The Emmanuel Centre
Self help for people with disabilities

25 Windsor St, Perth 6000

Up to two (2) students at a time
On a Monday, 9am to 3pm
You will need to find your way there and home.
Bring everything you wish to eat and drink for the day.

Project information

The Emmanuel Centre is a self-help centre, aiming to provide a caring, supportive environment for those living with disabilities. The Centre comprises a number of organisations, groups and support networks.

“At the Emmanuel Centre, we accept the challenges that often seem too difficult. We believe that there is no such word as ‘can’t’ – there are only things we haven’t yet learned how to do.”

Programmes and activities at the Emmanuel Centre focus on the belief that we are all made in the image and likeness of God. With Christ as the head, we are all part of the one body. The centre is currently home to a number of organisations and initiatives, working together to make life easier for people with disabilities.

Volunteers are very welcome at the Emmanuel Centre – what might be seen as an insignificant skill can mean everything to the running of Emmanuel. So don’t be shy, we can use you in any number of groups or individual programmes.

The Emmanuel Centre is entirely volunteer-run. If you’d like to help make life easier for people with disabilities, please don’t hesitate to help out.

Year Nine students have the opportunity to spend a full day to help with a range of group and individual activities. These might include:

- Helping to make lunch
- Gardening projects
- Recycling newspapers (preparing and sorting)
- Challenges eg: Quizzes on current events eg the Royal Wedding
- Teaching skills with social media
- Learning sign language
- Sorting objects for garage sales
- Helping visitors to read
- Spinning and knitting

Doing things with, rather than doing for, those who differently-abled, students can help the staff with various tasks.

Find out more about The Emmanuel Centre.

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