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Dear Parents and Carers

I am pleased to be able inform you that the SENCo (Alison Priest) and myself have reviewed the SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities) policy and found that the efficacy and practise stated within the document remains true.

The Governing body is confident that the overall aim of our SEND policy is to meet the needs of all of our SEND children however complex those needs may be. This is evident in resourcing, curriculum planning and work with outside agencies. All teaching and non-teaching staff work closely to provide differentiated support, working with either small groups or individual children. Those pupils identified with special educational needs or disabilities (SEND) are involved where possible in the life of school, according to their need. School makes a range of reasonable adjustments to teaching, resources and the environment to enable our SEND children to engage, learn and develop.

From my work with school to review the SEND policy it has become evident that every opportunity is taken to establish positive relationships between parents/ carers and school staff. This extends to joint working with outside agencies. Schools record keeping systems demonstrate that a great emphasis is placed in the continuing communication and discussions involving each child's overall development. Parent/ carer views are clearly sought and plans made accordingly between school, families and supporting agencies. Governors recognised that positive outcomes are reached where all parties fully engage in this process.

A copy of our SEND policy can be found on our school website. This policy was revised last academic year in line with the new SEND code of practise and in conjunction with a parental working party.

For further information on how we support children with SEND or other learning needs you may also wish to visit the Sheffield Directory at www.sheffielddirectory.org.uk.

This site enables you access information with regards to all providers of family services through- out Sheffield. Our offer to pupils with SEND and additional needs can be located here within the 'search' facility.

Should you wish to discuss this matter any further please do not hesitate to contact school and ask to speak to either myself or Alison Priest.

Regards

Ann North
SEND Governor

