

Parent Information – Elective Home Education (EHE)

This is a brief summary for those with parental responsibility who have decided to remove a child from school roll to become fully responsible for their education – known as Elective Home Education (EHE).

- ✓ Parents have a legal duty:
 - to ensure their children receive an efficient full-time education suitable to age, ability, aptitude and any special educational needs (SEN).
- ✓ Derbyshire County Council itself has a legal duty:
 - to safeguard all of its young people by means of a reasonable and proportionate approach, making sure each child's development is progressing well.

Due to these legal requirements, you and your child will be asked about aspects of EHE provision – via a pre-arranged home visit, an online/telephone call, and/or other contact – and will include:

- Your approach to your child's learning
- Areas of learning, including Mathematics and English
- Social and emotional development
- Physical and health development
- Resources including ICT, subscription, schemes
- Plans, especially for certain ages or stages of development
- Your child's views about their learning

It is important to note:

- ✓ You will be offered advice and suggestions to help protect and enhance your child's individual educational entitlement
- ✓ Derbyshire County Council does not provide tutors or resources for EHE

Further local and national guidance can be found at:

<https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/elective-home-education/elective-home-education.aspx>
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/elective-home-education>