



Education (Wales) Measure 2009

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PART 1

EDUCATION APPEALS AND CLAIMS BY CHILDREN

Special educational needs appeals

4 Advice and information

- (1) The Education Act 1996 (c. 56) is amended in accordance with this section.
- (2) In section 332A (advice and information for parents)—
 - (a) in the heading, after the word “parents” insert “— England”;
 - (b) in subsection (1), after the words “local education authority” insert “in England”;
 - (c) in subsection (2), for “given—” substitute “given by the Secretary of State.”;
 - (d) in subsection (2), omit paragraphs (a) and (b).
- (3) After section 332A insert—

“332AA Advice and information — Wales

- (1) A local education authority in Wales must arrange for any child in their area with special educational needs, for a parent of any such child and for a case friend for any such child, to be provided with advice and information about matters relating to those needs.
- (2) In making the arrangements, the authority must have regard to any guidance given by the Welsh Ministers.
- (3) The arrangements must comply with any provisions made in regulations by the Welsh Ministers that relate to the arrangements.
- (4) The authority must take such steps as they consider appropriate for making the services provided under subsection (1) known to—

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (a) children in their area,
- (b) parents of children in their area,
- (c) head teachers and proprietors of schools in their area, and
- (d) such other persons as they consider appropriate.”.