



**Australian Government**  
**Department of Education**

## First Nations children can get more hours of subsidised care

Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander families get 36 hours of Child Care Subsidy (CCS) per fortnight.

This is regardless of the amount of activity you do, such as work, training, study or volunteering.

- This may make your child care fees cheaper.
- Young ones can prepare and be ready for big school.
- You have more access to child care if you need it.

Find out more and how to apply at

[www.education.gov.au/families-first-nations-activity-test](http://www.education.gov.au/families-first-nations-activity-test)

You do not need to do anything if you already get more than 36 hours of CCS. Your family's CCS rate will continue to be based on your income.

