

SEND Special Educational Needs and Disabilities



Glossary of Terms

General

LAC- Looked After Children

PP- Pupil Premium

EAL- English as an Additional Language

CIN- Child in need

CP- Child Protection

LA- Local Authority

PR- Parental Responsibility

SEN Stage

N- No SEN need

K- SEND School Support

E- EHCP- Education, Health and Care Plan

Pupil SEN Type

ASD- Autism Spectrum Disorder

SEMH- Social, emotional and mental health

SLCN- Speech, language and communication needs

SPLD- Specific Learning Difficulty e.g.- Dyslexia, dyspraxia, dyscalculia

MLD- Moderate Learning Difficulty

SLD- Severe Learning Difficulty

PMLD- Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulties

HI- Hearing Impairment

VI- Visual Impairment

MSI- Multi Sensory Impairment

PD- Physical Disability

OTH- Other difficulty or disorder

NSA- SEN support but no specialist assessment of type of need

Other

ADHD- Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

ODD- Oppositional Defiance Disorder

PDA- Pathological Demand Avoidance

Broad areas of need

Communication and Interaction: ASD, SLCN

Social, Emotional and Mental Health: ADHD, ODD

Cognition and Learning: SPLD, MLD, SLD, PMLD

Sensory and Physical: HI, VI, MSI, PD

Professional Advice or Services

EP- Educational Psychologist

SALT- Speech and Language Therapist

CAMHS- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services

IPASS- Integrated Physical and Sensory Service

OT- Occupational Therapist

PT- Physiotherapist

School Codes

ILJ- Individual Learning Journey

MAPA- Managing Actual and Potential Aggression

MEP- Multi Element Plan