



Inclusion Ambassadors

Inclusion Ambassadors' resource for schools: FAQs



Who are the Inclusion Ambassadors?

The Inclusion Ambassadors are a group of secondary-aged pupils from across Scotland who have a range of additional support needs. The group meet to discuss their views and to try make education in Scotland better for young people with additional support needs.



What is the Pledge Pack?

The **Pledge Pack** is a co-designed resource developed by the Inclusion Ambassadors. It has a number of pledges the group agree are important to make sure young people with additional support needs feel happy and safe in school.

It gives schools and other learning environments a chance to show how they are meeting the needs of young people with additional support needs.



Who is the Pledge Pack for?

The Pledge Pack is for anyone working in schools or other learning environments. It is a good way to show you are listening to children and young people about what they want in school.



How do I use the Pledge Pack?

First, read the pledges on page one and identify if you can commit to upholding them. If you can, add your signature at the bottom of the page.

On the second page, you can type or write the three ways you will uphold these pledges in your schools.

Note: It is important that children and young people are involved in developing the pledges and supporting activity. Their views should be central to how the pledges will be met.





What do I do after I fill it out?

Display the Pledge Pack somewhere visible in your school or learning environment. It should be accessible and easy to see. Encourage discussion and questions.

You may wish to discuss the pledges and activities at an assembly, for example.

You should also have regular reviews with pupils to hear their views on if the pledges are being met. If not, it is important to develop further action, based on what your pupils are telling you.



Share your progress with us

We would like to hear from you on what changes you would like to make in your own school, and how you plan to achieve these using our Pledge Pack.

We would love to receive feedback on the changes you have made, see photos of completed Pledge Packs and of you working towards change.



Please send any completed Pledge Packs, photos or other updates on progress to Parisa:

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What if I need some advice on how to use the pack?

If you have any questions about how to use the pack or feedback from young people in your school then please get in touch with Parisa.

