

# Guiding Gifted Children: Parent Seminar

## PARENT SEMINAR

This one day seminar for parents is filled with practical information, with a solid research base, presented by experts in the field with real life experience, to help you understand giftedness and how to help your gifted child thrive.

Cost: \$150 (including GST) per day or \$250 for 2 parents/caregivers from the same family  
Early bird by (1st April), \$125/\$225.

Venue: Whitfield State School, Cairns  
(Please **do not** contact the school for bookings and information)

For Bookings please visit:  
<http://www.trybooking.com/KPBA>

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## PARENT SEMINAR CAIRNS

For parents of gifted children and adolescents

**Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 9am – 4pm**

This seminar includes:

- Understanding giftedness and talent development
- Identification and testing: why, when, who and how
- Parenting sensitive gifted children and adolescents
- Mental health, resilience and emotional well-being
- Gifted children, their friendships and relationships
- Motivating gifted students to develop academic skills
- Gifted children with learning and other disabilities
- Advocating for your child at school

**Registrations close: Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> April**



## PRESENTERS

**Michele Juratowitch** is Director of Clearing Skies; provides counselling for gifted children and their parents; has worked in schools and introduced provisions to support gifted students. At the Gifted Education Research, Resource and Information Centre (GERRIC) at the University of New South Wales, Michele taught in parent courses; lectured teachers in a postgraduate course in Gifted Education; developed programs for students and conducted research. Michele was awarded a Churchill Fellowship to study the needs of gifted children and families, is co-author of a research report on acceleration and *Make a Twist: Curriculum differentiation for gifted students*.

**Dr Rosalind Walsh** is a trained high school teacher who holds a PhD from Macquarie University Institute of Early Childhood. She was the manager of the Gifted Education Research, Resource and Information Centre (GERRIC) at the University of New South Wales for 10 years. Rosalind has worked with teachers around Australia at both primary and secondary levels. Her doctoral research on young gifted children won a Vice-Chancellor's Commendation.