

Meet the Team



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Parent/Carer Consent

If it is agreed by you and your school setting to have EPS involvement, please provide consent using the QR code or link below:



<https://forms.office.com/e/EwkGHRjNtt>



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<https://www.blaenau-gwent.gov.uk/en/resident/schools-learning/educational-psychology/>



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Information for Parents/Carers



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Information for Parents/Carers

Firstly

If you have concerns about your child's learning or emotional wellbeing, please speak to your child's teacher, form tutor or Additional Learning Needs Co-ordinator in the first instance.

If you and your child's school/setting agree for the Educational Psychology Service (EPS) to become involved with your child, you will be asked for your consent*. If your child is old enough, they may be able to give their own informed consent.

*The consent form can be found using the QR code on this leaflet in the 'Request for EP Involvement' section.

What do Educational Psychologists (EPs) do?

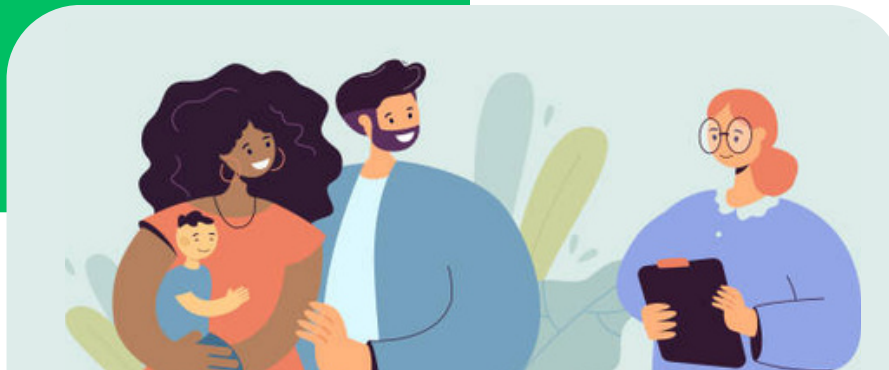
Educational Psychologists work collaboratively in schools and educational settings to support children and young people to bring about positive change.

We work with:

- Teachers
- Families
- Other professionals



Our aim is to help schools and parents/carers to find a way of improving things when a child is having difficulty with their learning and/or emotional wellbeing.



The EP may do any of the following:



Meetings with school staff & joint school family consultation (with parents/carers and teachers).



Spend time talking to your child to gather their views.



Conduct observations in context including interaction with your child as part of a group within the class.



If agreed, direct work might be completed with your child.



Written feedback provided to you, the school, and with your permission, to relevant professionals.