Annual SEND Report to Parents 2020/21

The SENCO is Mrs Amanda Mangham and the SEND Governor is Mrs Andrea Harvey.

SEND REGISTER

During this academic year there have been 9 pupils on the SEND register.

These pupils have a variety of needs. Six pupils will leave the Nursery School at the end of this academic and transfer to mainstream primary school.

INTERVENTIONS

Pupils on the SEND Register have had a combination of intervention including play therapy, one to one/small group work, drawing and talking, dough disco, Wellcomm intervention, and Forest School provision depending on their individual needs.

IMPACT AND PROGRESS

These pupils have achieved good progress across most areas of the curriculum.

STAFFING

Mrs Whitehead has undertaken play therapy, drawing and talking, Makaton signing and extra PSED sessions with the SEND pupils. Mrs Auld has held drawing and talking and play sessions. Mrs Mangham (SENCO) undertakes additional one-to-one support where needed and also Wellcomm intervention sessions.

SEN COURSES

Member of staff have undertaken Makaton training at the start of the academic year.

EXTERNAL AGENCIES

Our specialist teacher from SEND Support Learners Service is Lisa Bennett. During this academic year Mrs Mangham has had regular contact with our Specialist Teacher via phone, e-mail and a visit to the school.

Three child will be supported in nursery by the Specialist Inclusion Teacher

The school have also had assessments and reports from the Rainbow Centre at Burnley General Hospital. Speech and Language Therapists also visited the school and worked with the SALT pupils. Several families have had speech and language involvement via phone and video call.

Nursery also has links with the Community Health Nursery Nurse, Children Family, Early Help Service and Health Visitors. A virtual meeting has also taken place with the Educational Psychologist.

WORKING WITH PARENTS

Parents of SEND pupils met with staff regularly to look at their child's learning plan. They are also updated regularly on their child's SEN assessments, along with parents evenings. Additional meetings were also held as part of the assessment process where needed.

Mrs Mangham has also remained in regular contact with parents of SEN pupils via phone and e-mail during lockdown.

Report prepared by: Mrs Amanda Mangham (SENCO) and Mrs Andrea Harvey (Chair of Governors)

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