

The Education [Additional Support For Learning] [Scotland] Act 2004 is underpinned by the theme of equality and moved Authorities from a requirement to make **general** provision to meet needs to a position where adequate and efficient provision is made for **individuals**. The Act also broadened the concept of additional support needs, promoted collaborative working between different agencies and expected greater involvement of parents and children and young people in the decision making process. The intention was to further ensure that all children and young people and their parents were included.

The 2004 Act required authorities to make adequate and efficient provision so that children and young people could benefit from school education. The additional support required was an entitlement with a presumption that their education would be provided in a mainstream setting as a matter of course.

Within our schools we operate a model of staged intervention where support is provided in varied ways to meet individual needs. Our approach to assessment ensures that the needs of children and young people are recognised and support can be provided.

At times, parents and schools may come into dispute. While we would always hope that difficulties could be resolved at the school level we recognise that parents or young people may wish to formalise their concerns. To assist with this we have a complaints procedure and also offer independent mediation and adjudication. It is also possible under certain circumstances to refer the case to the Additional Support Needs Tribunal for Scotland.

The Education [Additional Support For Learning] [Scotland] Act 2009 which came into force on 14 November 2010 continued to broaden the definition of additional support needs and provided parents with the right to make placing requests for a child or young person to attend a school in a neighbouring authority. It also further developed the concept of involving the child or young person in decisions and ensuring that communication and information sharing was enhanced.



It was a requirement of both Acts that a range of information should be published by the Authority and that all such information should be summarised and made available. This statement provides that summary and parents and young people may also request more information through the other leaflets available from schools and from the Moray Council.

Link	All six leaflets can be found at the following URL: <a href="http://www.moray.gov.uk/moray_standard/page_42567.html#Publications_for_Parents">http://www.moray.gov.uk/moray_standard/page_42567.html#Publications_for_Parents</a>				
Publication Details	Leaflet: <a href="#">Policy on Provision of Additional Support Needs in Moray</a>	Leaflet: <a href="#">Identifying Children and Young People with Additional Support Needs</a>	and Leaflet: <a href="#">Assessing and Re-assessing Pupils' Additional Support Needs</a>	Leaflet: <a href="#">The Roles of Parents of Children and Young People with Additional Support Needs</a>	Leaflet: <a href="#">Providing Mediation and Resolving Disputes</a>
Information required within the Act	The Authority's Policy in relation to provision for additional support needs	How the Authority makes adequate and efficient provision for support and the provision for keeping those needs and support under consideration	The other opportunities under the Acts for identifying children and young people who have additional support needs and/or require a Coordinated Support Plan	The role of parents, children and young people in all arrangements	Dispute resolution  Summary Information

For alternative formats, languages or further information, please ask an English speaking friend or relative to:  
Phone: 01343 563319  
Email: [equalopportunities@moray.gov.uk](mailto:equalopportunities@moray.gov.uk)

Write to: Project Officer (Equal Opportunities)  
Chief Executive's Office  
High Street  
Elgin, IV30 1BX

如要索取其他的版式、各種語文的翻譯本，或需要更詳細的資訊，請叫一位會說英語的朋友或親屬與我們聯繫：

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Jeżeli chcieliby Państwo otrzymać informacje w innym formacie, języku lub dodatkowe informacje, mówiący po angielsku znajomy lub członek rodziny może do nas:

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Para outros formatos, idiomas ou para obter mais informações, peça para um amigo ou parente que fale a língua inglesa entrar em contato conosco:

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## **CONTACT INFORMATION:-**

For further information you can contact the **Inclusion Manager.**



They can be contacted either on the telephone general enquiries line – 01343 563374 or email:-  
[educationandsocialcare@moray.gov.uk](mailto:educationandsocialcare@moray.gov.uk).



Further information regarding Additional Support Needs can also be accessed via The Moray Council Internet pages on:  
[http://www.moray.gov.uk/moray\\_standard/page\\_43857.html](http://www.moray.gov.uk/moray_standard/page_43857.html)



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### **(SUMMARY INFORMATION LEAFLET)**

