



Infocare Solutions

ECE Funding Key Dates 2022

This document provides key funding dates for early learning services for 2022.

Day and Date	ID	Description
Monday, 3 January	SH	New Year's Day Holiday
Tuesday, 4 January	SH	Day after New Year's Day Holiday
Wednesday, 5 January	-	Ministry of Education National Office reopens
Tuesday, 1 February	RS7	March 2022 electronic RS7 submission period opens
Monday, 7 February	SH	Waitangi Day Holiday
Tuesday, 8 February	RS7	Last submission day of March 2022 RS7s for 1 March Payment
Mid-February	EQI	New services to be advised of Equity Index assessment results and services that requested reviews
Tuesday, 1 March	PMT	01 March 2022 ECE operational funding payment
Monday, 7 March	RS7	Last submission day of March 2022 RS7s for 20 March payment
Friday, 15 April	SH	Good Friday
Monday, 18 April	SH	Easter Monday
Monday, 25 April	SH	ANZAC Day Holiday
Wednesday, 1 June	RS7	July 2022 electronic RS7 submission period opens
Monday, 6 June	SH	Queen's Birthday
Tuesday, 7 June	RS7	Last submission day of July 2022 RS7s for 1 July payment
Mid-June	EQI	New services to be advised of Equity Index assessments
Friday, 24 June	SH	Matariki Holiday
20 - 26 June	-	Annual ECE Return dates
Thursday, 30 June	FD	Financial declarations due for financial year end in 2021
Friday, 1 July	PMT	01 July 2022 ECE operational funding payment
Thursday, 7 July	RS7	Last submission day of July 2022 RS7s for 20 July payment
Saturday, 1 October	RS7	November 2022 electronic RS7 submission period opens
Friday, 7 October	RS7	Last submission day of November 2022 RS7s for 1 November payment
Monday, 24 October	SH	Labour Day
Tuesday, 1 November	PMT	01 November 2022 ECE operational funding payment
Monday, 7 November	RS7	Last submission day of November 2022 RS7s for 20 November payment
Sunday, 25 December	SH	Christmas Day
Monday, 26 December	SH	Boxing Day

Indicator	Description
RS7	RS7 Return funding
SH	Statutory Holiday – NB: services cannot claim SH in advance
EQI	Equity Index for funding
PMT	Early Childhood operational funding payment
FD	Financial Declaration Collection

Further reminders on dates and important information will be advertised on the Ministry website: Education.govt.nz and in [He Pānui Kōhungahunga – the Early Learning Bulletin](#)