

## Emily Edwards

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When Emily and her family moved to the Kapiti Coast, she thought volunteering would be a great way to get to know her community and meet new people.

She was interested in working with children and through Volunteer Kapiti was able to find two suitable roles; Classroom Assistant and Playgroup Assistant.

She has found her volunteering very rewarding and has really enjoyed keeping busy. It has taught her to better interact with children (including her own family) and she feels fortunate to also have gained office skills that will come in handy in the future. When asked what she'd say to others considering volunteering, Emily says **“Give it a shot! It can be a lot of fun”**.



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