Heathfield Primary and Nursery School's approach to supporting children with SEND

Local Offer: An outline of the provision Parents/Carers can expect to be available for children at this school with Special Educational Needs or Disabilities (SEND)



A 'progress' approach

- 1:1 support
- Small group support
- Booster Groups
- Ability grouping
- 5 minute box numeracy and literacy
- Mathletics numeracy
- Toe by Toe literacy
- Lexia literacy
- Rapid Read literacy
- Phonics streaming
- Writing surgery/ write away together literacy
- 3LS literacy
- Talk Boost literacy

Further information available in the School SEND information report and SEND policy.

An 'all people' approach

- SENCo
- Learning Support Mentor
- EAL leader
- Gifted and Talented Leader
- 2 Level 4 TAs and Intervention Champions
- Family Support Worker (2 ½ days a week)
- Speech and Language Therapist (1 day a week)
- Educational Psychologist (1 day termly)
- Specialist teachers in P.E, art, music and Spanish.

A 'positive behaviour' approach

- Behaviour policy that works by giving praise through a 'positives' system and also enforcing sanctions.
- Weekly celebration and achievers/happy book assembly reinforcing expectations.
- Involvement from Nottingham City's Behavioural Support Team when necessary.
- Partnership with parents.

An 'inclusive extra-curricular' approach

- A range of sports clubs
- Early birds breakfast club
- After school club
- Choir
- Art club
- · Cooking and crafts club
- Overnights residential trips in Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

A 'nurturing' approach

- Nurture club run by an experienced TA who supports vulnerable children.
- Play therapy for children with behavioural difficulties
- Sensory provision with resources to support children with Autism.
- Buddy system to support vulnerable children during play and lunch times.
- Music interaction for children with communication difficulties.
- Learning life skills.

A 'specialist' approach

- Behavioural Support Team
- Autism Team including transition support
- Sensory Team (auditory and visual)
- Speech and Language Team
- Learning Support Team
- School Nurse
- Occupational Therapy
- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service
- Physiotherapy
- Educational Psychologist
- Family Support Worker
- Nottingham City Families Information Centre