

What is the schools contribution to the local offer and where can I find further information about where the LA's local offer is published?

As a school we contribute to the local offer by ensuring that there are clear arrangements in place for requesting the services that families might require from the Local Authority. Details of how we contribute to the local offer can be found in our SEN information report and in our FAQ's. Our contribution to the local offer includes:

- The kinds of SEN that are provided for in the school.
- Policies for identifying children and young people with SEN and assessing their needs, including the name and contact details of the SENDCo.
- Arrangements for assessing and reviewing progress towards outcomes.
- Arrangements for consulting parents/carers of children with SEN and involving them in their child's education, and for consulting young people with SEN themselves and involving them in their education review.
- Arrangements for supporting children and young people in moving between phases of education and in preparing for adulthood.
- The approach to teaching those with SEN, including how adaptations are made to the curriculum and learning environment, the expertise and training of staff in relation to SEN, and how specialist expertise is secured.
- An evaluation of the effectiveness of the provision made.
- How those with SEN are enabled to join in activities beside those without.
- Support for improving emotional and social development (e.g. extra pastoral support arrangements and measures to prevent bullying).
- Arrangements for handling complaints about provision.

Details of the LA's local offer can be found at:

<https://www.sunderlandinformationpoint.co.uk/kb5/sunderland/directory/service.page?id=GvuUBH732nM&localofferchannel=2>