

## Study Support's Contribution to Key Policy

Study Support contributes to a wide range of activities and children's services located in and through schools. It is linked to a variety of key policy drivers and can deliver on a number of local targets:

- **Children's Trusts:** can commission study support within its strategic planning of children's services
- **Every Child Matters:** it is a key mechanism for achieving all five ECM Outcomes
- **Extended Schools:** it is one of the five elements of the core offer: not only does it deliver in its own right, it also delivers on the other four elements
- **Disability Discrimination Act:** study support clubs and other activities during out-of-class times provide inclusion for disabled pupils
- **Healthy Schools Programme:** Breakfast Clubs, Cookery Clubs, PE and sport are study support opportunities that promote healthy eating and obesity prevention
- **Manifesto for learning outside the classroom:** study support activities can provide education opportunities outside classroom style settings, off school sites
- **Ofsted:** recognises the contribution of study support activities to learners' enjoyment and achievement
- **Personalised Learning:** study support is a key delivery mechanism in providing this structured and responsive approach to children's and young people's individual learning
- **PESSCL strategy:** study support is a major strand, contributing to the additional two hours beyond the school day
- **School improvement :** research evidences the impact of study support on children and young people's learning and the raising of standards
- **Youth Matters:** study support activities contribute to 'places to go, things to do'
- **14-19 Strategy:** study support activities that help develop life skills and achieve accreditation, enhance this broader and more flexible curriculum