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A WORKSHOP FOR FAMILIES OF CHILDREN WITH
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY IN OR APPROACHING THE SCHOOL YEARS

ONE OF THE KIDS



COFFS HARBOUR-MAITLAND-
CHARLESTOWN
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COME ALONG TO LEARN ABOUT INCLUSIVE EDUCATION, HEAR
STORIES OF SUCCESS FROM THE REGULAR CLASSROOM, AND
THINK ABOUT HOW INCLUSION CAN WORK FOR YOUR CHILD

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TUESDAY	May 10	C.EX COFFS HARBOUR
THURSDAY	May 12	EASTS LEISURE AND GOLF CLUB MAITLAND
FRIDAY	May 13	CHARLESTOWN BOWLING CLUB
REGISTRATION	<u>Online</u> or via <u>www.family-advocacy.com</u>	
CALL US	1800 620 588 or (02) 9869 0866	
EMAIL US	<u>advocacyandleadership@family-advocacy.com</u>	
COST	\$15.00	
TIME	9:30 am – 2.30 pm	

Refreshments available on arrival with lunch and a resource pack provided.

The workshop will cover:

- How the school years can lead to a meaningful life
- A brief history of disability education
- What an inclusive education looks like
- Evidence and support for inclusive education
- How inclusion can look in the classroom
- Education policies and supports that exist within schools
- Advocacy tools and strategies for families

Hear from a family whose child is learning in a regular classroom

Family Advocacy is an independent and impartial advocacy organisation that works with families across NSW to promote and defend the rights and interests of people who have developmental disability*

The organisation is managed and staffed by parents and allies of people with disability who recognise the issues families face and who can assist in strengthening the advocacy of families.

*Developmental disability is a disability that occurs in the developmental period of a person's life (in the period from conception to adulthood) and includes intellectual disability, cerebral palsy, spina bifida, autism, and any combination of physical, intellectual or sensory disability.