

Ordinary Member of the First Tier Tribunal for Scotland Health & Education Chamber

Role of an Ordinary Member

- To sit as part of a tribunal panel, to hear appeals (references or claims) against education authorities/responsible bodies in relation to additional support needs or disability discrimination in education .
- To exercise strong teamwork and to constructively challenge and support the convener or leader, as part of a team in a tribunal setting or similar
- To carefully consider arguments, points of consideration and apply knowledge to arrive at balanced judgements.
- To be courteous and considerate to all tribunal users and staff and sensitive to people from different social backgrounds.
- To maintain up to date knowledge of additional support needs law, practice and procedures.

Time Commitment

The time commitment expected is expected to be of the order of 10 days per year, depending on the volume of work of the tribunal.