

**Home Interaction Program for Parents and Youngsters**

Free - Fun - Play Based Learning

***HELP YOUR CHILD DEVELOP, BUILD RELATIONSHIPS AND*** ***ENCOURAGE THEIR LOVE OF LEARNING***

HIPPY supports you for 2 years with a Mentor who will practice and discuss the activities with you at home visits. You then play the HIPPY activities with your child during the week when it suits you.

**All materials, resources and support are provided free of cost.**

* Can you dedicate 2 hours a week during term times for Home Visits, Gatherings and playing HIPPY with your child?
* Will your child be at least 3 years old by the end of April 2023 and starting school in 2025?

If yes, then join us for HIPPY in 2023-2024 by completing the details below and email to [Angela.Duncan@bcyf.org.au](mailto:Angela.Duncan@bcyf.org.au) or phone the HIPPY Leader (Angela Duncan) on 0428 445 267 for more information.

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| Child’s name: | DOB: |
| Parents/Carers names: |  |
| Address: | Postcode: |
| Contact Number/s: |  |
| Email: |  |
| Has family previously done HIPPY? | Yes No |
| Single Parent family or out of home care? | Yes No |
| Household has a Health Care Card? | Yes No |
| Language/s Spoken at home: |  |
| Is child Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander? | Yes No |
| Referrer – contact person and service: |  |
| Date of referral: |  |

Referral source: Self

Other ……………………….

**Please note:** This is an expression of interest only and does not guarantee a place in the HIPPY Program for 2023-2024.

Offers are subject to Program funding approval from DSS.

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