



St Paul's C.E. Primary School
COVID -19 Addendum to the SEND Information Report

September 2020

In lockdown, the school remained open for the children of Key Workers and pupils identified as vulnerable. A risk assessment is completed by the Head teacher and SENDco to determine the safety of a pupil with Education Health Care Plans accessing learning at school or at home. This risk assessment is completed and sent to the Local Authority.

With school fully open, a parental request for their child to remain at home due to parents' or the child's underlying health issues will require a meeting with the parents, Head teacher and SENDco. A risk assessment is completed and a review date set. The SENDco will make weekly contact with the parent.

SEND Provision in school:

- St Paul's are following the procedures and approach outlined in the SEND Information Report. Following the assess plan do review process, pupils will be assessed and interventions planned to meet identified needs.
- Outside agencies, following the school's risk assessment will come into school to conduct pupil observations and assessments.
- Parents meetings following outside agency intervention will be conducted virtually or at an agreed social distance.
- When possible 1:1 or small group interventions will be delivered in that pupil's bubble by a member of staff within that bubble. The SENDco works across all bubbles to support planned provision and for monitoring purposes.
- Staff record provision across the Wave 1, 2 and 3 using the class provision map.
- Pupils identified at Wave 3 will have Individual education plans and one -page profiles/ communication passports.

SEND provision due to bubble closure, school closure or parental request:

- Home learning will be provided on Google classroom by set and class teachers. Tasks will be differentiated according to need. Additional tasks monitored by a supporting teaching assistant will be set linked to outcomes documented in the ECH plan and IEP.
- If Google classroom is deemed inappropriate, personalised home learning packs will be provided which will include tasks linked to outcomes documented in the pupil's Educational Health Care Plan and Individual Educational Health Care Plan.
- Pupils and parents to receive phone calls from class teacher/SENDco twice weekly or weekly depending on the level of need. The level of contact will be in line with the advice given by the Local Authority. These are wellbeing calls that will afford an opportunity for staff to stay in contact and for families to request support for signposting additional resources.

- Outside agency support will continue to during the time the pupil is not in school, contacting parents and signposting resources.
- The SENDco will remain in regular contact with outside agencies, following the gradual response of assess plan do and review. The SENDco will organise virtual meetings for parents and outside agencies when requested to do so by parents or the agencies involved.

Information

Information on Government Guidelines around SEND provision can be found on the following websites:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-on-vulnerable-children-and-youngpeople>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/send-code-of-practice-0-to-25#history>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers>

There are also other online learning resources your children can access with links on the school website. In particular we would like to signpost you to the following online resources:

- The Oak National Academy - <https://www.thenational.academy/>
- Maths <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>
- Mangahigh maths
- White Rose Maths
- BBC Bitesize
- Parents' website
- Twinkl – www.twinkl.co.uk