



# Curriculum and Assessment (Wales) Act 2021

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## PART 3

### CURRICULUM FOR EXCEPTIONAL PROVISION OF EDUCATION IN PUPIL REFERRAL UNITS OR ELSEWHERE

*Other education provided under section 19A of the Education Act 1996*

#### 55 Curriculum implementation

- (1) A local authority that makes arrangements under section 19A of the Education Act 1996 (c. 56) to provide education for a child otherwise than at a pupil referral unit must ensure that the arrangements ensure that the curriculum for the child is implemented in a way that—
- enables the child to develop in the ways described in the four purposes,
  - secures teaching and learning that offers appropriate progression for the child,
  - is suitable for the child's age, ability and aptitude,
  - takes account of the child's additional learning needs (if any), and
  - secures teaching and learning that is broad and balanced, so far as is appropriate for the child.
- (2) The local authority must also ensure that the arrangements ensure the teaching and learning for which the curriculum must make provision under section 53(3), (4) and (5).

#### Commencement Information

- I1** S. 55 in force at 1.9.2022 for specified purposes by S.I. 2022/652, art. 5(1)(2)(d), Sch.  
**I2** S. 55 in force at 1.9.2023 for specified purposes by S.I. 2022/652, art. 6(1)(2)(d)

**Changes to legislation:**

Curriculum and Assessment (Wales) Act 2021, Section 55 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 13 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 55 coming into force by [S.I. 2022/652 art. 7\(e\)](#)
- s. 55 coming into force by [S.I. 2022/652 art. 8\(b\)](#)
- s. 55 coming into force by [S.I. 2022/652 art. 9\(b\)](#)