



### **Renfrewshire Advice Works Schools Support Service**

Renfrewshire Advice Works is a money and debt advice service available to all Renfrewshire residents.

The service offers free, confidential and independent advice on money and debt issues including budgeting, negotiating with creditors, and mortgage and rent arrears - as well as checking individuals are receiving all the benefits they are entitled to.

The service can provide information on how to complete benefit claim forms and all other Social Security forms including

- School Meals & Clothing Grants,
- Housing Benefit & Discretionary Housing Payments,
- Disability Living Allowance,
- Education Maintenance Allowance,
- Employment & Support Allowance,
- Attendance Allowance
- Council Tax Reduction
- Tax Credits & Universal Credit & many more.

A dedicated service is now available to provide advice to parents whose child/children attend an educational establishment in Renfrewshire.

If this is a service that you feel would be of benefit to you, a member of school staff can ensure that a referral to the service is made on your behalf.

Following referral, an Income Adviser from this dedicated team will contact you directly to provide advice & support.