

## **A child or young person may need an eye test if they...**

- get tired quickly
- rub their eyes a lot
- find it difficult to copy
- regularly need longer than others to complete tasks
- find it difficult to read small print
- find it difficult to read from the whiteboard
- frequently complain of headaches
- often miss the edge of the table when trying to put things down
- fall over objects in their path
- depend too much on peer support to complete tasks / get around
- find it difficult to interpret drawings / pictures in dim light or if the contrast isn't good.
- find it difficult to see in the dark.

**Advise the parent / carer to make an appointment with an optometrist for an eye test at the earliest opportunity.**

**Remember:**

**Eye tests for children are FREE!!**

