



# If we know your Child is from an Armed Forces family we can help

Highland is committed to supporting Children & Young People from Armed Forces Families:

## Army, Royal Navy & Marines & RAF

### Regulars, Reserves or Veterans/Ex-Service Personnel

At times your child may want or need some help, or you may feel some extra support could be helpful and therefore identifying as an Armed Forces family at Enrolment can help to ensure we get the right support to your child at the right time if needed.

We focus on developing a pupil's resilience. This means building on their strengths and the support in their lives to help them manage any problems.

#### How we can help

- Direct support for the child
- Emotional support
- Family support
- Strategic planning across Highland

Due to the unique characteristics of service life whether Regular, Reserve or Veteran, Highland Schools are committed to supporting the needs of your Children and Young People from Armed Forces families.

#### The Military Liaison Group (Education)

In Highland there is a tri-service partnership called The Military Liaison Group (Education) often referred to as "The MLG". It provides a unique partnership of services and agencies that come together regularly to plan, develop, and provide information and resources that can help the support for Children and Young People of Armed Forces Families (within an educational context) from Early Years through to Post School destinations. [Click this link](#) to explore more about the partnership.

#### Highland Armed Forces Covenant

Highland Council has signed the Armed Forces Covenant and welcomes and supports the Armed Forces Community Highland wide. **We are proud to [welcome](#) and work with Armed Forces families in Highland and have built a committed and strong relationship with this community.**

#### Website | Contact information

Please visit the website: [Armed Forces Families Highland](#), which is filled with helpful information to support moving your Child or Young Person into a School or Early Years setting in Highland. If you have any queries, please [click here to contact](#) the MLG (Education) lead.

Highland Council shares its statistics with the Scottish Government.