**Remote Northern Territory Education Placement**

**Travel Grant Guidelines & Expression of Interest**

***Donor:*** Charles Darwin University - College of Education

***Max value:*** $1,000 (one-off)

***Duration:*** One (1) semester

***Purpose:*** To support travel and accommodation expenses for pre-service teachers to attend a compulsory professional experience placement in an in Aboriginal Communities located in remote Northern Territory. Remote school placements are for pre-service teachers who have an interest in teaching Aboriginal students whose first language is other than English.

***Eligibility criteria:***

* must be enrolled in an Initial Teacher Education course
* must be enrolled in a compulsory professional experience placement unit (or have a PO grade)
* must not have previously received the ***Remote Northern Territory Placement Travel Grant***
* must be residing outside of the remote community where the placement will take place.

***Assessment process and notification to applicants***

* Pre-service teacher submits expression of interest
* Director of Professional Experience and Teaching Schools Pipeline Coordinator identifies eligible pre-service teachers
* Centres/schools are contacted by the Teacher Pipeline Coordinator and professional experience opportunities matched to eligible pre-service teachers
* Placements team contacts pre-service teachers and offers them the ***Remote Northern Territory Placement Travel Grant***
* Teaching Schools Pipeline Coordinator and placements team liaise with the centre/school and pre-service teacher to arrange travel and accommodation

***Conditions:***

* The ***Remote Northern Territory Placement Travel Grant*** may not cover all travel and accommodation costs therefore pre-service teachers who are awarded a ***NT Remote Travel Grant*** may need to contribute to travel and accommodation expenses.
* Unless there is an extenuating circumstance ***Remote Northern Territory Placement Travel Grants*** are limited to one placement per pre-service teacher.
* Pre-service teachers must not make or request any bookings or arrangements until the placement is approved and confirmed.

\*\* If you wish to apply, please complete the expression of interest form, below.

Expression of Interest for Remote Northern Territory Education Placement - Travel Grant

Please detach and email to [inschool@cdu.edu.au](mailto:inschool@cdu.edu.au) along with a current Introductory Profile

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| **Contact Details** | |
| Student Number |  |
| Name |  |
| Mobile Number |  |
| Email |  |
| Do you prefer a particular remote community for the placement? | Yes  No  *If yes, where is this?*  Community  Education Setting: |
| Do you have a conflict of interest with any school in the NT (e.g., you or a close family member attend or you have been employed there)? | Yes  No |
| If yes, please describe |
| List any previous experience working in a remote community setting |  |
| Write a brief paragraph explaining why you would like to teach in a remote community setting. |  |
| Write a brief paragraph demonstrating your understanding of the cultural contexts you will encounter in a remote school setting and describe the knowledge and skills you will bring to help ensure you have a successful placement in this setting. |  |
| I have read the [Remote Teacher Guide](https://www.teachintheterritory.nt.gov.au/teaching-territory/teach-remote-areas) | Yes  No |