

Nailsworth C of E Primary School

Pupils with Special Educational Needs – Covid-19 Addendum September 2020

Nailsworth C of E Primary School recognises that some pupils with SEND (whether with education, health and care plans or on SEN support) will need specific help and preparation for the changes to routine that are being implemented, so teachers and special educational needs coordinators will meet these needs, for example using social stories.

Specialists, therapists, clinicians and other support staff for pupils with SEND will provide interventions as usual.

Where a child routinely attends more than one setting on a part time basis, Nailsworth C of E Primary School will work through the system of controls collaboratively, to jointly deliver a broad and balanced curriculum for the child.

The school SENCO will discuss any potential barriers to learning with parents/carers of children with an EHCP (educational healthcare plan).

Curriculum expectations

The key principles in curriculum planning and delivery for all children including those with special educational needs are:

- education is not optional: all pupils at Nailsworth C of E Primary School will receive a high-quality education that promotes their development and prepares them for the opportunities, responsibilities and experiences of later life.
- the curriculum remains broad and ambitious: all pupils continue to be taught a wide range of subjects, maintaining their choices for further study and employment.
- remote education, where needed, is high quality and aligns as closely as possible with in-school provision: schools and other settings continue to build their capability to educate pupils remotely, where this is needed.