

BEFORE THE JAM

You do not need to prepare but it could help to:

- Think ahead about your child's strengths and experienced difficulties.
- Bring along any notes, photos or videos to help others best understand your child.

WHO WILL BE AT THE MEETING?

The meeting will be run by an EP. You will be there as the parent or carer, along with staff from your child's school and maybe other people who know your child well.

JAM VIDEO



PURPOSE

We want to give helpful advice for your child's EHCNA. This meeting will:

- Bring together people who know your child best.
- Talk about what's going well and what's hard.
- Find ways to help your child learn.
- Set realistic goals for your child's progress.

Joint Assessment Meetings (JAMs)

FAMILY INFORMATION SHEET

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER THE MEETING?

The EP will write a summary of what was discussed, including any actions and recommendations. This will be shared with you and the professionals involved, and a copy will go to the Local Authority

DOES MY CHILD NEED TO BE THERE?

Your child can join the meeting if they want to, but they don't have to. If they don't come, we'll still make sure their views are included in other ways.

WHAT HAPPENS DURING THE MEETING?

The meeting is usually at school, but it can be online if easier. An EP will lead and make sure everyone speaks. We'll talk about what's going well and what's difficult, look at barriers to learning, and share ideas to help.



The aim is to agree helpful next steps. Most meetings take about two hours, but this can vary depending on your child's needs.



Any further questions, please contact the EP or member of P&TS that invited you to the JAM

FEEDBACK

Help us improve! Share your thoughts on our JAM and your EP experience in our quick anonymous [survey](#). Scan the QR code to respond

