

## How to Be a Role Model

If you are asking yourself what qualities nursery school teachers must have and with which tasks they have to deal every day, here is what you should know.

First of all, a good nursery school teacher should be friendly, but also strict, because if you are friendly all the time, the kids might not take you seriously. Furthermore, you should really be well groomed, because for the kids you are a role model, and if you have holes in your jeans, for example, the kids will want this, too. Moreover it's one of the most important things that you are patient, because children can be annoying and exhausting sometimes. All these and many more qualities are necessary if you want to become a nursery school teacher who can handle typical tasks of this job.

As a nursery school teacher you will not only play with kids, like everyone says. This is a really challenging job, but if you like to work with kids, it is worth it. A nursery teacher educates the children, accompanies them in their development, supports them and challenges them to discover and to learn new things.

If you are thinking of attending BAfEP Feldkirch, it is important that you know how hard it can be and that you don't treat it lightly. This school is like the other upper secondary schools with Matura, and that's not easy. But what is more important is that you really want to work with kids. If you are not sure about that, it could get very difficult for you, because in these five years you have to do practical training in kindergarten very often, and that is quite demanding.

But if you try it and attend this school, you will learn how to deal with children, to support and encourage them. Children are incredible and make every day something special. And even if you have a bad day, the children will make it a good day again.