

Canberra based social/community groups

Name	Location	Groups Offered	Contact Information	Additional Information
Arboretum Kids Workshops	Molonglo Valley	Arboretum Kids Workshops	https://www.nationalarboretum.act.gov.au/education	Run in school holidays
Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Harrison	Literacy School Holiday Program	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/literacy-school-holiday-program	Run in school holidays, 1 week of sessions for 2.5 hours each session.
Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Deakin or Harrison	School Holiday Program	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/school-holiday-program	Run in school holidays, intensive 5 day course.
Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Harrison	Social Skills Program	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/social-skills-program	Term based programs, Thursdays.
Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Deakin	Lidcombe Program	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/lidcombe-group-program	Thursday Mornings
Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Deakin	Aphasia Conversation Group	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/aphasia-conversation-group	Thursday afternoons

Brindabella Hearing and Speech Centre	Deakin	Hanen It Takes Two to Talk Program	https://www.hearinganddspeech.com.au/speech/hanen-ittt-program	11 week program, Wednesday evenings
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	School Readiness Program	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/school-readiness-program/	Run during school holidays – for pre-school and Kindergarten starters
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Early Language Groups	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/early-communication-parent-group/	Run during school holidays, 4 sessions over 2 weeks.
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Social Communication Group - Adolescents	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/social-communication-group/	Wednesday afternoons Term based only
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Functional Communication Groups – adolescents to adults	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/functional-communication-group/	Wednesday afternoons Term based only
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Literacy Group	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/literacy-skills-group/	Tuesday afternoons 4:15 to 5:15 Term based only
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Feeding Groups	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/feeding-groups/	Time TBD, SOS approach
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	AAC and Cooking Group	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/aac-and-cooking/	Time TBD
Can Speak Canberra Speech Pathology	Bruce	Social Communication and Music Group	https://canspeak.com.au/groups/social-communication-and-music-group/	Thursday mornings or Tuesday mornings Term based only

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Canberra Development Clinic	Deakin	Lego Club Term 2 and 3 2022	file:///C:/Users/RebeccaCondon/Downloads/Lego%20Club%20CDC%20Term%2020&%203.pdf	02 5105 0890 reception@canberradevelopmentclinic.com.au
Capital Psychology	Garran	Secret Agent Society	https://www.capitalpsychologyclinic.com/counselling/group-sessions	
Eat Speak Learn	Belconnen	Feeding Groups	https://www.eatspeaklearn.com.au/group-programs/feeding/	Speech pathology, occupational therapy and dietician run group.
Eat Speak Learn	Belconnen	Language Through Books	https://www.eatspeaklearn.com.au/group-programs/language-through-books/	
Karen Ip Speech and Feeding Clinic	Online	Online feeding workshop for parents and carers	file:///C:/Users/RebeccaCondon/Downloads/Online%20Feeding%20Workshop%20for%20Parents%20Poster%20(Apr%202022).pdf	

Kids Space OT	Holt	Junior Foodies	https://kidsspaceot.com.au/groups-workshops/	6 week program using SOS approach
Kids Space OT	Holt	Social Thinkers	https://kidsspaceot.com.au/groups-workshops/	Follows We Thinkers! Social Explorers Curriculum, 10 week program
Kids Space OT	Holt	Social Foodies	https://kidsspaceot.com.au/groups-workshops/	For kids aged 7-8 and 9-13
Kids Space OT	Holt	Sensory and Emotional Regulation Group	https://kidsspaceot.com.au/groups-workshops/	Uses Yoga, Zones of Regulation, and sensory calming strategies
Kids Space OT	Holt	Sense Rugby	https://kidsspaceot.com.au/groups-workshops/	During school terms with focus on physical skills and emotional regulation.
Marymead	Narrabundah	Lego Builders Group	https://www.marymead.org.au/lego-builders/	Monday 3:30 to 5pm and the 3 rd Saturday 10-11:30
Marymead	Narrabundah	Dungeons and Dragons Social Group	https://www.marymead.org.au/dungeons-dragons/	autism@marymead.org.au 1800 427 920
Marymead	Canberra	Kid's Companions	https://www.marymead.org.au/kids-companions/	kcinfo@marymead.org.au 1800 427 920
Marymead	Narrabundah	Lab social group (technology/coding)	https://www.marymead.org.au/lab/	Online Wednesdays 4:30-6:30pm

Marymead	Narrabundah	Family Support Group	https://www.marymead.org.au/groups	
Marymead	Narrabundah	Women's Support Group	https://www.marymead.org.au/groups	
Marymead	Narrabundah	Men's Support Group	https://www.marymead.org.au/groups	
Marymead	Parkes	Boundless Buddies	https://www.marymead.org.au/boundless-buddies/	Monday from 10-11:30am.
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Boys Club	http://www.treehouse.org.au/boys-club-term-1-2019/	Monday or Wednesday afternoons
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Snuggle and Sing	http://www.treehouse.org.au/snuggle-and-sing/	Monday mornings
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Girls Club	http://www.treehouse.org.au/girls-club-term-1-2019/	Tuesday afternoons
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Lego Club	http://www.treehouse.org.au/lego-club-400-500pm-day-tbc/	Thursday afternoon
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	REACH School Holiday Program	http://www.treehouse.org.au/reach-school-holiday-program/	School holidays, 3 days per week.
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Early Intervention Groups	http://www.treehouse.org.au/early-intervention-groups-2/	Has online contact form

Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Pathways to Preschool	http://www.treehouse.org.au/pathways-to-preschool/	For children aged 2-3+
Treehouse	Queanbeyan	Transition to school	http://www.treehouse.org.au/transition-to-school/	Has online contact form
Schools As Communities	Queanbeyan	Supports transition of students to school and early participation of families into school activities. For children 0-8 years.	https://queanbeyan-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/sacc.html#:~:text=Schools%20as%20Community%20Centres%20(SaCC,through%20a%20community%20development%20approach.	
SPOT Clinic	Turner	SPOT Group – focus is on building social understanding through play and group activities.	spotsocialgroup@gmail.com	Run with an OT