Gimme agreat start!

When my parents first hand me over to an institution, they're handing over responsibility for my education.

Social, emotional, aspirational and financial factors are all at play, but it's their own experience of school that has the biggest impact. As for me, I just need to adapt and survive.

The right start here sets me up for life, so help my parents or carers choose the best start for me.

The biggest influence on a student's education is their parents' own experiences of school. Expectations and decisions are driven by a desire to either recreate or subvert the parents' own experiences.

Thought starters

How might we make parents or carers aware of the bias they bring to decisions about my education?

How might we ensure parents or carers know the right time for me to start school?

How might we help parents or carers know what they can do at home for me, outside of external education/care?

