Ladygrove SEND Newsletter

September 2023

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Welcome to the first Ladygrove Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) newsletter!

We have decided to create a newsletter all about SEND that will be created once per term to share updates, important dates and information about Ladygrove's SEND team and what we offer.

Meet the Ladygrove SEND Team:

We believe that every teacher is a teacher of SEND so your child's class teacher will also be able to support you with any queries that you may have.

Miss Ellis (SENDCo)

Email: bethany.ellislowe@taw.org.uk

Miss Ellis is responsible for working closely with pupils, staff, agencies, and parents/carers to support them with any queries or requests that they may have in relation to SEND. This may include referrals or provision and adjustments for pupils with SEND, including those that have EHC plans to ensure that their needs are met.

Miss Piper (Pastoral Lead)

Email: kerry.piper@taw.org.uk

Miss Piper is a qualified Emotional Literacy Support Assistant (ELSA) and she runs nurture and ELSA sessions in our Rainbow Room. Miss Piper will also be able to support you with any SEND or home queries as she works closely with our SENDCo and Family Support Worker.

Miss Barton (Pupil & Family Support Worker)

Email: laura.barton@taw.org.uk

Miss Barton will be able to offer emotional and practical support to parents, carers and families, in your own homes and in the community.



Miss Ellis
SENDCo



Miss Barton
Family Support Worker



Miss Piper
Pastoral Lead

Where to find more information:

The SEND page on our school website includes our SEND information report and Graduated Pathway document. There is also a SEND blog page in our Parents Area on the school website that will provide you with any updates and will contain links to the SEND newsletters.
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You may also like to access the Telford and Wrekin Local Offer website to find out what services are available.
SEND - Local offer (telfordsend.org.uk)

Parents Opening Doors (PODS) is a useful parent/carer service that can support you with any SEND related questions. We often invite representatives from PODS to our school coffee mornings.
Home - PODS (podstelford.org)



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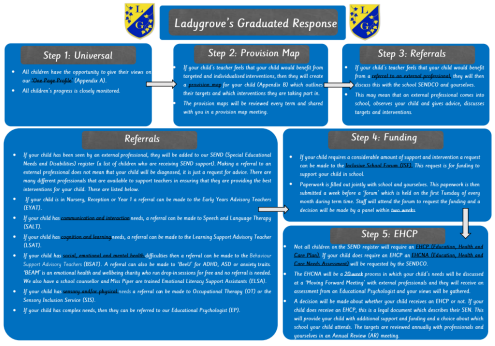
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Diary Dates:

DATE	EVENT
Monday 25th October 2023 9:00am-11:00am	SEND Coffee Morning.
Tuesday 17th October 2023 9:00am-5:00pm	SENDCO Drop-in Sessions. Book your slot online.
Tuesday 17th October 2023 3:30-5:00pm	SEND Parent Meetings Reception and Year 6. Book your slot online via Scopay.
Wednesday 18th October 2023 3:30-5:00pm	SEND Parent Meetings Year 1, Year 2, Year 3, Year 4, and Year 5. KS1 and KS2 book your slot online via Scopay. Nursery parents please book your meeting with Mrs Morgan via email or in person.
Other dates to be confirmed after half term and will be shared on the weekly newsletter. Miss Ellis will contact you via email or phone if your child's EHCP annual review is due.	

Ladygrove's Graduated Response:

Please see the attached document to see how we support children with SEND at Ladygrove.



SEND Updates:

Thank you for all of the responses on our SEND questionnaire last term. Based on your suggestions, this is what we will be providing this year:

- Termly SEND coffee mornings.
- Termly SENDCO drop-in sessions.
- Termly SEND parent meetings to review your child's provision map.
- Parent training sessions with a focus e.g. ASD, ADHD, Emotion Coaching (dates and focus to be confirmed).
- Summer term SEND transition meetings with the SENDCO, child, parents/carers and relevant staff members. Your child will be able to view their new classroom and meet the staff that will be working with them (dates to be confirmed).
- New ELSAs are currently undertaking their training and running sessions with children so we are able to offer more wellbeing support.
- New 'blog style' page in the Parents' Area on the school website.

Please share your feedback:

Please continue to give us your feedback so that we can ensure that we are supporting you in the best way possible! Click the link below or scan the QR code to answer a parent questionnaire. This questionnaire is anonymous so if you require a response please also email us directly with any requests.

https://forms.office.com/e/9cBTatDGPk

