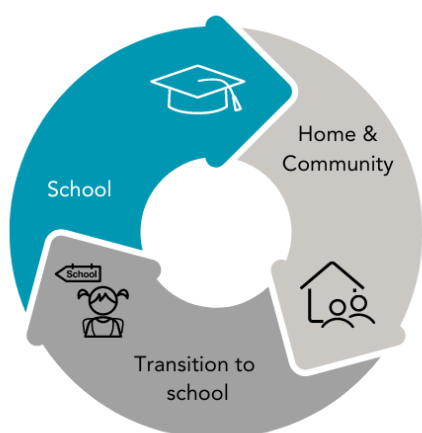


Support at school

Nurturing your child's engagement and wellbeing

Learning routines, skills and building partnerships at your school



Plumtree works with you, your child and your team to support success at school. Sometimes adjustments to the environment or additional resources may be needed for your child to thrive, because changes are common during these years. We partner with you and the school for your child to:

- Participate in routines
- Learn alongside other children in the classroom and playground
- Build independence
- Make friends

How we work with you

Plumtree's Support at school package is different to our early childhood intervention support. As your child is older and has more people in their life, priorities change.

We start by meeting with you to talk about goals and plan how to achieve them. While the family has the main relationship with the school, we are here to assist as a part of the team around your child.

There are fewer 1:1 therapy sessions, as our therapists work with you and the school team to support your child's learning with other children in the classroom and playground. We continue to consult with you online or via email or phone calls to stay on track with goals.

1:1 Early childhood support



School support



What does school support look like?

We support school-aged children by:

- Building relationships with families
- Building respectful partnerships with the school
- Promoting positive relationships and collaboration between the school and families
- Integrating home and school goals
- Building family skills and confidence in navigating the education and NDIS systems

We collaborate with schools to support inclusion by:

- Adjusting the environment
- Assisting with access to the curriculum
- Developing learning resources as needed
- Facilitating classroom or playground activities with other children

Our charges

To provide a quality service and make your goals happen, we often do additional work at the office that is invoiced. This can include completing documents to access the school, creating resources or correspondence and coordination with educators, other family members or professionals.

As consultants, we do not invoice families for short conversations to set up appointments. However, we do charge when discussions on the phone or by email relate to topics such as planning, goal setting and strategies.

The reason is that these engagements are directly related to achieving positive outcomes for your child and family. To be clear about the services we invoice for, you and your therapist will create a plan in advance that includes office and other non-face-to-face work.

Please talk to our client relationship manager if you would like to further discuss how we charge.

Support at school package

Children and their families have different needs. We will work with you to develop and implement a structured, individualised package for your child's engagement and wellbeing at school.



Speak with your keyworker or therapist for more information.
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