

## Home Education Feedback 19/03/17

19 attended

80% knew about the local offer website

Majority of parents had children with anxiety issues and ASD.

We had a mixture of parents:

- Considering home education
- Who had just started home educating
- Who were experienced home educator

Main comments:

Parents valued the opportunity to find out about support and information. A few have since joined Home education groups in the city.

Parents felt they had to home educated due to lack of provision, difficulties getting the school to help, children who were excluded or on part-time time-table, difficulties in getting an EHCP.

Parents were looking for funding for tutoring.

They also reported how better life was without the stress of having to deal with a difficult school/SENCO. Although hard work, the best decision they ever made.

Parents would like clarity around exams centres for older children.

Until school environment is addressed, children with sensory issues won't be able to access mainstream education.

Since unable to get help from CAMHS or school, easier to educate at home. Feeling abandoned.

Local schools are not appropriate for all children.