

Local Tiny Nation Nanny Profile

Erin

Ranfurly

About Me



I am a mum, and a qualified and experienced educator. I began working with children as a babysitter at the age of 14 and I began training in my chosen career in 2004. I studied for my Diploma of Teaching and Nanny Certificate and graduated in 2008. I have worked as a Nanny and as an Early Childhood Teacher.

My Training

I have a Diploma of Teaching (Early Childhood Education), a Certificate in Infant and Toddler Mental Health, a Certificate in Early Childhood Education and Care (incorporating the New Zealand Nanny Certificate), a Certificate in Art (Māori), RIE Foundations: Theory and Observation, Baby Space Levels 1 and 2 (now called 'Dance With Me in the Heart').

My Availability

Monday-Wednesday, 7.45/8am-5pm

My Philosophy

After attending a Pennie Brownlea course in 2009, I have been inspired by the Pikler approach and the RIE philosophy. I incorporate respectful approaches into my teaching to build quality relationships with children and their families. I am passionate about free movement and natural gross motor development, so I offer as much floor time as possible and don't place infants in positions they can't get into themselves. I enjoy discovering each child's play urges and supporting them by building on their passions. I love open-ended and natural resources. I am passionate about children's mental health, I strive to support all children with their emotions and feelings.

My Service

I am based in Ranfurly, I have recently moved to the area. Before moving, I was a home-based educator welcoming children into my home. I am very experienced at caring for multiple children, at home and out and about on educational excursions within the community. My 2-year-old son will join me on our days together and he will be a keen playmate for your children.

I am passionate about offering a mix of open-ended, natural, holistic and heuristic resources. I offer imaginative play resources including puppets, music experiences, messy play and resources to introduce early literacy, maths and science concepts.

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