



FOUNDED IN 1975

Explorers Unlimited

TAURANGA BRANCH

New Zealand Association for Gifted Children Inc.

Evidence of Giftedness:

With this application, Explorers requires evidence that at least one child in the family has intellectual or creative ability in the top 5%. This acknowledges that some children with such ability may not be performing in the top 5% at present. This evidence could be any of the following:

- Letter from school/parent with specific information about the child's learning, social behaviour or development indicating ability in the top 5%.
- PAT (done in most schools after age of 6) or other educational assessment
- IQ or other psychological assessment
- Reading age (at least 2 years above chronological age & showing other signs of giftedness)
- Attendance at special ability/accelerant programmes such as CWSA, CWEA, George Parkyn Centre, Gifted Kids Programme and GATE.
- Membership at another branch or similar organisation with similar criteria.

Please supply evidence of giftedness as an attachment.

Parents or Guardians (Please print)

Name	Name
Address	Address
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Post Code	Post Code
Phone	Phone
Fax	Fax
Email	Email
Occupation	Occupation
Relationship to child	Relationship to child

Children: The whole family may be involved in Explorers activities. Please list all the children in your family, from eldest to youngest. If surnames are different from parents please indicate correct surname.

Name (known by)	Date of Birth	M/F	School currently attending

How did you hear about Explorers?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Regular school/preschool | <input type="checkbox"/> Specialist school/preschool | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Professional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend/Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychologist/Assessor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Web site/internet search | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please give details) | |

Privacy Act

From time to time NZAGC has a need for information to support statistical research, lobbying and other purposes relevant to the aims of the organisation. Please sign those statements with which you agree.

- I agree that details supplied in this application may be so used. I understand that this information will be used in such a way that individual children will not be identified

Signed.....

Explorers often has requests from parents seeking member families in their area.

- I agree to my name and phone number being supplied to other parents

Signed.....

The NZAGC has a discussion forum where issues affecting gifted children e.g. existing/new schools, are discussed. You can be sent email communications from this forum and can comment on these if you wish.

- I wish to receive communications from the discussion forum by email.

Signed.....

Informal photos of Explorers' activities may sometimes be used for the magazine or promotional purposes. Please indicate if you want your family excluded from these.

- Please do not use photos of my family for the magazine or for promotions.

Signed.....

Important Note! Parents' Responsibilities

You are responsible for your children and any children in your care. Explorers is not responsible for any of your children regardless of age at any time during any activities e.g. clubdays & camps. Explorers wants to offer a range of activities that will interest our diverse membership. Some of these activities will require more parent supervision than others and it is the parents' responsibility to ensure that they are fully aware of all safety procedures, attend any safety briefings offered in relation to a particular activity, and to ensure the children adhere to all rules and act in the interests of their own safety and the safety of others. Parents must supervise all their own children regardless of age at all times as Explorers will not be held liable for your safety or your children's safety during activities.

- I/we agree to the above and will be fully responsible for our children and any children we might have in our/my care during all Explorer activities.

Signed.....

Explorers is a voluntary organisation run by the members for the members. Therefore, you will be required to help with activities sometimes. Please indicate particular areas where you could help.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Library | <input type="checkbox"/> Phone or email bookings | <input type="checkbox"/> Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Funding | <input type="checkbox"/> Web Site | <input type="checkbox"/> Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Activity/Conference planning |

Return with your cheque to:

Membership Secretary:
Mellissa Mikara
P.O. Box 15379
Tauranga.

Phone 07 578 3845

Email tauranga@giftedchildren.org.nz

Explorers membership fee: \$55.00 (\$27.50 1 September – 31 December). This includes national membership and a subscription to *Tall Poppies* magazine. Please Make your cheque out to Explorers.
(If for some reason your application is not accepted, your cheque will be returned)

For office use only:

Evidence supplied: By whom

Date entered:..... Date approved if different

Subscription paid: \$.....

Membership no.

Newsletter sent Term

Labels/name tags made

National notified