

Information for Children and Young People

Educational Psychology Service

Who are we?

The Educational Psychology Service is part of Children's Services within Shetland Islands Council.



Educational Psychologists have special training to work with children and young people, teachers, parents or carers and other people such as Speech and Language Therapists and Social Workers.

We use our knowledge of psychology to find out what helps you learn and do your best in school.

What do Educational Psychologists do?

Educational Psychologists may help by:

- Finding out more about your strengths and interests as well any challenges or difficulties you might have
- Looking at your work or spending time in your class
- Talking to you, your parents or carers, and your teachers at school
- Having a meeting with you and other people who know you well
- Working with you and others to make suggestions and come up with a plan to support you.

Where can you find out more information about the Educational Psychology Service?

If you would like to know more about the Educational Psychology Service, talk to an adult in your school or speak to your parents or other adults who look after you.

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