

DMFS – Children’s Support Programs



[Education Assistance Scheme \(EAS\)](#) - Provides a range of financial support to help members pay for some additional education costs for their children caused by a posting to a location within Australia. Further information can be found in [PACMAN](#)

[Defence School Mentor Program \(DSMP\)](#) - Provides funding to applicant schools for the employment of Defence School Mentors (DSMs) to assist Defence children transition to new localities and school environments and provide support to the children and families of ADF members when a parent is absent from home.

[ADF Equip Program: Children's Group Resilience Program](#) - A suite of sessions tailor-made to support the resilience and wellbeing of children that may experience the effects of parental absence and frequent relocations due to their parent/s or guardian/s serving in the ADF. Register your interest for the ADF Equip program via the above link and a staff member of your local DMFS office will be in contact.