

**CfC Activities on Tiwi Islands 2018-19-20**

Partner Organisation	Activity Name	Description	Evidence-Based STATUS	Location	Target gp	Time conducted	Calendar Timeframe	CfC Strategic goals
FAST NT	<b>Baby FAST</b>	FAST = Families and Schools Together. <b>BabyFAST</b> . Local Tiwi facilitators hold an 8 week program for babies, parents and other children in term 3 & 4. Activities include stories, songs, dances, cooking and coaching parents to play with young ones in order to build good relationships.	Yes. AIFS Guidebook	Red Cross veranda - Wurrumiyanga	Babies and children under 4 and their families	2.5 hrs on Wed Mornings - Sept to November. FAST Works once per month Dec - June	1 July 2017 - 30 June 2020	Supporting parents & families. Healthy families.
Relationships Australia NT (RANT)	<b>Holding Children Together</b>	<b>Child &amp; Family Counselling</b> . Children at high risk who are identified by the school are given access to therapeutic counselling. Once a good relationship is established with the child through child based therapeutic approaches, parents & extended family are invited to also become involved in supporting the child's healing and recovery.	AIFS CfC Promising Practice	MCPS School - Wurrumiyanga	Children 5 -12, + mothers, fathers, carers & significant other family members	One day per week. 5 session/clients per day	1 July 2017 - 30 June 2020	Supporting parents & families. Transition & engagement in school
	<b>Tiwi - BUGKs</b>	<b>Tiwi Bringing Up Great Kids</b> . An 6-8 week program for parents to think about bringing up their kids. Separate men's and women's groups are held. With the RANT workers the parents look at what works well and makes children strong. RANT will identify and develop and mentor Tiwi people to become accredited facilitators of the program.	Yes. AIFS Guidebook	Milikapiti CDP & Wurrumiyanga Tiwi Islands Training & Education Board (TITEB)	Parents of children 0-12	6 weekly x 2 hour sessions as scheduled usually mid term	July 2016 - June 2020	Supporting parents and families.
Menzies School of Health Research	<b>Play to Connect</b>	<b>Play to Connect</b> takes the play components from the Let's Start therapeutic program into a training program for local early childhood workers. Menzies then support Early Childhood Workers to learn then teach these Play to Connect skills to parents and carers. ECWs volunteer to be coached to become independent facilitators if possible. Tiwi facilitators deliver the 4 half day workshops which are offered to parents of children in pre-school, transition or year 1 each semester.	Emerging/Promising Practice applic with AIFS <b>pending</b>	Murrupurtiyanuwu Cathoic Primary School (MCPS) - Wurrumiyanga	Parents, adult facilitators & children 4 -7	Individual home visits to recruit to 4 x half day parent workshops toward the end of each semester	1 Jan 2017 - 30 June 2020	Supporting parents & families. Transition & engagement in school
Tiwi Islands Red Cross	<b>Tiwi Kids Connect</b>	Red Cross youth workers deliver <b>Tiwi Kids Connect</b> as a trial under licence from Save the Children/Good Beginnings Australia. The program focusses on regular meeting with a small group of about 10 children in groups of either boys or girls. The students are nominated by their teachers due to experiencing behavioural difficulties, low self-esteem, and/or poor school attendance. The facilitated group sessions help develop language for expressing emotions, positive social skills, improve problem solving, develop capacity to manage emotions and build teamwork skills. Parents are also encouraged to connect with the Program and celebrate the successes of their child. It teaches new ideas and skills through games, activities and routines.	AIFS CfC Promising Practice	MCPS School - Wurrumiyanga	8 - 12 year old school students	Two one hour sessions a week on Tuesdays and Thursdays	1 July 2018- 30 Dec 2019	School transition and engagement