



**Children's Directorate
Education and Partnerships
Education Welfare Service
Head of Service: Anna Turner**

«Parent»
«Address1»
«Address2»
«Town»
«PostalCode»

My Ref:
Your Ref:
Date:
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Dear Parent
Name (son/daughter) DOB
Date of EHE

The Local Authority has received notification from (School, Professional, Local Authority) that you have requested to educate your son/daughter within the Elective Home Education (EHE) framework. The Education Welfare Service (EWS) will register your son/daughter on the Barnsley EHE register and an Education Welfare Officer (EWO) will be allocated your case.

It is important that you understand, as their parent/guardian you will take full responsibility for your son/daughter's education. This means that neither the previous school nor the Local Authority are responsible for your son/daughter's education.

Please note that Elective Home Education is not remote learning and education provision solely lies with the parent/guardian. The Local Authority (LA) will not cover any costs you may occur including resources and examination fees for GCSEs or equivalents including Year 11 exams – this includes those families who receive other forms of financial support; cannot provide any resources including technology resources such as laptops and nor can your son/daughter's previous school; cannot mark or assess any work – although the LA can check the suitability of work. If your son/daughter receives Free School Meals, there is no replacement scheme for this such as food vouchers

Below are two QR codes where you should be able to access details of resources via the Local Offer and Family Information Service. An EWO will contact you within the next five days to arrange a home visit. The EWO will speak to you about your EHE plans and, if appropriate, speak to your son/daughter about their expectations for the EHE process.

Please contact me directly if you require any further information

Yours sincerely

Area Manager
Education Welfare Service



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