

# **Low Hill Nursery School Local Offer**

### (1) Assessment, Targets & Reviews

Details of how children and young people's special educational needs are identified.

Details of how parents and carers are informed that their child has special educational needs, including how the school communicates with parents and carers in particular parents and carers whose first language is not English. **SEN Policy** 

Multi-agency contacts—transition

EYSEN/Health Visitor referrals to Nursery /Centre

Initial home visits carried out when children start in T42's or in Nursery. Conversations with parents at this point may begin to identify any SEN.

Progress checks at 2 in Toddler's

On entry assessment and observations

Speech and language assessments (ECAT)

Early conversations with parents with translators if needed

TAF process—partnership working

Parent's evenings

Open door policy

Noticeboards / letters /website

Parent support through parents in partnership

Link Governor (SEN)

Trackers against Development Matters (through 2 Simple)

| Details of how children and young people's special educational needs are assessed.  | Entry assessments against progress checks at 2 and Development Matters  Speech and language assessment tool / ECAT monitoring/ ELKLAN  |
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| Details of how progress is measured and evaluated.  | IEP's—targets set and assessed progress measured against Development Matters (child tracking) and against any targets set, through observations  Play therapist work   |
| Details of how children and young people's special educational needs are monitored and reviewed.  Details of how often monitoring and reviews take place. | IEP's . Targets set and reviewed every 6 weeks  EYSEN team and SENCO meet together to review and set new targets which are then shared with parents  TAF/CIN process  Play therapy  Sharing with all teaching members of staff |

### (2) Curriculum Access

| Details of the school curriculum offer. Including curriculum provision, mapping of provision and differentiation.           | Child centred holistic approach driven by EYFS and characteristics of learning effectively Unique child at the centre of work Development of PSE and communication alongside physical development Outdoors features predominantly to support all areas of learning Forest School approach Double funding for SEN children issue to employ staff for 1-1 provision High expectations Visual timetables Play therapist working with children and parent/carer |
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| Details of how the curriculum is organised (Policy) and made accessible to all , including organisation of teaching groups. | SEN targets are known to all staff and all strategies adopted within each family group to ensure consistent approach IEP targets are worked upon with children on 1-1 basis every day through the nursery Curriculum and in withdrawal groups at adult-led / small group time Planning is carried out during PPA time and driven by assessment findings Specialist resources where needed Sensory room  |

| Details of how children and young people's needs are          | Monitoring and observation to gather information of initial concerns |
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| provided for (level of impact / of support)                   | Setting initial targets, reviewing against progress                  |
| Details of how parents/carer can be involved and how they     | 1-1 support for children with double funding by training TA's        |
| can support their child.                                      | Parents attend review meeting and support target setting             |
| Details of training opportunities/learning events provided by | Ongoing conversations and open door policy                           |
| the school for parents/carers.                                | Parent consultations   |
| Details of how parents and carers/children and young people   | Family support work through children's centres                       |
| can raise any general concerns they may have.                 | Parent Governors   |
|   | Parents in Partnership   |
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| Names, roles, telephone numbers of key contacts within the    | Ms Emma Johnson SENCO  |
| school (SENCO, Inclusion Manager etc.)                        | 01902 558124   |
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| Details of Governor involvement in terms of curriculum provision, including name of SEN Governor, parent/carer Governor, Link Governor. | SEN Governor SEN Governor meeting 1-1 with Head Teacher to discuss SEN provision Governors updated during curriculum sub-committee meetings and at full Governing Body meetings   |
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| Details of staff expertise and professional development/ training of staff.   | E Johnson holds SENCO award -Makaton trained — ELKLAN trained — PECS—Autism awareness training  A Bloomfield 1-1 SENCO support — Autism awareness — Makaton—PECS  Play therapist — Katie Paterson  Family support teams  All staff are Makaton Trained and use it across all rooms with all children.  Use of EYSEN team, Ed Psyches etc. |
| Details of the types of special educational needs for which provision is made.  | Complex SEN  A range of levels of SEN  Speech and language delay  Developmental delay  Children with medical needs  Children with physical needs or disability  Children with diagnoses   |

### (3) Group and Pastoral Care

Details of the school pastoral support system. Each child has a key worker for secure attachment Positive relationships with parents and between staff Detail of what support mechanisms are in place and how groups are planned, including what social support is Parent Partnership (Wolverhampton) available i.e. mentoring. Family support workers Play therapist available to support children alongside parent Details of how parents and carers/children and young people Open door policy raise any concerns they may have about progress, or Daily conversations and diaries to inform parents of progress request for additional support. Parents consultations Details of opportunities for pupils/students to have a voice. TAF reviews **IEP** reviews Family support workers **EYSEN** support Home visits and home learning opportunities Play therapy

|   | Disability and accounting   |
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| Details of access activities out of the classroom and support | Disability and access policy  |
| available, including how parents are involved in planning of  | Equal opportunity policy  |
| school trips etc.   | All children are engaged in all activities  |
|   | Parents sometimes accompanies child   |
|   | Parents fully informed and involved in planning trips out of school               |
|   | 1-1 support out of school where necessary   |
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| Details of the transition procedures and arrangements i.e.    | Home visits by key staff and family support where needed                          |
| moving into school and moving on from school. Plus details    | EYSEN support with transition   |
| of how the school prepares young people for adulthood/        | Access records / profiles / IEP's where appropriate                               |
| independent living.   | Consultation with multi agencies  |
|   | Induction matched to child's needs  |
|   | SEN support / SENCO takes individual files to feeder school for 1-1 conversations |
|   | Where necessary SENCO support accompanies child to new school during induction    |
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| Details of medical and personal care procedures.              | Medical needs plan and necessary meciacl care plans                               |
|   | Personal care plans in place  |
|   | All staff (including supply) —are aware of individuals need/s                     |
|   | Access to medicines / inhalers etc in nursery / toddler room in locked cupboard   |
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| Details of the strategies available to support regular        | Family support workers on hand to support (FIF)  |
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| attendance including what support is available.               | Monitoring of attendance with regular phone calls and support where necessary  |
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| Details of he strategies available to support good behaviour, | Play therapist working with children and parents   |
| including what support is available.                          | Family support—Nurture programme—Behaviour programme   |
|   | Behaviour policy—reviewed regularly and shared with parents  |
|   | Behaviour plans shared with parents—strategies cohesive across home and school   |
|   | TAF  |
|   | Open door policy   |
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## (4) Equipment & Resources

| Details of the specialist staff working within the school and | EYSEN team  |
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| qualifications.   | Ed Psych  |
|   | E Johnson SENCO   |
|   | Pam Bhandal SEN Support                                       |
|   | Angela Bloomfield—SENCO support—MAKATON—PECS—AUTISM AWARENESS |
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| What services the school accesses, including other            | Health Visitors   |
| educational establishments, health and social care services.  | Family Support  |
| What links does the school have with Voluntary                | EYSEN team  |
| organisations, including support services for parents and     | Ed Psych  |
| carers.   | Occupational Health   |
|   | Play Therapist  |
|   | Physiotherapy   |
|   | V. I. team  |
|   | A. I. team  |
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| Details of the schools access arrangements.         | Concur with DDA requirements  |
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|   | Disability and Access policy is in place and reviewed regularly                           |
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| Details of how the schools SEN budget is allocated. | LA SLA agreement for the funding of 10 places for children with Complex SEN ( Sunflowers) |
|   | SEN allowance within Early Years allocated funding  |
|   | Double funding for those children identified as in need of extra support                  |
|   | All funding is used for:  |
|   | SENCO support 1-1   |
|   | SENCO resources   |
|   | Adaptation of facilities for disabled children  |
|   | Buying in of extra services e.g. Play therapist   |
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| Details of travel arrangements to and from school. | Parents transport children in the main with access through electronic gates for children with physical disability. |
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|  | Support for children from family support where necessary   |
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