

## Inclusive Education

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# Support through ACC

When a child or young person is injured in an accident, ACC may be able to help with learning support and with activities at school.

### Types of support whānau may be able to access:

- Learning support for an injured child or young person and/or support for their participation in activities at school, for example, by providing a teacher aide or tutor.
- ACC may be able to support home education while an injured child or young person is unable to attend school.

### How to apply for education support:

- Whānau will need to ask their doctor to send ACC a letter of recommendation. ACC will then contact the whānau by letter with a claims number.
- Whānau then fill out the [ACC001 Claim for assistance form](#) and send it to ACC.

### Assessing what support will be provided:

- Sometimes ACC will need more details to make a decision on the type of supports needed.
- An independent assessor will contact the family and meet with the ECE centre, school, child or young person, and whānau. They'll ask about the support needed and make recommendations about it.
- ACC will then outline what support they can provide and for how long.

### ACC will work with the ECE centre or school:

- ACC will pay the ECE centre or school for support needs if the claim is accepted.
- ACC will work with Ministry of Education to organise supports for the ECE centre or school.

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