

Claire

Governess, tutor/teacher, nanny with extensive background in Pedagogy

Has approval to teach French, English as an Additional Language, and Physical Education



Personal Information

Birthdate	March 1970
Nationality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Australia (Australian passport, English native speaker) – EU passport (Dutch)
Marital status, own children	has adult children (two sons of 18 and 20 - now University students)
Place of Birth	Australia
Location	France, Nice
Personal characteristics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Punctual – Qualified – Experienced
Key skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Understanding and experience with many age groups – Behavior management techniques – Ability to work using your own initiative, taking on extra responsibility – Excellent communication and people skills at all levels – Language teaching experience – Understanding of school systems throughout the world – Exam preparation experience
About myself	<p>I am back in Nice now permanently so would like to keep looking for work as a nanny or governess. I can start immediately and am available 5-6 days/week depending on the position. I'm looking for a role in in Nice, Antibes, Cannes or Monaco.</p> <p>I'd be the best help to someone with school-aged kids to help with their homework, being a fluent English and French speaker and to play sport or take them to after school activities.</p> <p>I also teach PE, IT and Geography.</p> <p>I have an EU passport, a driver's licence and am happy to clean and cook too. Of course, I'm happy to nanny younger children or babies too. I have accommodation here in Nice so am not looking for live in.</p>

Summary:

An enthusiastic and committed teacher with 25 years of experience

- Pedagogy that engages students in creative ways
- Capacity to facilitate a wide range of ability levels
- Experienced in writing programs, examinations and school reports
- Strong technology skills
- Engaged in co-curricular school life including attending school camps and sports coaching
- Experienced in coordinating overseas and overnight student trips
- Dedicated to ongoing professional development and improvement in teaching methodology

Professional Award

Nov 2020 French Teacher of the Year (NSW) awarded by the Federation of French Teachers' Associations in Australia in collaboration with the French Embassy in Australia.

Education

University of Sydney,	1989 - 1993 Bachelor of Education (Human Movement) Honours
University of New South Wales,	- Diploma of Languages (French Studies)
UNSW,	- 2012 Postgraduate Certificate in Education (English as an Additional Language)
UNSW,	- 2013 Postgraduate Certificate in Teaching (French),
Ministère français de l'Education Nationale,	- 2018 Diplôme d'études en langue française B1
Ministère français de l'Education Nationale ,	- 2022 Diplôme approfondi de langue française C1

Working experience

April - June 2023

Mougins, France, private family, temporary part-time job

Afterschool&weekend English nanny-governess

Charge: Boy 5 y.o.

My role includes

- Helping with school projects and assignments
- Teaching English and other school subjects
- afterschool activities

2022 - 2023

Sydney Grammar School (full-time)

Full-time teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of French, Geography
- Sports coach: basketball, swimming, tennis

2018 - 2022

Chatswood High School, Chatswood (full-time)

Full-time teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of French, English as an Additional Language, Physical Education
- Coordinator of all French programs, incursions and excursions
- Coordinator of student exchange and Sister school program in New Caledonia

2016 - 2018

MLC School, Burwood (full-time)

Full-time teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of French
- Coordinator of French excursions and incursions

2011 - 2016

Mackellar Girls High School, Chatswood High School Intensive English Centre, Rosebank College, Northholm Grammar School, Killarney Heights High School

Casual teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of French, English as an Additional Language, Physical Education
- English as an Additional Language workshops for international student exchanges

1996 - 1999

Monte Sant' Angelo College, North Sydney (full-time)

Full-time teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of Physical Education
- Coordinator of sports competitions: softball, netball
- Sports coach: softball, swimming netball, basketball, volleyball, hockey
- Coordinator of school Ski Trip

1994 - 1995

Parliament Hill School, London (full-time)

Full-time teacher

My role includes

- Teacher of Physical Education and Geography
- Coordinator of sports competitions: netball, crosscountry
- Sports coach: netball
- Supervision of international sports trips: skiing in France, horseriding in Wales

Information Technology Employment History 2008 – 2011

Technical Writer / Database Analyst, Integrated Technology Services, Sydney 2004 – 2006

Software Trainer / Database Analyst, Tetra Pak Manufacturing, Sydney 2000 – 2002

Software Trainer / Database Analyst, Global Crossing, London 1999 – 2000

Software Trainer / Technical Writer, Pollak Learning Alliance, Sydney

Previous experience includes working as a nanny in families.

Additional information

English	Native
French	Fluent (C1)
Dutch	Level A1
German	Level A1

Excellent references available on request