

Welcome to the Maningrida Translation Centre

Information and Application



Maningrida is a large Aboriginal Town where eleven languages are spoken. With support from the Kunibídjí Traditional Owners and the Elders of the Maningrida and West Arnhemland Uniting Church, The Maningrida Bible Translation Centre was opened in September 2023.

The centre is made up of a workshop space which should comfortably fit twenty participants and there is an attached one twin bedroom unit for staff which includes a small kitchen with fridge, microwave and small electric hotplate, table and chairs. There are male and female bathroom facilities. A locked storage container for teaching equipment is located outside.

The centre is built on the Uniting Church House block with a view to the bay and an outside shade area. It is situated next to Maningrida Aged Care and near to the Barge Landing. Within walking distance of the Church, School, a shop with takeaway and the clinic.

Maningrida Arts and Culture next to the Airport, Barrbarra Womens' Centre and the Djómi Museum are local places of interest and dinner is served regularly at Dhukurrdjji Lodge.



MABARNAD



Nguddja Ngabarra-binjiriba ngana Bible
Karrabba Nga-warrakala nguddja
Djabbarda ngabarra-wudja

Ndjebbana
Burarra Kuninjku
Kunbarlang Nakara Djinang Wulaki
Rembarrnga Kune Gunaripa Mawng Dalabon
Gurrgoni



Bookings for the Translation Centre will prioritise Bible Translation and Scripture Engagement events, Church work and then other language work. Bookings may be rescheduled or cancelled to support prioritised groups

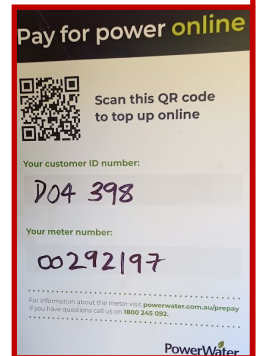
This is not a Motel facility so occupants will need to be self sufficient, transport is not provided, and cleaning is the responsibility of users of the facility.

Northern Land Council (NLC) permits are required to enter Maningrida, these can be applied for online at: [Permits | Northern Land Council \(nlc.org.au\)](#)

Child Safe accreditation is a requirement of staying on the Church block. Often children are among Church House residents so all adults using the accommodation unit must attach a copy of a Child Safe accreditation to their application, such as an Ochre Card from the Northern Territory.

Payment in full and a \$100 Bond are to be paid in order to gain access to the keys. The bond will be refunded two weeks after departure. The bond will cover any breakages or damage incurred

Power is shared with the church house residents and is on a prepaid system purchased by credit card from the nearby shop. Workshop leaders or those renting the unit will be expected to purchase \$50 worth of power on arrival. Further purchase of power can be negotiated with house residents, but if more is needed expect to pay. There is a QR code for online payment:



Drug and alcohol laws in Maningrida are strict and need to be adhered to. The Church block is a drug and Alcohol free area so all occupants are expected to comply with this restriction. Occupants are also expected to be respectful of other residents on the block, **dress modestly, honour residents' Christian values and behave appropriately.**

Food is not provided, there are three shops in Maningrida that supply food and some take away.

Sheets and towels are not provided.

Laundry facilities are available when in working order, to share with residents at the Church House, laundry detergent is not provided.

On departure:

Empty the fridge, wipe it over, turn off the power and leave fridge door ajar.

Wipe surfaces

Sweep floors



Application Form Maningrida Translation Centre

Email to Coordinate: coordinate@ns.uca.org.au

Any queries phone: 08 8982 3400

Name of Organisation: _____

Contact: First Name: _____ Surname: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Postal address: _____

Unit Only

Workshop Only

Workshop and Unit

Date of Arrival: _____

Date of Departure: _____

Banking details for Bond return: BSB _____ Acc No _____

Occupant 1:

First name: _____

Surname: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Postal Address: _____

Child safe Card

Scanned, attached to email

Driver's License or photo ID

scanned, attached to email

Occupant 2:

First name: _____

Surname: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Postal Address: _____

Child safe Card

scanned, attached to email

Driver's License or photo ID

scanned, attached to email

Banking details for payment:

Direct deposit: UCANS-CSIS Ref - Maningrida BTC

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ACC 100039620