Crèche for ECU Staff and Students

Please note: this information is only for ECU Staff and students who use the crèche whilst studying or working on campus i.e. NOT for gym members.

For a trial period, the ECU Sports crèche will be available for staff and students to drop their kids off whilst they study or work on the Joondalup campus.

About the Crèche
Our fantastic crèche caters for children 2 months to 7 years old and has over 100 m² of floor space, as well as a large shaded, outdoor area.

Various activities
To keep your child entertained and stimulated during their visit, numerous activities have been set up around the crèche. This includes various play equipment and toys that cater for boys and girls of different ages, an art corner to bring out their creative side and a television screening a large collection of children’s DVD’s and programmes. With all these diversions, your child won’t even notice you’re gone!

Outdoors play area
The crèche boasts a spacious, shaded outdoor area where children are able to play in the fresh air. It has two sand pits, a soft play surface and outdoor play equipment. A hat and sunscreen is recommended.

Friendly and experienced staff
We only employ caring staff who are trained in First-Aid and committed to adhering to rigid health and hygiene standards.

Opening Times
Monday to Friday 8.45am - 4pm
During Semester only.

Cost
$7.00 per child per hour. A fee of 50 cents per minute applies for late pickups.

Important Government Regulations
• Parents must be available to attend to their child’s immediate needs i.e. feeding, comforting. You will need to be contactable via a mobile phone or pager and let us know of your whereabouts on campus.
• The child can only attend one crèche session per day for a minimum of one hour and a maximum of 3 hours.
• No child can attend the crèche for more than 12 hours in any week.

Bookings
Children MUST be booked in with at least 2 working days notice. For example: to book your child in on a Monday you must book by 8pm Thursday the week before. Simply telephone the ECU Joondalup Sport and Fitness Centre on 6304 5000 or drop in and see us at building 22 Joondalup. Alternatively, download a booking sheet here: www.ecu.edu.au/fas/sport/Creche/Creche_Booking.doc
Map of the ECU Joondalup Sport and Fitness Centre can be found here: www.ecu.edu.au/fas/sport/docs/JOmap.pdf

Cancellations
At least one working days notice must be given for cancellations or a fee of $20 applies.

Other Information
• Please label your children’s bag, dummy, bottles, pram and any other belongings.
• Please send along any necessary toilet provisions ie nappies and change of clothing for emergencies. Hats are required during the summer months.
• Food and drink may be brought in a bag and given to the child as needed. Please label all items.

ECU Sport and Fitness Centre ph 6304 5000 or visit www.ecu.edu.au/sport