

WPQ 30261 (2026) Table: Number of Early Childhood Education (ECE) services in operation during the week of 22 June 2026, broken down by region

Region	Number of ECE services
Bay of Plenty / Waiariki	393
Canterbury / Chatham Islands	489
Hawke's Bay / Tairāwhiti	276
Nelson / Marlborough / West Coast	146
Otago / Southland	263
Tai Tokerau (Northland)	205
Tāmaki Herenga Manawa (Central and East Auckland)	437
Tāmaki Herenga Tāngata (North and West Auckland)	529
Tāmaki Herenga Waka (South and Southwest Auckland)	465
Taranaki / Whanganui / Manawatū	293
Waikato	429
Wellington	447
Total	4,372