

Cheshire West and Chester EHE Location FOI Response February 2013

1. Where home education currently sits in your authority

The responsibilities for Elective Home Education sit within the Education Welfare Service

2. Which line in the s251 table includes an allocation for home education services within the "other education and community budget" for example Education Welfare, School Improvement, Parent Partnership or Other

The budget sits in line 209 of the base budget this supports 1 FTE Education Advisor who is supported by the cohort of 10 Education Welfare Officers who are locality based. There is also additional administration support from a Business Support Officer.

3. The forward budget sum allocated to home education service and support'

The Forward budget of £55,000 will also include additional support from an Education Advisor specifically for the cohort of EHE who are of Gypsy Roma Traveller heritage the current figure for our authority is 56 pupils. Education Welfare Officers will also support families as required working from the 3 locality teams. If a figure is required for this information a request to finance will need to be made