



Moving On Plans

We provide information, advice, guidance and support to all young people aged 13 to 19. We can continue to provide a service to young people with learning difficulties and disabilities up to the age of 25.

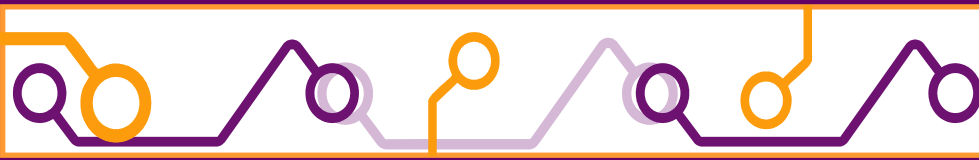
What is a Moving On plan?

It is a written plan to make sure that young people with learning difficulties and disabilities who enter further education, training or higher education have their learning and support needs assessed. It is required by Section 140 of the Learning and Skills Act 2000.

The Section 140 assessment is carried out by a Connexions Personal Adviser. We call this a Moving On Plan.

When are Moving On Plans completed?

When young people with special educational needs are at school, they receive extra support to help them with their learning. When they leave school for further education or training, they will often still need support with their learning. At this point, young people who are going to go onto further education should have a Moving On Plan.



The Moving On Plan only applies to young people with learning difficulties and disabilities who enter, or are likely to enter, further education, training or higher education.

If a young person has a statement of special educational needs, the Moving On Plan is normally completed in the final year of compulsory education. It can be later if, for example, they stay at the same school for an extra period.

Many young people with learning difficulties and disabilities do not have statements when they are at school. If, when they leave school (or later), they decide to go to college or start training, the Moving On Plan can be offered to them by their Connexions Personal Adviser if it would help with their learning.



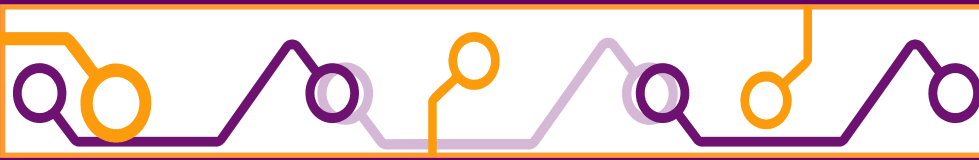
In South Central Connexions, we always work together with the young people who need the Moving On Plan when we produce them. We will always try to agree the assessments with the young people. Sometimes, we will need to involve parents or carers as well, particularly when young people have very complex learning difficulties and disabilities.

It is vital that a young person is happy with the assessment and that it contains as much about her or his education and training needs as necessary.

If a young person does not agree to work with us, we will explain what will happen if they don't have an assessment. We always encourage young people to work with us.

Why have Moving On Plans?

Moving On Plans are used by colleges and training organisations to help them provide the right kind of support for their students and trainees.



Once we have completed the Moving On Plans, they must be reviewed regularly by a Connexions Personal Adviser to check that the support and provision continues to meet the needs of the young people. Relevant agencies are involved, as necessary. The reviews take place while young people remain in learning so we can build on the Moving On Plan process and make sure it remains current.

Our commitment to you

We want to make sure that the service we provide meets your needs. If you would like to make a particular comment, compliment or complaint, please write to Pamela Charlwood, Chief Executive, South Central Connexions, Eagle Point - West Wing, Little Park Farm Road, Segensworth West, Fareham, Hampshire, PO15 5TD.

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