AM | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Kippax Kids playgroups are a great place to meet new people while your children play and make friends. Parents and carers build friendship networks, share ideas and parenting experiences and provide support to one another while children | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt1 - Strong Women | FRI | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | This group has restricted membership. It is a support group for Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islanders. Contact the West Belconnen Child & Family Centre intake worker for more information. | Restricted m'ship | play@playgroupact.org.au |
| Holt1 - Sudanese | WED | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | This group has restricted membership. It supports Sudanese families. Contact the West Belconnen Child & Family Centre intake worker for more information. | Restricted m'ship | play@playgroupact.org.au |
| Holt1 - Learn Giggle & Grow | MON | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | This group has restricted membership. Contact the West Belconnen Child & Family Centre intake worker for more information. | Restricted m'ship | |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Drop In | THU | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Kippax Kids playgroups are a great place to meet new people while your children play and make friends. Parents and carers build friendship networks, share ideas and parenting experiences and provide support to one another while children | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Mon am | MON AM | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Craft and a snack are encouraged and supported. All groups are aged 0-5 (before kindergarten). All members of the general public are welcome. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Thurs am | THU AM | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Kippax Kids playgroups are a great place to meet new people while your children play and make friends. Parents and carers build friendship networks, share ideas and parenting experiences and provide support to one another while children | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |

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| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Wed am | WED AM | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Kippax Kids playgroups are a great place to meet new people while your children play and make friends. Parents and carers build friendship networks, share ideas and parenting experiences and provide support to one another while children | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt1 - Koori Playgroup West Belconnen | THU | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | Kippax Kids playgroups are a great place to meet new people while your children play and make friends. Parents and carers build friendship networks, share ideas and parenting experiences and provide support to one another while children | Restricted m'ship | 6205 2904 or childandfamilycentres@act.gov.au |
| Holt5 - Cyclabilities | SAT | HOLT | 3-8 | Other Venue | A playgroup for children with additional needs designed to encourage physical abilities involved with riding a bike including balance and coordination. Also encourages road safety and spatial awareness. | Restricted m'ship | 1800 171 882 or play@playgroupact.org.au |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Mon mid | MON | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Craft and a snack are encouraged and supported. All groups are aged 0-5 (before kindergarten). All members of the general public are welcome. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt4 - Paint & Playgroup | TUE | HOLT | 0-5 | Community Centre | Who: Kids – birth to 5 years - with their mums, dads and carers. What: A fun time for kids to paint, do puzzles, do activities, play games, meet other kids, parents and carers and connect with other families. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Tues pm | TUE PM | HOLT | 0-1 | Community Centre | A playgroup started from a new parents group, run by the nurses. Children aged between 4-6 months as of November 2017 | Full - Waiting List | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Holt1 - Mandarin for Fun 4-5 | SAT | HOLT | 4up | Community Centre | This group aims to teach both children over 4 yrs and carers a solid Mandarin language base to help both practise at home. It uses fun ways to teach to enable learning. This program may build and encourage further 2nd language development. | Vacancies | mandarinforfun@gmail.com |
| Holt6 - KSS Playgroup | WED | HOLT | 0-5 | Preschool | KSS Playgroup welcomes children from ages between 0-5 years. We encourage social skill and self identity development through a range of hands on play experiences. | Vacancies | 1800 171 882 or play@playgroupact.org.au |

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| Holt2 - Kippax Kids Blokes Playgroup | WED | HOLT | 0-5 | Church | Kippax Kids Blokes playgroup offers a safe environment for children to play, learn and develop. Kippax kids welcomes all males who care for child/ren aged between 0-5 years old. Cost is \$3.00 per week. | Vacancies | Elena@kippax.org.au, 02 6254 1733 |
| Holt1 - Mandarin for Fun 3-4 | SAT | HOLT | 3-4 | Community Centre | This group aims to teach both children between 3 and 4.5yrs and carers a solid Mandarin language base to help both practise at home. It uses fun ways to teach to enable learning. This program may build and encourage further 2nd language development. | Vacancies | mandarinforfun@gmail.com /0410 981 788 |
| Kaleen1 - St Michaels SPICE Playgroup | WED | KALEEN | 0-5 | Preschool | Playing with your child is a learning opportunity. Parents are able to assist their children develop necessary skills during these times. | Vacancies | office.stmichaelsps@cg.atholic.edu.au/0407485838 |
| Kaleen2 - Possum Play @ Maribyrnong Primary School | FRI | KALEEN | 0-5 | Preschool | Possum Play connects our young members and their families to the Maribyrnong Primary School community through play-based experiences. This playgroup is for parents and their children who live in our enrolment area. Focusing on creativity and | Vacancies | jantiena.batt@ed.act.edu.au or 61420570 |
| Latham1 - Community Playgroup | FRI AM | LATHAM | 0-5 | Preschool | We are a diverse group that meets weekly in a relaxed environment. We typically have indoor play followed by fruit time and some time outside, weather permitting. | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Macgregor1 - Giraffes Playgroup Mon | MON | MACGREGOR | 0-5 | Preschool | A relaxed morning multicultural playgroup meeting in the Macgregor community with activities and sharing options. | Vacancies | giraffesplaygroup@gmail.com |
| Macgregor1 - The Pirates Thurs | THU | MACGREGOR | 0-5 | Preschool | All are welcome, ages 0 to school age, to this morning playgroup that is held at Macgregor Preschool. There is outdoor play using the preschool facilities, morning tea (bring a box of snacks and as the group gets bigger bring a piece | Vacancies | leonor@cocker.net.au |
| Macgregor1 - Magic @ Macgregor Wed | WED | MACGREGOR | 0-5 | Preschool | All welcome, with children from birth to school age, at this morning playgroup that is held at Macgregor Preschool. This playgroup offers a great start for newcomers to Canberra. There's lots of fun and learning through outdoor play, music, dance and | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au |

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| Melba2 - YWCA Family Day Care Tuesday | TUE AM | MELBA | 0-5 | Hall | | Restricted m'ship | jackie.green@ywca-canberra.org.au |
| Melba2 - YWCA Family Day Care Friday | FRI AM | MELBA | 0-5 | Hall | | Restricted m'ship | jackie.green@ywca-canberra.org.au |
| Page2 - Busy Bees Fri | FRI | PAGE | 0-5 | Church | Busy Bees is a playgroup for families of children aged 0-5. We provide a program during school term with emphasis on connecting families to their children and each other. | Vacancies | busybees@mosaicbaptist.org.au or 62546565 |
| Page2 - Busy Bees Mon | MON | PAGE | 0-5 | Church | Busy Bees is a playgroup for families of children aged 0-5. We provide a program during school term with emphasis on connecting families to their children and each other. | Full - Waiting List | busybees@mosaicbaptist.org.au or 62546565 |
| Scullin1 - After School Music Playgroup | THU | SCULLIN | 3-5 | Preschool | | Vacancies | 0434847781 |
| Scullin1 -Family Allegro Music Makers | TUE AM | SCULLIN | 0-6 | Preschool | Come along to an exciting new playgroup to sing songs, dance, play and discover how music can benefit you and your family. Cost is \$80/term or \$10 casual visit per child. | Vacancies | sami@allegro-music.org or 0434847781 |
| Scullin1 - Pre-walker Allegro Music Makers | FRI | SCULLIN | 0-18mnths | Preschool | Come along to an exciting new playgroup to sing songs, dance, play and discover how music can benefit you and your family. Cost is \$80/term or \$10 casual visit per child. Baby groups are drop in sessions, so come by whenever suits your family. | Vacancies | sami@allegro_music.org or 0434847781 |
| Scullin1 - Allegro Music Makers | MON | SCULLIN | 0-18mnths | Preschool | Come along to an exciting new playgroup to sing songs, dance, play and discover how music can benefit you and your family. Cost is \$80/term or \$10 casual visit per child. Baby groups are drop in sessions, so come by whenever suits your family | Vacancies | sami@allegro-music.org or 0434847781 |

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| Scullin1 - Joeys playgroup | THU | SCULLIN | 0-5 | Preschool | Playgroup for families and collegians of Radford College. This group has taken part in the Playing Together training to promote inclusivity. | Restricted m'ship | amber.leah@maysself.com |
| Scullin2 - Stay and Play | WED | SCULLIN | 0-5 | Preschool | Stay & Play morning playgroup program is a facilitated developmental playgroup for children 0-5 and their families, carers. A play based outdoor environment is set up with open ended activities that develop children's skills in all developmental | Vacancies | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Scullin1 - Early Intervention Playconnect | WED | SCULLIN | 0-5 | Preschool | This is a supported facilitated multidisciplinary and collaborative Playgroup for children and siblings of children with chronic illness, disability, additional needs, Autism, speech or developmental delay. This morning (am) early intervention playgroups | Restricted m'ship | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |
| Spence2 - Taqwa Playgroup | MON | SPENCE | 0-5 | Church | A new culture language morning playgroup for Muslim ladies and kids to come out and socialise without any language barrier. Lots of activities and fun for kids and Mums. | Vacancies | 0479 196 789 |
| ** Various - Same-sex Mums Sat am Fortnightly | SAT AM | Various | 0-5 | Other Venue | Same-sax female only playgroup. Partners most welcome. Group meets fortnightly. | Restricted m'ship | play@playgroupact.org.au or 1800 171 882 |