

YOUTH OFF THE STREETS



Father Chris Riley's

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EDEN LEARNING CENTRE



More than a decade of experience has taught us that education is one of the most effective ways to break the cycles of abuse and poverty that can trap so many young people.

Our programs for young people aged 13 to 17 years, offer a flexible curriculum with a focus on literacy and numeracy that responds to the specific needs, interests and talents of young people who have been disconnected from mainstream education.

With over 20 services

Youth Off The Streets offers a full continuum of care through the provision of outreach services, crisis accommodation, alcohol and other drug services, counselling, accredited high schools, long-term residential treatment programs and a semi-independent living and mentoring program. Volunteers help us every step of the way.

Youth Off The Streets maintains policies and procedures that comply with the Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998 to ensure clients are protected from all forms of abuse while in our care.

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www.youthoffthestreets.com.au

Education Development Empowerment Now

EDEN Learning Centre provides educational support for young people who are either disengaged or at risk of becoming disengaged from mainstream education.

EDEN aims to empower young people so they can make decisions that will enable a positive change for the future.

Education

- Quality teaching from a trained and supportive staff
- Individual programs with the opportunity to gain externally recognised qualifications
- Supportive learning environment which takes into account students' personal issues and challenges which may have previously been barriers to their learning.

Development

- **Skills** – Acknowledging and highlighting the talents that students possess and enabling students the opportunity to further develop these along with learning a new and diverse range of skills
- **Knowledge** – Encouraging students to review and share all that they have previously learned, whilst providing a range of new learning experiences that will enable them to absorb a wide range of new information
- **Understanding** – Both personal & social awareness.

Empowerment

- Emotional growth through Service Learning
- Success based curriculum
- Increased opportunities for further education and employment.

Now

- Young people are encouraged to 'embrace the opportunity to change' immediately upon entering the program.

EDEN Learning Centre is proudly supported by:



Youth Off The Streets is helping disconnected young people to discover greatness within, by engaging, supporting & providing opportunities to encourage & facilitate positive life choices.

**Youth Off The Streets operates with a cost of fundraising of 11%.
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