



Enriching children's lives through learning

ECKA believes that the lives of children can be transformed through education. We know that early childhood development drives success in school, health, career, and life. High quality early childhood education can deliver long-term benefits that extend into adulthood.

About Us

Since 2003, ECKA has provided early childhood education in Ballarat and across Central Victoria. Employing over 120 staff, we work with state & local government, other Not for Profits, to deliver quality and accessible early learning to children in rural and regional communities with a commitment to those who are most vulnerable.

Board Member Role

The ECKA Board is seeking to recruit Board Members who can bring expertise to the Board as it fulfils its responsibilities in strategic direction-setting, oversight, and governance in either:

- **Communications / Marketing and/or Community engagement**
- **Business Systems**
- **Management/Leadership Experience in Early Childhood or Human Services**

Expressions of interest from individuals with previous Board experience and/or who would be interested in being supported to take on a Chair or Deputy Chair role in the next 18 months are particularly encouraged.

Board meetings are held via video conferencing and in person.

At ECKA, we believe that diversity in cultural backgrounds, experience, qualifications, thinking style and the ability to work collaboratively are critical. We welcome expressions of interest from individuals who can bring relevant expertise and personal attributes to help ECKA support the children of our region.

What We Can Offer You

- Develop your strategic and financial acumen through Board Participation
- Give valuable experience contributing to the transformation of a large not-for-profit organisation as it enters a growth phase
- Help shape the future of early childhood education across Ballarat and central Victoria
- Be supported through quality professional development and mentoring including opportunities to apply for government and AICD scholarships to improve your Board skills
- Remote participation via video conferencing

Further Information

To discuss your interest or obtain further information, please contact:
Katherine Cape, Board Chair : 0457 548 568 or board@ecka.org.au

We welcome Expressions of Interest until Thursday 6th April



ECKA acknowledges Wadawurrung and Dja Dja Wurrung as the Traditional Owners of the lands, water and resources of the countries that ECKA reside upon. We say thank you for sharing your connections and pay respects to their elders of the past, present and emerging. ECKA pays respect to the central place in education that Aboriginal cultural holds and says thank you.

