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

ONE OF THE KIDS



**GRAFTON - LISMORE
SEPTEMBER 2017**

LEARN ABOUT INCLUSIVE EDUCATION, HEAR STORIES OF
SUCCESS FROM A PARENT GUEST SPEAKER AND SEE HOW
INCLUSION WORKS IN THE REGULAR CLASSROOM.

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WEDNESDAY SEPT 13**QUALITY INN GRAFTON****THURSDAY SEPT 14****KARINGA MOTEL LISMORE****REGISTRATION**Online or via www.family-advocacy.com**CALL US**

1800 620 588 or (02) 9869 0866

EMAIL USadvocacyandleadership@family-advocacy.com**COST****FREE****TIME****9:30 am — 3.00 pm**

Please arrive from 9.00am for a 9.30am start.

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

This workshop is designed for families of children with disability to attend only. We encourage interested workers to view our website or call us for a discussion. 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 parent 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.