

### Evaluations - what home educators think about the service:

- 100% happy with the visit/meeting with EHE Service by Home Education Support Officers on completion of postcards at the end of the visit – Note the community meetings being held offer a view that not all parents choose / need or are happy with visit outcomes .SCC has asked for some visits to be cancelled at parental request directly received by SCC
- 100% asked found the visit/meeting helpful
- 98% felt very confident to continue with home education
- 2% felt reasonably confident to continue with home education

### A feedback letter received:

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have been using the Elective Home Education Service for over 12 months now and find it invaluable. My son is 6 years old. He is profoundly disabled and medically unpredictable, so I felt after long deliberation that home education was best and safest option.

Our Home Education Support Officer (HESO) visits more or less every 4 months; she always asks my preference. Her job title is spot on! She is extremely supportive, always encouraging and full of new ideas and suggestions.

There have been occasions where I have doubted myself and wondered if I am doing the correct thing by ....., but she has reassured me that he is progressing well and developing new skills each time she visits. She gives me the confidence to carry on. After each visit, she goes away to research new ideas which she then sends me in a detailed informative worksheet which I stick on my fridge for future reference throughout the coming weeks. .... is always so positive and friendly I always look forward to her visits.

Thanks so much for your email, I was so glad to finally meet up with you. I have ordered the curriculum today so that will be on its way in the post. I have also been looking into and planning possible projects to base our learning around, as you suggested. I feel so inspired after your visit and really appreciate your input and your further contributions too. I will keep you posted and let you know for definite when I start teaching and when I would like to meet again.

..... has been very supportive and provided all information required to move .... forward with his studies. Thank you.

Happy with service as it stands – thank you.

You can't improve the service, was very helpful and lovely, thank you!