

FEDERAL INVESTMENTS IN EARLY LEARNING AND CHILD CARE FOR INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES

Program Name	Department	Annual Expenditure	Description
Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care Transformation Initiative	Employment and Social Development Canada (ESCD)	\$126 million	Supports the implementation of the co-developed Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care Framework
Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care support		\$120 million	One time funding to support pandemic mitigation efforts
First Nations and Inuit Child Care Initiative		\$50 million	Child care for First Nations and Inuit parents employed or participating in a training program
Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care Secretariat		\$15 million	To build capacity in Indigenous governance.
Aboriginal Head Start on Urban and Northern Communities	Public Health Agency of Canada	\$48 million	Part day culturally appropriate preschool programs for children living off-reservse
Aboriginal Head Start on Reserve	Indigenous Services Canada	\$35 million	Part day culturally appropriate preschool programs for children living on reserves
Grants	ESCD	\$38.2 million	Contributions to non-profit Aboriginal organizations to develop early intervention programs for Aboriginal pre-school children and their families
Child Care on Reserve (ON, AB)	Crown Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada	\$22 million	Cost sharing agreement where Ottawa reimburses ON and AB for thier share of spending for child care on reserves