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CLARE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL SPECIAL NEEDS AND DISABILITY INFORMATION

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has a SEND?



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How does the school know how well my child is doing?



- Day-to-day observations and on-going assessments across the learning areas
- Termly and half-termly assessments in Reading (also Accelerated Reading in Y2-6), Writing and Maths
- Pupil Progress Meetings
- Data Tracking
- Identifying groups and individuals that are not making expected progress
- Identifying additional support needed for all children to achieve expected progress and outcomes
- Progress of children on intervention programmes is tracked
- Outside agencies provide feedback

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What should I do if I think my child has a SEND?

Follow our SEND Provision Flowchart. Always talk to your child's Class Teacher First. Our SENDCo is Mrs L Brown



Teacher informs SENCO

Teacher has cause for concern

*Parent notifies teacher

Parent has cause for concern

Teacher notifies SENCO

(Suggest additional support)

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

Teacher meets with parents to agree additional support - targeted intervention

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Medical diagnosis / other agencies/ behaviour at point of exclusion No Improvement / Data suggests 3 years behind

SENCO decides to refer

Review after 6 weeks (Or

Improvement

Evenings

at half term)

Review at Parents

School support plan in place specialist

support

Refer to appropriate service

Review Termly (CT and Parent)

Meet with teacher and parent

EXCEPTIONS

- S&L instant referral via GP
- Anxiety instant referral via Nurse

*At any stage Parents can refer but unlikely without support at school

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- Informal discussions
- Parents Evenings
- End of Year reports
- School Support Plan review meetings for children on the school SEND register
- Education, Health and Care Plan annual reviews for children with EHCP
- Reports from external agencies when appropriate

What support is available for a child with SEND at this school?



- Teachers use Quality First Teaching when working with all children.
- Teachers use differentiated planning to include and support children of all abilities.
- Additional resources are used when needed (e.g. Language Link, Memory Skills).
- Teaching Assistants support groups or individual children
- Additional small group or 1:1 intervention groups when needed (e.g. Speech and Language, Beat Dyslexia, Nurture Room)
- External agencies provide advice and support to individual children
- ICT resources (Accelerated Reader quizzes, Dyslexia Gold)
- Staff have appropriate training to support children with specific needs

How are lessons and school facilities made accessible for all children?



- Lessons are differentiated
- Teachers are aware of specific needs and disabilities and make reasonable adjustments to ensure accessibility
- The building and playground are accessible to wheelchair users.
- There are 2 disabled toilets.
- Trips are planned taking into account the needs of children with SEND.





- Clare Community Primary School SEND Policy
- SEND: Guide for parents and carers
- Suffolk Local Offer
- Essex Local Offer
- The National Autistic Society
- Support4SEND
- British Dyslexia Association



What agencies does the school work with?



- Speech and Language Therapy
- Dyslexia Outreach Service
- County Inclusive Support Service (CISS)
- Family Services
- School Nurse
- Autistic Spectrum Disorder Service
- Educational Psychology
- Occupational Therapy
- Access and Assessment Service



How will my
child be
supported during
school
transitions?



- Visits to the pre-school setting
- Use of social stories/transition books for transition into a new class.
- Transition days within school.
- Staff and Year 7 students from the secondary school visit Clare Primary to speak to the Year 6 pupils transferring to their school.
- All pupils in Year 6 are invited to a familiarisation day at their secondary school.
- Transition arrangements to Year 7 are planned at Year 6 EHCP reviews.
- One page profiles are shared with secondary schools.
- Information is transferred in advance of move.

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