



# EDUCATION HEALTH AND CARE PLAN'S ADMISSIONS PROCESS



# Admissions Process for students with an Education, Health, and Care Plan (EHCP)

Thank you for informing us that you have an EHCP.

To ensure a smooth and efficient application process, you must contact your Local Authority (LA) and inform them that you have applied to study at DCG.

## What happens next?

- 1. LA Consultation:** the LA must consult with the college and provide us with the most recent version of your EHCP. We ask you to send a request to the LA to consult with us.
- 2. EHCP Assessment by the College:** The college has a legal duty to assess your EHCP upon receiving consultation to determine whether we can appropriately meet your support needs. This assessment will be shared with the LA within the legal timeframe.
- 3. Application Progression**
  - **If the college determines that we can meet your support needs:** Your application will proceed to the next stage. Whereby you must meet the entry criteria and have attended a curriculum interview. The curriculum team will then make an assessment on whether to offer you a place on programme.
  - **If the college determines that we cannot meet your support needs:** The LA will inform you of this decision and, unfortunately, enrolment at DCG will not proceed for this academic year. The LA will support you in exploring alternative options.



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