KENT CHOICES

Elective Home Education post 16 journey

The Education People

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Year 9

March
Explore options for taking formal qualifications, such as exam syllabi. In Kent, those who have achieved some qualifications have more opportunities available to them post-16 than those without qualifications.

View guidance from Kent County Council

January
Although many places fill up earlier, general deadline for registering at exam centre as a private candidate for summer GCSEs.

February
Start your search for apprenticeship opportunities.

Search here

Year 10

June
Research exam centre locations and exam registration deadlines, if wanting to take formal qualifications, to know which may be accessible for your exam board studies.

July
If not planning to continue with Elective Home Education, start to investigate options for after Year 11.

Your options after Year 11

December
Suggested date for applications to be submitted by for colleges and schools.

November
Applications open – look at the information on KentChoices to know whether to apply direct to the school/college or through KentChoices.

October
Visit the KentChoices events page for open events at colleges and sixth forms, as well as the KentChoices podcast!

Year 11

October
You will receive a letter from The Education People advising how to register for a KentChoices account.

February
Check KentChoices for further events happening.

KentChoices events

March
Now is the time to start putting your September offers into a preference order.

April
If not wanting school or college, start exploring alternative options such as training.

Browse courses here

August
Formal qualification results come out – check KentChoices for support if needed and look at any information in the clearing section.