

Keeping our kids & dogs safe



Our insurances are up to date

- Public Liability insurance up to \$10,000,000
- WorkCover Insurance Certificate of Currency.

All our staff hold:

- WWCC
- COVID19 current vac. status
- First Aid certificate
- COVID19 safety training



We have done risk assessments

We have a systematic process of evaluating potential risks involved in our activities for all stakeholders, including the therapy dogs.

Our staff understand safety policy & the importance of CPD

- OHS Consult Comms Procedure
- School Policy and Advisory Guide
- Health, Safety and Wellbeing Policy
- Child Safe Policy
- Child Safe Responding & Reporting Policy

Our therapy dogs undergo continuous training

Our dogs need to demonstrate the ability to follow a series of commands, show manners & work happily in distracting situations.



Visit our website

www.CanineComprehension.com.au



Jump on our website for tutoring details, school program information, NDIS delivery options, testimonials, booking forms, FAQ and any other information you may need.

We have supported young people from various backgrounds, life experiences, intellectual, physical and sensory difficulties as well those working through mental health challenges. We have also encouraged those who just needed a bit more motivation.

We look forward to supporting your young people too.

Associations & Compliance



Awards

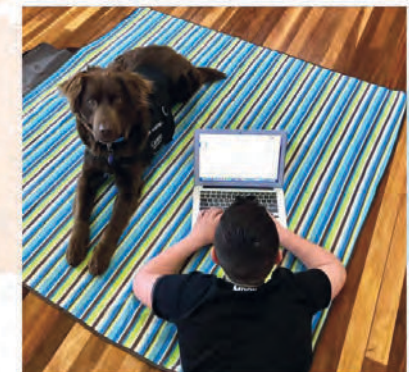


Calmer classrooms, happier homes.

Innovative, evidence-based, fun sessions through dog assisted learning.



We are here to encourage young people who struggle to engage positively with their world. Our tutor and therapy dog teams support your kid's emotional and intellectual growth, enabling them to confidently socialise, collaborate and learn.



Get to know us

We are a group of passionate allied health professionals, social workers & educators who share a vision of creating more harmonious & positive approaches to learning.

The ability dogs have to positively engage people is well documented. Our animal-assisted interventions can improve behavioural problems, increase emotional wellbeing, ease anxiety build life skills. We are also able to support those students who need a little extra help to get the most out of their education.



Who are our services for?

Our curriculum is designed to successfully engage students P-12 who have a broad spectrum of needs, life experiences & personalities. We welcome NDIS participants & adapt curriculum to support their needs.

What do we do?

We support those struggling with their approach to learning. Our Animal Assisted Interventions (AAI) dogs team up with our educators to teach skills in learning preparedness. Sessions are run either individually or as a small group. Each session has specific learning criteria, workbooks, mindfulness resources & a rigorous evaluation process.

Where and when are programs held?

We go where the young people need us. Flexibility is key. In consultation with you, we will find the best time & location that fits the student's needs. We usually require approx. 5m x 5m sized space, where tables can be moved & access to an outside area. We also require a guardian or school staff be available for the sessions.



Individual Tutoring

During each private tuition session, our tutor, with encouragement from their therapy dog, works through pre-determined learning goals while building a relationship of respect and trust with the student. This relationship goes a long way in helping the young person overcome limiting beliefs & anxiety about learning. The student's mental health, confidence & well-being improves as they build a passion for their education.

We also cater for NDIS participants.

School Programs

Incursions that support those challenged by anxiety, school refusal, stress, confidence & interpersonal skills. Programs focus on specific needs, however, all programs aim to promote a more positive learning space within your school.

- Communication on the Inside and Out
- Friendship and Responsibility
- Beyond Lockdowns
- Grief and Loss
- Flexible thinking



Library Programs

These programs successfully work with a wide variety of young people with a broad spectrum of needs & personalities. We take a holistic approach to these programs, making sure the library facility is valued as a gathering place for history, community, & culture.

- Reading Tails
- Our Library Community



Our booking process is real easy

Initial booking process

Click on the **BOOK NOW** button on the top right of the website.

Fill out the online forms:

- Booking Form
- Consent form

We will then contact you via email.



Confirming ongoing booking

We will email you with a weekly session time, this time would have been chosen from preferences you gave us in the initial booking.



Therapy dog & tutor deliver sessions

Each week a tutor & dog team will run 50-minute sessions, focusing on the goals agreed upon in the initial booking.



Reporting progress

Weekly Progress Reports, written by the tutor will track progress & can be accessed anytime.



Payment options

Clients (non NDIS) pre pay for sessions per term. An invoice is emailed with 14 day payment terms – which will secure the ongoing booking.

