

*These notes relate to the Education (Scotland) Act 2016
(asp 8) which received Royal Assent on 8 March 2016*

EDUCATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2016

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 3: Miscellaneous

Section 19: Additional support for learning

Amendment of [section 31](#): duty to inform in writing or alternative permanent form

106. Paragraph 22 of the schedule to the Act amends section 31 of the 2004 Act which requires education authorities, where they have to inform parents or young persons of any matter, to do so in writing or alternative permanent form. The amendment extends this requirement to apply also in relation to children aged 12 or over.