

What kinds of SEND does the school provide for?

We support pupils with:

- Communication and Interaction Needs
- Cognition and Learning Needs
- Social, Emotional and Mental Health Needs
- Sensory and/or Physical Needs

How does the school identify pupils with SEND?

We identify needs through:

- Teacher assessments
- Progress monitoring
- Parent concerns
- Pupil discussions
- Screening assessments
- Observations
- Professional reports from external agencies

What should I do if I think my child may have SEND?

Contact:

- Your child's class teacher
- The SENDCo

We will discuss concerns and agree next steps.

How does the school support pupils with SEND?

Support may include:

- Adapted classroom teaching
- Visual supports
- Intervention programmes
- Additional adult support
- ELSA support
- Speech and Language support
- Specialist advice from outside agencies

How will I know how my child is doing?

Parents are informed through:

- Parent consultation meetings
- Termly IEP reviews
- Telephone calls and meetings
- Annual reports
- EHCP annual reviews where applicable

How are parents involved?

Parents are encouraged to:

- Contribute to assessments
- Attend reviews
- Share information
- Help set outcomes and targets

Parent views are valued throughout the SEND process.

How are pupils involved?

Pupils are encouraged to:

- Share their views

- Discuss what helps them learn
- Contribute to targets
- Attend meetings where appropriate

What is an IEP?

If a pupil is identified as SEN Support, they will have an Individual Education Plan (IEP).
The IEP:

- Identifies strengths and needs
- Records outcomes and targets
- Details support strategies
- Is reviewed termly with parents

All pupils receiving SEN Support at Harefield Primary School have an IEP.

What specialist services does the school work with?

The school has links with:

- Educational Psychology
- Speech and Language Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- CAMHS
- MHST
- School Nursing Service
- Social Care
- Specialist Advisory Outreach Services

What support is available for emotional wellbeing?

The school provides:

- Two trained ELSAs
- Family Support Worker support
- MHST referrals
- Support from external agencies where appropriate

How are staff trained?

Staff receive regular SEND and safeguarding training.

Training may include:

- Autism
- Speech and Language
- SEMH
- Medical needs
- Safeguarding
- Adaptive Teaching
- Specific pupil needs

How accessible is the school?

Harefield Primary School has:

- Wheelchair access throughout the site
- Accessible toilets
- Reasonable adjustments for individual pupils
- An Accessibility Plan

How does the school support transition?

We provide:

- Additional visits
- Transition meetings
- Information-sharing arrangements
- Social stories
- Enhanced transition where appropriate

How are pupils with medical needs supported?

Healthcare Plans are developed where required and staff receive any necessary training to support pupils safely.

Where can I find Southampton's Local Offer?

[Welcome to the SEND Local Offer website](#)

How can I make a complaint?

If you have concerns about SEND provision, please speak to:

1. Class Teacher
2. SENDCo
3. Headteacher

If concerns remain unresolved, the school's Complaints Policy should be followed.