Position Description



Division	Educational Services Division
Directorate	School Services Directorate
Business Unit	Various
Position Number	Various
Title	P-2 Initiatives Officer
Classification	SEO1
Brief Role Statement	Supporting teachers and schools to implement the Department's P-2 initiatives including literacy and numeracy, Best Start, and transition.
Statement of Duties	 Assisting, advising and supporting classroom teachers to achieve enhanced literacy and numeracy outcomes. Identifying issues and researching P-2 initiatives relating to Early Childhood Education and Care including preschool education to provide advice to senior officers. Managing projects that contribute to the development and implementation of P-2 initiatives in NSW public schools relating to preschool and/or early childhood education. Contributing to the implementation and evaluation of state and national initiatives and policies and their implications on P-2 curriculum implementation in NSW public schools. Partnering with and between schools to implement and evaluate professional learning strategies for school staff in the delivery of P-2 initiatives. Coordinating assessment processes and delivering professional learning to support the implementation of Best Start in schools. Collaborating with schools to develop effective transition programs for students. Supporting Departmental preschools in implementing relevant regulatory requirements for prior to school services.
Selection Criteria	 Teaching qualifications and recent school based experience within the K-12 range Demonstrated commitment to participating in accreditation processes High level written and oral communication and interpersonal skills and the ability to maintain accurate and comprehensive written records Proven ability to work independently and as part of a team Demonstrated ability to develop and deliver professional development programs for teachers Proven successful experience in the planning, design, development, budgeting and evaluation of quality programs Capacity to innovate, problem solve and develop creative solutions to emerging issues Demonstrated knowledge of relevant early childhood frameworks, curriculum content and understanding of current trends in teaching, learning and student

	wellbeing.
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