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Please, dont change the way we homeschool. There aren't enough appropriate schools to use and this would cause frustration and people doing the wrong thing and fighting. I home school my child and follow the curriculum for her year level. I have this written in her plan. There is nothing wrong with doing it this way, what do we have to join a school or provider to do this? I get what you are trying to do but there must be better ways to do it. I dont want to join a "school" we need to have more options. With the amount of children homeschooling doesn't that tell you there is something wrong with the school we have??What does this mean for you? - most distance education schools only have a set allocation of enrolment spots each term and each year. - if you fail to secure a spot and need to leave school for any reason, this change will deny you access to any Provisional Registration option, which covers you for time including waiting for the next term. Under the changes, you would either have to apply to home educate and provide a full years educational plan or request an Exemption from the Chief Executive. Please write and tell them this does NOT help the SAFETY of our children, this is removing options which support them currently based on no evidence. How is this fair??? I dont want to have to fight for a place for my child, my child is happy doing the curriculum that we have set for her and and it is following the year level she's at. Can you imagine how much extra work the executives would have to do if this went ahead? This will not help my child or other children. Homeschooling is not something that parents have made as a quick decision, in order to homeschool our child I cant work, so we are now a one income family, this is not taken lightly, we cant afford the fees of some of these schools either. Its not fair if I cant work then i have to pay extra to teach her??We need options to support our children many of whom dont fit into the school system and this is why we chose to home school. Option is what we need, we actually need more help and more options to help out children not taking away the things that help out children to learn. Perhaps you can make it better for us and help us to do more for you buy giving the ones who dont homeschool those radical unschoolers who dont follow anything and dont do anything other than what interests the child some more information and help them to follow the right path to learning for their childrenn?? Thank you