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## OFFICEWORKS TO CELEBRATE MILESTONE 170TH AUSTRALIAN STORE OPENING IN CANNING VALE

Australia's leading retailer of stationery, technology, office products and education supplies, Officeworks, will open the doors to its 170th store, and 17th store in Western Australia, in Canning Vale on Wednesday, February 14.

Recognising the growing demand in Western Australia and the southern suburbs of Perth, the new 1,915 sqm store comes three months after Officeworks boosted its commitment to the West Coast with the launch of its state-of-the-art customer fulfilment centre in the state.

This milestone 170th store is the third Officeworks store to open nationally over the last six months and the first store to open in 2024. The Canning Vale store offers the same familiar, organised and clean layout and user-friendly service zones that Officeworks' customers know and love while showcasing Officeworks' 40,000+ product range across technology, stationery, art and education resources. The new store also offers Print & Create services and new self-service kiosks, wheelchair, and pram access.

The store has created 30 new jobs in the local community and, to support local students and equitable access to educational resources, the store team has chosen to donate \$2,000 in cash and Officeworks gift cards to the Waalitj Foundation's Deadly Sista Girlz program and the Tribe Early Learning Centre.

**Officeworks Canning Vale Store Business Manager, Sean Looker said:** "Our team is excited to open our doors and connect with the Canning Vale community. We can't wait to help make bigger things happen for our local schools and businesses to help inspire and support them to work, learn, create and connect.

"We are a team of 30 spanning a range of backgrounds and experience, 14 of us are Canning Vale locals and a further eight are from the surrounding suburbs including Southern River, Harrisdale, Piara Waters and Atwell.

"After living in Canning Vale for 18 years, I'm proud to be offered the opportunity to open the 170th Officeworks store. I know the locals are going to love the addition of Officeworks in our community, and I can't wait to open the doors to this brand-new store."

As part of ongoing commitments to sustainability, the store features premium sustainability integrations including 100 kW of solar PV, LED lighting and a building energy management system. Customers can also shop for plant based, reusable and recycled products from the People and Planet range, and recycle their unwanted products such as printers, laptops and pens and markers in store as part of the Bring it Back program.

Officeworks Canning Vale will celebrate its opening on **Wednesday, February 14 at 10am** alongside valued partners, community groups and team members.

Canning Vale residents and surrounding communities are invited to attend a Community Fun Day on Saturday, February 24 from 11am to 1pm to enjoy free activities such as arts and crafts, face painting, giveaways, complimentary coffee and more.

The new store is conveniently located at Tenancy 1, 215 Campbell Rd, Canning Vale and will open from 8am - 9pm Monday to Friday, 8am - 5pm on Saturdays and 11am - 5pm on Sundays.

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**About Officeworks**

Established in 1994 in Richmond, Victoria, Officeworks is committed to making bigger things happen for its customers, team, the community and stakeholders. It operates 170 stores across Australia, a website that is home to more than 40,000 products, a national call centre, and a business team that helps micro, small and medium-sized businesses start, run and grow and Australians to work, learn, create and connect.

Officeworks offers customers a wide range of office supplies, technology, furniture, art supplies, education resources and helpful services like print & copy and on-site and remote tech support through Geeks2U – delivering an experience that is easy and engaging, no matter how customers choose to shop.

Officeworks is focused on the safety, wellbeing and career progression of the more than 9,000 team members it employs. It's also dedicated to operating in a sustainable manner, including building and maintaining meaningful connections with the communities in which it operates, fundraising for its national partners and local community groups, continuing to reduce its impact on the environment and source responsibly.