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Trevor has worked in the Disability and Special Education sector for the last 10 years. Initially an electronics and electro-mechanical technician, he started modifying and repairing assistive technology equipment for clients with disabilities and supporting the government Special Education Service therapists with their assessment and support roles.

Subsequent to this he established and managed the NZ subsidiary of an Australian company, Spectronics, an importer and distributor of assistive technology and software. He supported special needs teachers in their assessment and use of special technology for their students.

Currently he owns and manages STAR educational. We import and distribute a range of special technology and resources for people with disabilities but specialise in the Special Education sector. As such he spend a large amount of time visiting with special needs schools and special units in our mainstream schools talking with teachers about their equipment and software needs and providing training for said resources.