Parents’ guide to additional support for learning

This detailed and user-friendly guide:
- explains the framework for supporting children’s learning
- outlines rights for parents and young people and responsibilities for education authorities
- describes processes for identifying and making provision for children and young people with additional support needs.

Enquire factsheets and information sheets

These factsheets look in more detail at a range of topics relating to additional support for learning.

**Understanding children’s rights**
- Additional support for learning and disability rights
- Additional support for learning: A guide for parents or carers of looked after children
- Children’s rights to education and additional support in school

**Early years**
- Early learning and childcare

**Planning children’s learning**
- Planning children and young people’s learning
- Co-ordinated support plans

**Getting the right support**
- Assessment
- Supporting children and young people with healthcare needs in school
- Taking part in your child’s education
- Who provides extra support for children’s learning

**Starting or changing school**
- Choosing a school
- Placing requests

**Attending school**
- Exclusion from school
- School attendance
- Transport to school
- When a child can’t go to school

**Solving problems**
- Resolving disagreements
- Mediation
- Resolving disputes using independent adjudication
- Section 70 complaints
- Steps to resolving disagreements

**Leaving school**
- Education and additional support after 16
- Transition timescales: summary of duties
The Enquire website - www.enquire.org.uk - is packed with information including all the publications available in print.

Leaflet for parents and carers
A useful reminder of the advice and information Enquire can provide about childrens’ rights to additional support with their learning. Enquire can help parents and carers make informed decisions about their child’s education and support.

Find a service
Use our online map to find local or national services that provide:
- education
- support to access education
- advice and family support
www.enquire.org.uk/service

Advice for professionals
Our website contains resources to help professionals understand additional support for learning legislation and build strong partnerships with families.
www.enquire.org.uk/professionals

REACH
We have a great website for young people called Reach with advice and information about finding the right support. www.reach.scot

My Rights, My Say
Children aged 12-15 have the right to have a say and be involved in decisions about the support they receive in school. They can access help to talk to their school and sort out any disagreements.
To find out more visit:
http://reach.scot/myrightsmysay/
http://enquire.org.uk/myrightsmysay/