

Early Childhood Educators are invited to attend multi-literacy workshops with storyteller and musician, Morgan Schatz Blackrose. The morning workshop includes a 47 minute CD and resource book, demonstrated material and its application and online follow-up. The afternoon workshop includes a variety of finger rhymes/stories and visual stories for babies through to preschoolers. Participants can attend either or both workshops.

**Outcomes:** (1) Participants learn how to use Morgan's CD of Australian animal songs as a foundation for incorporating Australian sign language, puppets, percussion, movement and dance into their storytime programmes. (CD contains 24 new and adapted songs for young children and an accompanying resource book of lyrics, pictures and activities to supplement the music.) (2) The different literacies explored in the workshop allow each participant to choose their most effective method of presenting inclusive story times.

Morgan is an advocate of improving social, health and literacy outcomes in young children through storytelling. A professional storyteller and musician for 28 years, she has worked with librarians, early childhood teachers and health professionals to develop oral literature resources for implementation in libraries and early learning centres.

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When: Thursday 2nd June (1) Koala Went Cooee- 9.30am - 12.30pm

(2) Stories for Everyone- 1pm - 4pm

**Where:** Resource and Learning Centre (*RALC*) CBD

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**Who:** Morgan Schatz Blackrose

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**Cost:** \$140 per person per workshop. Pay by cheque, cash on the day or bank transferbank details are supplied with your tax invoice.

**Bookings:** story@schatzblackrose.com <u>www.schatzblackrose.com</u>