

Government help for small businesses

Are you new to business?

When you're starting up, government support can help your business get off the ground.



Regional Business Partner Network

Business advisors available to support business owners with:

- **Advice** and support on how to grow and innovate
- **Connections** to support services, industry networks and other business professionals
- **Information** and referrals to specialist support from other government agencies

Work and Income

For people on benefits who want to start a business:

- **Subsidies** for set-up and training costs
- **Access** to business advice services

Business Mentors NZ

Start-up mentoring programme with experts who can test your thinking and help validate ideas

Statistics New Zealand

Online tools to access reliable business data to help you understand your industry, customers and competitors

Information Centre and **customised services** for specific data

Inland Revenue

Free tax workshops in your region

Introduction to Business **online videos**

Business.govt.nz

Start up smart with **tips, advice** and **tools** for new businesses, from across government, **all in one place**, designed to make your life easier

Get extra help if your new business fits these categories:



Callaghan Innovation

Help to build skills, develop new products and do R&D

Incubators to get quickly to market

Accelerators to rapidly grow

Grants get started



Te Puni Kōkiri

Māori Business Facilitation Service growing Māori businesses:

- **Advisors** to help you develop your business
- **Brokering** to **enhance** access to other businesses, networks and agencies



New Zealand Story

Marketing toolkit to promote your business overseas

Ministry for Primary Industries

Programme to improve productivity of land owned by a collective



Are you an established business?

A wide range of government support is available if you're already well established.



Regional Business Partner Network

Business Advisors available to support business owners with:

- **Advice** on how to grow and innovate
- **Connections** to support services, industry networks and other business professionals
- **Vouchers** for subsidised training in specialist business topics
- Access **grants** to get started with R&D from Callaghan Innovation

Business Mentors NZ

Mentoring programme with experts who can act as a sounding board, challenge thinking and provide a fresh perspective

Inland Revenue

Online tools and **advice** on how to manage your business tax

Free tax workshops in your region

Statistics New Zealand

Online tools to access reliable business data to help you understand your industry, customers and competitors

Information Centre and **customised services** for relevant data and information

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Short on time? Kept awake by staff, health and safety and employment issues?

Save time and sleep easier by using our **tools** and **resources** for established businesses

Get extra help if your existing business fits these categories:



NZTE

Help and advice to:

- **Build** overseas alliances and relationships
- **Access** international distribution networks and new markets
- **Gain** new skills and investment capital



Te Puni Kōkiri

Māori Business Facilitation Service growing Māori businesses:

- **Advisors** to help you develop your business
- **Support** to assist in the growth of established Māori business
- **Brokering** to **enhance** access to other businesses, networks and agencies



Callaghan Innovation

Access to experts and business collaborations

Technology and product development **support**

Programmes to build innovation skills

R&D grants



Ministry for Primary Industries

Grants to export and improve productivity

Partnerships for agribusiness R&D

Ministry for Primary Industries

Programme to improve productivity of land owned by a collective

For more on government grants and other help, see business.govt.nz

