

**INQUIRY INTO STUDENTS WITH A DISABILITY OR  
SPECIAL NEEDS IN NEW SOUTH WALES SCHOOLS**

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Please consider the complex needs of a significant number of students who are being catered for in our schools with meagre funding. Increase funding so there are additional teachers with specialist training to work with the students in the mainstream and to assist their visiting parents navigate their way through the complex world of education and post school options. More funding needed. Training overstretched classroom teachers is not sufficient. These children and young adults need specialist care in school everyday.