KiwiSaver – Government Contributions

1 July 2025 changes

People aged 16 and 17 will qualify for government contributions, so long as they meet other eligibility requirements. Prior to 1 July 2025, members must be 18 or older to qualify.

The government KiwiSaver contribution will halve, reducing the maximum government contribution from $521.43 to $260.72 each year.

People who earn more than $180,000 of taxable income in a year will no longer qualify for government contributions.

There’ll be no change to government contributions for the year ending 30 June 2025. These will be paid in July and August at the current government contribution rate.