



Get on in school Get online at home

Home Access is a government drive which will help low-income families to get access to a computer and the internet to get online at home.



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Home Access provide grants to buy computer and internet packages for low-income families to learn safely, have fun and achieve more. The programme is aimed at those who currently lack access and need it most.

If you answer yes to the three questions in section one and yes to at least one question in section two below, you could be eligible for a Home Access Grant.

Section one: Are you a parent or guardian responsible for and living with a child...

yes

...who is in school years 3 to 9, which normally means age 7-14?

...who attends a state-maintained school in England full-time*?

...who has not already had a computer from a Home Access Grant or any other similar programmes, such as Computers for Pupils?

Section two: Do you receive at least one of the following?

yes

Free School Meals for your child**

Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance


Income Support

Child Tax Credit but not Working Tax Credit and an income of less than £16,040***

Guaranteed Pension Credit (not Savings Credit)

Income-based Employment Support Allowance

Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

 **If you think you are eligible please call 0333 200 1004[†] for an application pack.**

You can find out more about Home Access at

 www.homeaccess.org.uk

* or whose place is paid for by their local authority or the Department for Children, Schools and Families (DCSF). Home-schooled children do not qualify. **State-maintained schools include:** primary schools, secondary schools, middle schools, special schools, academies, city technology colleges, pupil referral units. **State-maintained schools do not include:** independent private schools and places at non-maintained special schools not funded by a local authority.

** Children receiving Free School Meals under the national rules may be eligible for a Home Access Grant; however, children receiving free school meals as part of the pilots in Durham, Newham and Walsleyhampton will need to provide additional supporting documents.

*** If you are not sure of your income, you should check your Tax Credit Award Notice.

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