

Element 3 (Top-up) funding for Mainstream Schools Updates

Recovery activities September - October:

Education Health and Care Plans -

- All new Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCP) allocated between end of July 2021 – 1st October 2021 checked to ensure that top-up funding allocated either via CRISP profiles or Support Unit Model.
- Funding to be allocated from start of plan.
- School to be notified of top-up funding amount of funding for new EHCPs by Autumn half term via email to SENCo

SEND Support Provision Plans -

- SEND Support Provision Plan (SSPP) funding applications submitted between end of Summer Term 2021 and 1st October 2021 to be reviewed and decision made on funding using Support Unit Model
- School to be notified of top-up funding amount of funding for new SSPP by Autumn half term via email to SENCo

As per usual arrangements SENAR finance to send out termly financial notifications for all top-up funding week after half term.

Transition arrangements November - January

Education Health and Care Plans -

- As draft plans sent to the Quality Assurance Group, copy also sent to cross service funding group.
- Cross Service group to look at plan and suggest the amount of Support Units to be allocated for top-up funding.
- Amount of indicative funding shared with schools along with draft plan to support decision making on placement.
- If changes made to draft plan, then funding group to review the funding amount suggested.
- Funding confirmed and communicated with named setting at point of final plan.

SEND Support Provision Plans –

- Cross Service funding group to meet weekly to consider SSPP funding allocations.
- Schools notified of allocated amounts within 5 days of decision being made via email to SENCo

During second half term of Autumn term 2021 funding criteria to be completed for all areas of need and training to be delivered to SENAR, SEND Support Teams, schools and settings on the new process for funding to be implemented from Spring 2021. Comms to be shared with all stakeholders during this timeframe.

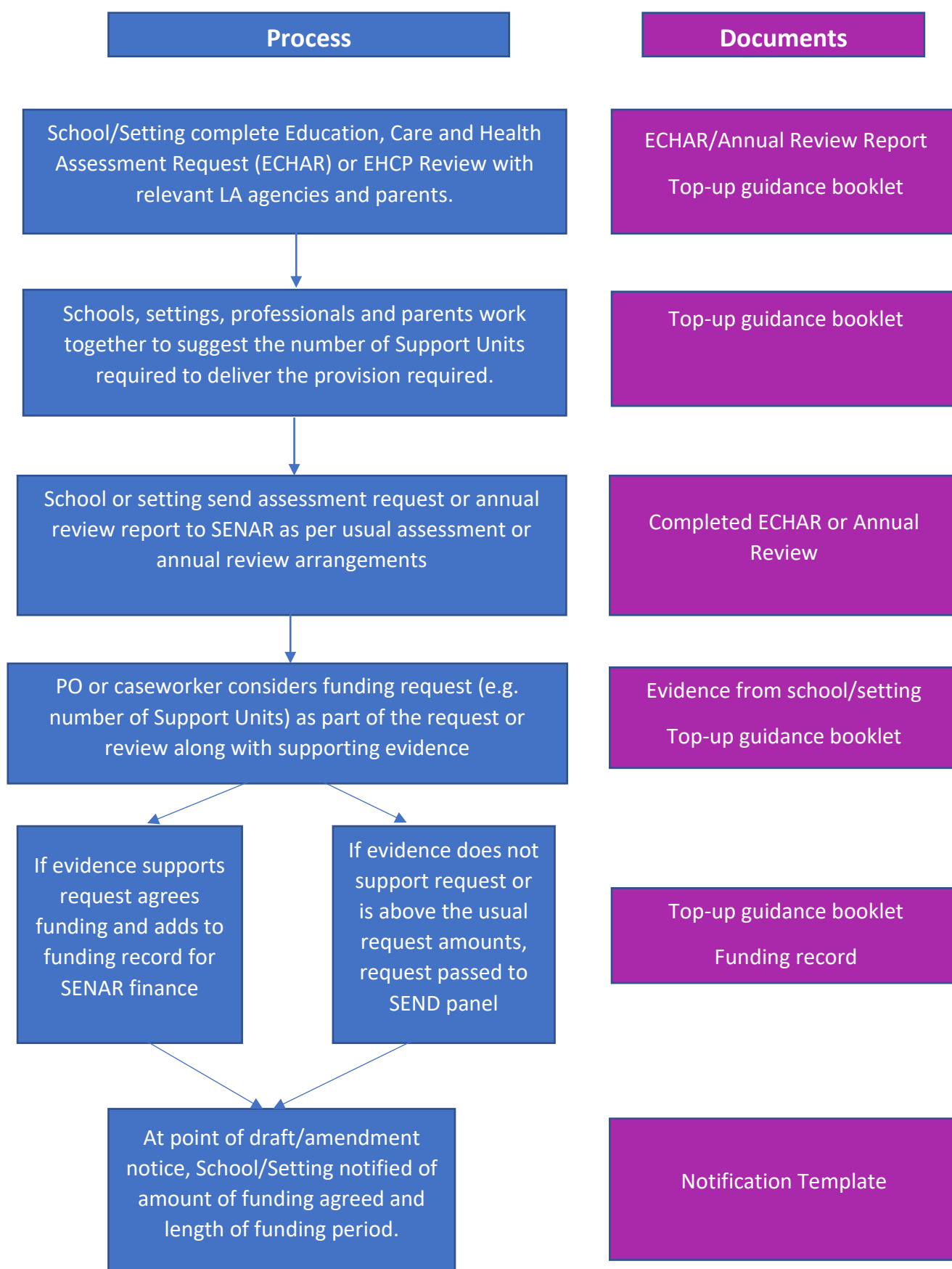
Funding Allocation from January 2022:

See flowcharts attached

Additional Work during Spring 2022

- Work ongoing around potential of increased budget for mainstream top-up
- Working party to co-produce school led model for moderation process ready to be implemented from Summer 2022
- Continued training for new SENCos, SENAR staff and SEND Support Services as required

Process for Funding Education, Health and Care Plans



Process for SEND Support Provision Plan Funding

