

*My child needs additional support from outside agencies.*

When a child needs additional provision that we are unable to provide through the school's resources, we may consider putting your child forward to work with outside agencies. This could involve working with Educational Psychologist services or Advisory Teaching Teams as well as other outside agencies.

If your child does not make progress after receiving such graduated support, we may consider putting your child forward for an Education and Health Care Plan.

An outcome of this process may be that objectives will be set for your child and some additional funding may be available to support his/her learning in school. School will support you through this process but if you need any further advice the Parent Partnership Service (see contact list) is a confidential and impartial service who can also help

We are committed to working in partnership, with parents and the Local Authority, to ensure we offer every child with SEN tailored provision to overcome their barriers.

Please contact the school for an appointment to discuss any concerns you may have concerning your child.

We are here to help.

#### CONTACT DETAILS

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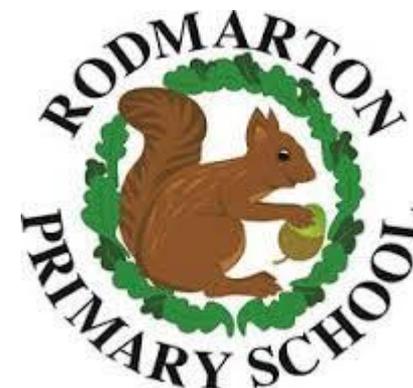
School Nurse Service  
Completed through an in-school referral.  
Please see one of the people named above

The Gloucestershire Local Offer can be accessed at:

<http://www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk/kb/5/gloucs/glosfamilies/localoffer.page>

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**Special Educational Needs & Disabilities**

**Rodmarton Primary School's Local Offer**

*How can we support you and your child if additional learning support is needed?*

## What is SEND?

SEND or Special Educational Needs and Disability is when pupils may need additional or different provision to enable them to achieve their potential.

It is when one or more of the following is a barrier to their learning:

- Speech
- Language and Communication
- Behaviour
- Learning
- Medical, Physical or Sensory Need

## What does SEND support look like at Rodmarton School?

Additional SEND support may include small group or 1:1 teaching, additional or different resources or strategies used to support their learning or advice and support from outside agencies.

These may be:

- School Nurse
- Educational Psychologist (EP)
- Speech and Language Therapist (SLT)
- Occupational Therapist (OT)
- Consultant Paediatrician
- Advisory Teaching Service (ATS)

*My child's class teacher has spoken with me and explained my child has additional needs.*

## *You are supported*

Other people in and out of school can support you alongside the class teacher.

You can access the support of any of the people below:

1. SENDCo - Rebecca Bardell
2. Head Teacher - Caroline Musty
3. Your GP or Health Visitor

Arrange another meeting with the Class Teacher and the SENDCo to discuss future strategies and ideas to support your child.

This can be done by simply phoning the office.

*A 'My Plan' has arrived home. What is this for?*

A 'My Plan' is a plan of that your child is going to experience in school which is additional or different to their normal class provision.

On the plan should be a list of the targets that we are all working towards in school and ways that you can help at home.

The plan will be reviewed three times a year and you will get a copy for your information.

You can discuss the plan at any point with the class teacher or SENDCo.

*My child has been on the SEND register for a while but not made any progress?*

Go back into school and discuss with the Class Teacher or SENDCo. It might be that we need to get additional advice and support from outside agencies.