



Scottish
**Independent
Advocacy**
Alliance

Do you know about **Independent Advocacy**

Information for children and young people

An independent advocate is there **to support you to have your say.**

An independent advocate works just for you and **makes sure your views are listened to.**

They will help you make choices **but will not tell you what you should do.**

How do I access independent advocacy?

- Speak to your local independent advocacy organisation to find out how they could support you
- The SIAA website has a section called 'Find an advocate'
- Access to independent advocacy varies across Scotland

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For more information visit www.siaa.org.uk

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