

Early Childhood Education Participation

This information is a Government requirement for any new entrant into a New Zealand school.

Did the child attend one or more Early Childhood Education service(s) in the six months prior to starting school? Please complete the table below for the last service(s) attended.

Instructions:

1. If the child was attending more than one service *at the same time*, please enter hours per week for up to three services.
2. If the child attended one service, but changed to a different service within the six months prior to starting school, please complete the table for the *last service only*, not both.
3. If the child's attendance hours varied, or the parent/caregiver is uncertain, please enter an approximate or average number of **hours per week**.

Please enter the number of hours per week for up to three services:	Service 1 (hrs/week)	Service 2 (hrs/week)	Service 3 (hrs/week)
a. Kohanga Reo			
b. Playcentre			
c. Kindergarten <i>or</i> Education and Care Centre			
d. Home based service			
e. Playgroup			
f. The Correspondence School – Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu			

Or

Please tick the appropriate box	
g. Attended, but only outside New Zealand	
h. Attended, but don't know what type of service	
i. Did not attend	
j. Unable to establish if attended or not	

Did the child regularly attend Early Childhood Education?

“Regularly attend” means the child was booked into a service for sessions each week/fortnight, and generally went to those sessions unless they were sick, or on holiday, or had a family occasion, etc.

- Yes, for the last ___ year(s).
- Not regularly, only occasionally with no ongoing schedule.
- No, did not attend ECE.