

VSK Advisory Team - Quick Reference Guide for schools and social workers.

	Previously Looked After Children – those who have left care of a local authority under an Adoption, Special Guardianship or Child Arrangements Order	Children with a Social Worker – those children who have (or ever had) a Child in Need or Child Protection Plan.
Parent Phone Consultations to discuss educational needs	✓	✗
Social Worker/Other Professionals Phone consultations to discuss educational needs (with parental consent)	✓	✓
School Phone consultations to discuss educational needs (with parental consent)	✓	✓
School consultations to discuss general issues around PLAC/Children with a Social Worker	✓	✓
VSKAT attend school meetings if required (see sections for more details)	✓	✗
Schools accessing additional advice and training if required	✓	✓
School based consultations with Kent Educational Psychologist Service and VSKAT (with parental consent)	✓	✗
School based consultations with Social Worker, Kent Educational Psychologist Service and VSKAT (with parental consent)	✗	✓
Advice on Pupil Premium Grant (for PLAC or FSM)	Parent/School	Social Worker/School if applicable
Work with individual children – providing academic or other interventions.	✗	✗
Tracking and monitoring educational progress of individual children	✗	✗