

# New Close Community School

## SEN Information Report

This web page contains information about the Special Educational Needs and Disability provision which is available at New Close Community Primary School.

### Frequently Asked Questions

#### How does the school know if my child needs extra support?

- The staff regularly check children's work and understanding.
- Regular assessment points in the year will show how individual pupils are progressing.
- Children moving from other schools are assessed on their arrival.
- Should there be a concern about a child's progress then initially the Class Teacher would make contact with the child's parent(s).
- Should any concern grow, the school's SENCO would become involved in any discussions.

#### How will New Close Primary School Support my Child?

- By communicating fully with you as parents about our concerns and listening to your concerns.
- By identifying SEN related issues at an early stage and taking appropriate actions.
- By working with you and your child to achieve the best outcome for the child.
- By engaging the best people and resources we can find.

#### How will the curriculum be matched to my child's needs?

- Teachers and Teaching Assistants are trained to adapt the class planning to meet a variety of different needs.
- Your child's learning will be directed by their "Education and Health Care Plan" and will be directed towards meeting any identified needs.
- When appropriate, an individual curriculum will be created for your child.

#### How accessible is the school environment?

- Our school is generally on the flat with few areas which are accessible by ramps.
- We have a stage area with a few steps that can be accessed with support.

### SEND Staff at New Close

- Special Educational Needs Coordinator.
- Qualified Teaching Assistants - NVQ Level 1, 2 and 3.
- Teachers who are trained in a variety of SEN areas.
- SEND Governor.

**Specialist Services** New Close Primary School has access to the following specialist services.

- Educational Psychologists.
- Speech and Language therapists.
- Wiltshire's physical impairment service.
- Learning Support services.
- Wiltshire's behavioural support team.
- CAMHS (Children's Mental Health Support Team).
- Autism and Asperger's support.
- School Nurse.

### Support for Parents and Carers

- All families have access to our Pastoral Care System.
- We can signpost individuals to appropriate services and parental support.

### Transition

- We have good contacts with our neighbouring Secondary school.
- We are able to run bespoke enhanced transition programmes for individual pupils.
- FS2 teacher liaises with pre-schools about children joining the school.

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<p><b>Inclusion</b></p> <p>We make every effort to ensure that all children with a Special Educational Need or Disability are fully included in every aspect of the school's curriculum and every day social life. Where this is not possible, reasonable adjustments are made to ensure participation.</p>	<p><b>Further Contact</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Contact Headteacher 01985 212304</li><li>• Contact SENCO 01985 212304</li><li>• Wiltshire Council SEND Services 01225 713000</li><li>• Wiltshire Local Offer: <a href="http://www.wiltshirelocaloffer.org.uk">www.wiltshirelocaloffer.org.uk</a></li></ul>
<p><b>General Information</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Percentage of pupils receiving SEN support in school is 12%.</li><li>• The percentage of pupils with an Education and Health Care plan is 3% of the school.</li><li>• Percentage of SEN Pupils with EHCPs is 25%.</li><li>• Special Diets can be accommodated. Please contact the school office 01985 212304.</li></ul>	<p><b>Complaints</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We did not receive any formal or informal complaints last year regarding SEN/D.</li></ul>