






DO YOU HAVE A  
CHILD IN PRIMARY,  
SECONDARY  
SCHOOL OR  
COLLEGE?





## ARE THEY EXPERIENCING DIFFICULTY?


 Does your child have a specific learning difference, such as ADHD, dyslexia, autism, or anxiety?

 Is your child experiencing challenges in reading, writing, and spelling?

 Have you been asked to sign off on a learning plan, or attend a learning plan meeting at school?

 Is your child experiencing distress, school refusal, or high levels of disengagement and anxiety?

 Does your child suffer from chronic or acute illness, resulting in prolonged absences from school?

 Do you find clinical or educational reports and assessments overwhelming and difficult to translate into real-life solutions?

If this is your story, Pontoon is here to help.

## WHAT IS PONTOON?

We are a Tasmanian educational advocacy and consultancy service, working alongside parents and caregivers, schools, and allied health professionals, to support your child's individual learning needs.

At Pontoon, we partner with families and schools to streamline and support the implementation of professional recommendations and evidence-based classroom adjustments, designed to maximise your child's learning outcomes and sense of belonging at school.


## OUR TEAM


The team at Pontoon are passionate and inclusive educators with 40+ years' experience working across public, private, and not-for-profit sectors.


At Pontoon, we ground all collaborative partnerships in the specific learning needs of your child - creating clear, purposeful, and evidence-based pathways for learning. We are highly skilled and effective communicators, who respectfully and actively listen to the needs of your family.


## WHAT WE OFFER


Pontoon's services and packages can help your family to:


 Understand and advocate for the specific needs of your child – with a focus on their individual strengths and interests, as well as any challenges.

 Recognise and prioritise immediate needs, responding with timely, effective, and evidence-based measures.

 Work in partnership with your child's school, including learning support staff.

 Determine the purpose and goals set out in learning plans, offering recommendations to achieve them.

 Elevate the voice and perspectives of your child by anchoring all conversations in their lived experience at school.

 Translate diagnostic information, (assessments and reports) into strategic and effective classroom accommodations.

At Pontoon we cultivate strong and productive relationships – elevating the voice of your child and prioritising the needs of your family.

For further enquiries about how we can best support you and your family, please contact us at [pontoonadvocacy@gmail.com](mailto:pontoonadvocacy@gmail.com)