



MÉTIS NATION OF ONTARIO  
**Early Learning  
& Child Care**

DEVELOPMENTAL  
RESOURCE CONSULTANT  
(0-8 YEARS)

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# GETTING HELP FOR YOUR MÉTIS EARLY LEARNER

The Métis Nation of Ontario **Early Learning and Child Care Developmental Resource Consultant** program supports Métis children (0-8 years old) and their families by ensuring their voices are heard, and their educational journeys are positive.

## Eligibility Criteria:

- One parent/guardian or child must be a Métis Nation of Ontario citizen
- Applicants must have a child aged 0-8 years
- Applicants must reside in Ontario

## ABOUT

The program works with childcare centers and schools to ensure that children and families feel comfortable and confident when interacting with educators. In addition, we help families recognize learning barriers and work together to provide solutions and support.

Early Learning and Child Care Developmental Resource Consultants (ELCC DRCs) are available to help families with children ages zero to eight (0-8) by connecting them to services and resources in their communities. This program aims to help recognize learning barriers and work together to provide information, solutions, and support to help improve outcomes. The ELCC DRC's work together with families to build the capacity of the parent/guardian through providing support, guidance, and navigation. No more leaving meetings feeling confused and unheard!

The ELCC DRC's help Métis Children and their families experiencing challenges or barriers in many areas, including; emotional regulation, social isolation, specialized placement for children with exceptionalities, and those requiring developmental support.

Support is provided if there are clear educational challenges, as well as if there are no specific needs. All are welcome!

## DEVELOPMENTAL RESOURCE CONSULTANTS OFFER SUPPORT BY:

- Providing families with developmental and educational resources
- Connecting families to other Early Learning and Child Care services and programs
- Helping families in navigating programs within the MNO and externally
- Supporting families in finding appropriate childcare
- Attending school/childcare center meetings with families
- Providing insight into learning styles and possible learning barriers
- Aiding in the transition to new learning settings such as childcare, school, or extra-curricular activities

