



AUSTRALIAN AWARDS FOR TEACHING EXCELLENCE

RECOGNISING AND REWARDING EXCELLENCE IN THE TEACHING PROFESSION



Rosie Ellgar

YOUTH EDUCATION CENTRE MAGILL
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

HIGHLY COMMENDED
EXCELLENCE BY A SUPPORT STAFF MEMBER

Providing exemplary support for students at risk

Rosie Ellgar makes a real difference to the life chances of young people in Juvenile Justice Education by giving them confidence in their ability to learn and succeed, and setting them on the path to functional literacy and numeracy.

In giving intensive literacy and numeracy support, Rosie brings a wealth of knowledge and skills. She uses imagination, initiative and resourcefulness to engage her students through new technologies and other aids such as games, puzzles, photography, music and caring for animals.

Rosie's effectiveness is due to her unique ability to both provide expert instruction, and successfully manage and mentor adolescents with strong emotional needs, extreme behaviours and a history of resistance to mainstream schools.

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