

# Special Education Needs and Disability (SEND): Developing Your Practice



## An e-learning course for Special Education Needs Co-Ordinators, Newly Qualified Teachers and Governors

### Overview

The SEND reforms set out in the Children and Families Act (2014), are the biggest reforms for meeting the needs of Children and Young People with SEND for over 30 years.

This e-learning course will support you to understand the reforms and how they will impact on your work.

### Course content

The course consists of 3 modules:

- Module 1 – provides an overview of the SEND reforms and the changes we have made in Durham
- Module 2 – explains the thinking behind new ways of working
- Module 3 – looks at funding and personal budgets

### Objectives

By the end of this course you will have an understanding of:

- The SEND reforms
- How Durham is implementing the SEND reforms
- The principles of the system
- What you must and should do when assessing and planning for children with SEND
- Funding provision within educational settings for children and young people with SEND
- The different elements that may make up a personal budget

### To access the course

Please request access to the course by contacting the Children and Young People's Services Development and Learning Team:

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