



Young People's
Learning Agency

KEY CONTACTS FOR FUNCTIONAL AREAS WITHIN THE YPLA

Academies (Grants Calculations)

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Tel: 01325 392686

Assurance over Funding of Local Authorities and Learning Providers

Contact: phil.eames@ypla.gov.uk

Tel: 0117 372 6517

Capital Funding Enquiries from Providers or Local Authorities

Contact: laurence.leader@ypla.gov.uk

Tel: 02476 82 5853

Curriculum and Qualifications

Contact: judith.ward@ypla.gov.uk

Tel: 02476 82 3946

Financial Support for Academies and Learning Providers

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Tel: 0117 372 6517

Freedom of Information

Contact: mike.davies@ypla.gov.uk

Tel: 0117 372 6406

Funding Agreements with Local Authorities and Learning Providers

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Tel: 0116 228 1949

Providers with enquiries about funding should contact their funding local authority in the first instance

Funding Guidance

Contact: keith.standing@ypla.gov.uk

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Providers with enquires about funding should contact their funding local authority in the first instance

Goods and Services Procurement by the YPLA

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Information Management

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Internal Audit

Contact: carol.hartleyburdett@ypla.gov.uk

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Learners with Learning Difficulties and or Disabilities (LLDD) Policy

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anita.flora@ypla.gov.uk (Wed-Fri)

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Providers with enquiries about learner placements or funding should contact the learner's home local authority

Local authorities with enquiries about learners with learning difficulties and/or disabilities should contact the appropriate regional YPLA inclusion team

Learner Support

Contact: jane.walker@ypla.gov.uk

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IT Support

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Payments

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Press and Media

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Third Sector

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Quality Assurance and Intervention

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Youth Offending

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Please note:

- Enquiries from a provider (college, school, private training provider) should initially go to the relevant local authority in the first instance and, then to the YPLA regional office if needed.
- Enquiries from a local authority should initially go to the relevant YPLA regional office.
- Enquiries from the general public should be directed to their training providers rather than national YPLA.