



How can I get help?

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Independent Support

What about me?

- What do you want for the future?
- You are the most important person in the process
- You will need to think about what you are happy with and what needs to change.
- It is very important that you tell the professionals what you want and need.
- Independent Support can help!

About Independent Supporters

Independent Supporters work for Amaze. All of the Independent Supporters team have a DBS (formerly CRB) check and complete accredited national training.

Amaze

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For young people
with special educational needs
and disabilities





An Independent Supporter...

- is there for YOU. We don't work for your school or college.
- We can work just with you or with you and your family

What is changing?

Statements of special educational needs and Learning Difficulty Assessments are being replaced by Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plans. If you have special educational needs and you are in Year 11 or aged 16-25 you can ask for an EHC assessment.

What is an EHC Plan?

An Education, Health and Care Plan describe your aims for the future and what you may need to achieve them.

What work, education or training would you like to do? Where do you want to live? What will your life be like in the future? Do you need any support?

How can we help you?

You can have an Independent Supporter to help you to:

- Understand what the Education Health and Care Plan means for you
- Make sure you have the information you need
- Answer any questions that you may have
- Write down what you want to do
- Go with you to meetings about the plan
- Make sure the professionals know what you want

