

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

4 August



Background:

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day is celebrated annually on 4th August. Children's day is a day for all Australians to celebrate the strengths and culture of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children. It is an opportunity to show

This year's theme is: _

The theme for National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day changes each year. Add this year's theme above.

Below are activity ideas to recognise National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day or you may like to adapt the activity inline with this years theme.

For more information visit: National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

Physical Activity: Obstacle course

Visit a culturally significant place within the community. Ask the children to describe what they see, hear, like and document their responses. When you return to the service, use the children's responses to create an obstacle and many ways to move around the obstacle.

Healthy Eating: Bush tucker walk

Go on a bush tucker walk or a lean on Country experience with community members and organisations, including Elders. You can take photos of locally significant plants, use local language to name the plants and create a story book with the children.

Refer to the <u>accompanying guide</u> for guidance on how to implement these activities in your service.







