# **Education and Lifelong Learning Committee**

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We want your views... (Cartographic)

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## Why?

The National Assembly for Wales's Education and Lifelong Learning Committee is carrying out a policy review of special educational needs. We have completed the first stage of this review, focusing on early identification and intervention, and published a report in November 2004. We are now proceeding to the second stage, examining the statutory assessment framework for special educational needs; more commonly known as the statementing process.

### Who?

We want the views of anyone with an interest in this subject. We are particularly keen to hear from parents, siblings and other relatives of children and young people with special educational needs, and professionals involved with the statementing process.

#### When?

The on-line consultation will run for about three months. In addition to this interactive on-line discussion forum, there will be a written questionnaire survey.

# What will happen?

Your views will be taken into account by the Committee in preparing a report, which will make recommendations to the Welsh Assembly Government.

#### Who are we?

Please visit the WebPage of the Education and Lifelong Learning Committee

# Who are you?

Before taking part in the interactive forum, you will need to register and read the guidelines

## Have your say:

Please give us your views on the following questions. Further related topics may be introduced during the consultation, depending on the responses received.

- 1. What are the advantages and disadvantages of the current assessment process?
- 2. Should statements of special educational needs be scrapped why or why not?
- 3. If the statementing process were abolished, what should be put in its place?