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The Clontarf Foundation exists to improve the education, discipline, self-esteem, life skills and employment prospects of young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men and by doing so, equips them to participate more meaningfully in society.



Clontarf provides an important school-engagement mechanism for many at-risk, teenage Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander male students who would otherwise not attend or have very low school attendance.

Full-time, locally-based Clontarf staff mentor and counsel students on a range of behavioural and lifestyle issues through a rich, holistic programme designed to engage and retain the students back into the education system.

In 2019, Clontarf supports more than 8,100 students (including 670 Year 12s) in Western Australia, the Northern Territory, Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria and South Australia.

What is Workplace Giving?

Workplace Giving involves your employees making small, regular donations through their pre-tax pay. It's a simple and effective way for people to donate to a cause they are passionate about.

- 85% of employees feel it's important to give back to the community through the workplace (Australian Charities Fund 2013)
- 80% of employees want to give through the workplace but often don't know they can (Australian Charities Fund 2015)
- 86% of employees would be more inclined to give through Workplace Giving knowing it's one of the most effective ways for charities to fundraise (Australian Charities Fund 2014)
- 96% would feel happier giving to charity if they knew their donations went directly to the charity rather than via a for-profit fundraising agency (Australian Charities Fund 2014)



How your organisation benefits

A Workplace Giving programme with the Clontarf Foundation is a mutually beneficial relationship.

Employees involved with community investment in the workplace are more highly engaged with their employer - showing higher levels of pride, motivation and advocacy (Australian Charities Fund 2013).

There are many benefits to choosing Clontarf as a Workplace Giving partner:

- Your organisation enjoys greater staff engagement, retention, productivity, reputation and social impact.
- Staff know they are getting the best 'bang for their buck' because Clontarf doesn't spend funds on fundraising marketing and administration costs. Their donation goes straight into Clontarf academies and directly benefits academy participants.
- Donors will have the opportunity to sign up to our Quarterly Newsletter so they can see the impact their contribution is having on the lives of our boys.



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How our boys benefit



Funds from Workplace Giving donations go directly into our academies.

- Clontarf employs experienced and motivated mentors to staff our academies, meaning the boys in our programme are constantly guided by positive men.
- Clontarf academy activities are delivered within the focus areas of Education, Leadership, Employment, Well-being and Sport.
- The programme exposes the boys to as many experiences, activities, environments, social settings and people as possible, in order to broaden their thinking about what life may hold for them in the future.
- Upon completing the programme, graduates are helped by specialised Employment Officers to find employment.

8,100

Participants in our programme in 2019

670

Year 12 students enrolled in 2019

127

Schools hosting a Clontarf academy in 2019

80%

Average school attendance

4,954

Participants received a health check in 2018

How to get started

Whether your organisation is new to Workplace Giving or has an established programme, it's easy to integrate Clontarf into your payroll system and for your staff to get involved straight away.

Payroll

The process to set Clontarf up as a Workplace Giving recipient is simple:

- Speak to your Clontarf contact to obtain our DGR account details.
- Provide details to your accounts/finance team to set Clontarf up as a vendor in your payroll system.
- If you already have a preferred Workplace Giving platform, set Clontarf up in this system.

Employee sign-up

- Employees complete and submit a Workplace Giving Authorisation Form or authorise their donation through their employment contract.
- The total Workplace Giving donation for each staff member will be recorded on their PAYG summary at the end of the financial year.

Get your staff involved

- We can provide you with promotional materials such as posters, information sheets and photos that you can use to inform your staff about the Workplace Giving programme.
- Host a Workplace Giving launch event - this can involve local Clontarf students and staff so your donors can see how their donations are benefiting the boys in our programme.
- Encourage staff to sign up to the Clontarf Quarterly newsletter by inputting their details on the Clontarf website homepage.

For more information

Speak to the Clontarf Partnerships Manager in your state or email comms@clontarffoundation.com.au to find out more about the Clontarf Foundation, Workplace Giving or to access additional resources to promote Clontarf as a Workplace Giving partner.



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