

Who makes the decision about how much support my child will have?

If your child requires additional support either individual or within a group, the school will provide this support up to an additional 15 hours. If, through discussions with teachers, parents and pupil it is felt that further additional support is needed, the school will make an application for an EHC plan. If the application is successful, an additional amount of money will be provided by the council to provide additional support beyond those 15 hours. The council will require extensive evidence as to how the school already provides those additional 15 hours before a decision can be made. This process takes about a year to achieve.