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## Hit Lego program will stay at Cooktown Library

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COOKTOWN

A popular Lego robotics session will continue at the Cooktown Library, following booked out sessions during the first round of the program.

Lego WeDo, which combines Lego play with basic robotics aimed at 7 to 9 year olds, has been running in both Cooktown and Bloomfield libraries since September last year, thanks to a grant from the Queensland Government's Tech Savvy Regional Queenslanders program. Although the funding had finished, Cook Shire Council would continue the program at the Cooktown Library, Council's Community, Economy and Innovation Director Lawrence Booth said. "We had so many children take part in the Lego WeDo program, with most sessions booked out, and lots of great feedback from children and their parents," Mr Booth said. "The program is a brilliant way for kids to learn and improve on digital, coding and robotics skills in a fun environment and it's something that Council is proud to continue in Cooktown as part of our regular programs."

The program will be run every second Thursday during the school term, and is open to children aged 7 to 9. To register, or for more information, contact the Cooktown Library. Proudly funded and supported by the Queensland Government and the State Library of Queensland.

For more information on Library services and programs, visit our website at [www.cook.qld.gov.au](http://www.cook.qld.gov.au) or contact the Cooktown Library via email at [mail@cook.qld.gov.au](mailto:mail@cook.qld.gov.au) or phone on 4069 5444.

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