

SEND Banding Matrix

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Cognition & Learning (CL)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2

Mild - Moderate

A child / young person who is said to have mild learning difficulties is usually able to hold a conversation, and communicate most of their needs and wishes. They may need some support to understand abstract or complex ideas and be delayed across the curriculum. Such young people are often independent in caring for themselves and doing many everyday tasks. They usually have some basic reading and writing skills. Young people with Mild LD will usually have their needs met in a Mainstream setting, using resources normally available to the school / setting.

- Continuing and persistent difficulties in the acquisition/use of language/literacy/numeracy skills
- The child or young person is operating at a level well below expected outcomes and there is evidence of an increasing gap between them and their peers despite targeted intervention and differentiation through a support plan
- Evidence of difficulties with aspects of cognition i.e. memory, concept development, information processing, understanding, sequencing and reasoning that impact on learning and/or limit access to the curriculum
- Progress is at a slow rate but with evidence of response to intervention
- Support is required to maintain academic gains and to access the curriculum

SEND Support Range 3 Moderate

Young people with moderate learning difficulties will have some language skills that mean they can communicate about their day to day needs and wishes. They will require a highly differentiated curriculum and some personalised learning. They may need some support with caring for themselves, but will be able to carry out day to day tasks with support. Young people with MLD will usually have their needs met in a Mainstream setting, using resources normally available to the school / setting.

- Persistent difficulties in the acquisition/use of language/literacy/numeracy skills
- May appear resistant to previous interventions
- The child or young person is operating at a level significantly below expected outcomes and there is evidence of an increasing gap between them and their peers despite targeted intervention, differentiation and curriculum modification
- Moderate difficulties with independent working and may sometimes need the support of an adult and a modified curriculum or assessment findings from a range of standardised cognitive assessments
- Assessment by an Educational Psychologist indicates significant and enduring difficulties with several aspects of cognition e.g. memory,

SEND Support Range 4

Enhanced/Severe Young people with severe learning

difficulties will usually use basic wordsand gestures to communicate their needs. They will need a high level of support in school / setting requiring significant personalisation of the curriculum.

They may be able to look after some if not all of their own personal care needs. Some young people will have additional, medical needs and some need support with mobility issues. Young people with SLD may have an Education Health and Care Plan and will be educated in either a mainstream or specialist school environment.

- The child or young person will have significant and persistent difficulties with literacy, numeracy or motor coordination despite regular attendance and high-quality specialist intervention and teaching
- Key language, literacy and/or numeracy skills are well below functional levels for their year group the child or young person cannot access text or record independently
- The child or young person has significant levels of difficulty in cognitive processing, requiring significant alteration to the pace and delivery of the curriculum
- Difficulties likely to be long term/lifelong condition is pervasive and debilitating

SEND Support Range 5

Severe and complex

Young people with profound and multiple learning difficulties (PMLD), will have severely limited understanding and will have multiple disabilities, which can include impairments of vision, hearing and movement as well as other challenges such as epilepsy and autism. Young people in this group need support with mobility and may have complex health needs requiring extensive support. They will require a bespoke curriculum and will have considerable difficulty communicating. Young people with PMLD will usually have an Education Health and Care Plan and be educated in a specialist provision.

Complex and profound learning needs with another significant barrier to learning e.g. SLCN/Sensory/ Physical/ ASD. Complex and profound difficulties with cognitive impairment that restrict access to the curriculum and require specialist provision. Complex and profound language and communication difficulties. These C&YP with will also have multiple additional needs and need a highly structured environment with qualified skilled staff in a specialist provision.

Support will need to cover all aspects of the school day to enable access to the curriculum and environment. Severe and persistent difficulties in the acquisition/ use of language/communication/ literacy/ numeracy skills with the curriculum and out of school activities.

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Initial Support SEND Support SEND Support SEND Support Range 2 Range 4 Range 5 Range 3 Mild - Moderate Moderate Enhanced/Severe Severe and complex concept development, information Processing difficulties limit Significantly affects access to independence and pupil may need processing, understanding, sequencing curriculum and academic progress and reasoning **Profound and Multiple** adult support in some areas High levels of support required which The pupil will have **mild** but **persistent** Difficulties impact on learning and/or include assistive technology **End FS** <DJ Step 5 (9 months) limit access to the curriculum difficulties in aspects of literacy, Social skills and behaviour may be <PKS S1 (24 months) End KS1 numeracy or motor co-ordination Significant discrepancies between affected, and issues of self-esteem and End KS2 <PKS S1 (24 months) despite regular attendance, appropriate different areas of cognition or a highly motivation are likely to be present End KS3 <PKS S1 (24 months) intervention and quality first teaching unusual profile of strengths and The child or young person may appear difficulties May have difficulties with organisation to be increasingly socially immature End KS4 <PKS S1 (24 months) and independence in comparison to Personalised learning plan and vulnerable because of limited End KŞ5 <PKS S1 (24 months) Access to advice from a specialist social awareness, difficulties with (See Unified Progress Grid for interim The child or voung person will require reasoning, understanding or expressing Support for reading/recording to access vears) reasonable adjustments to support the curriculum at the appropriate level thoughts them in the classroom of understanding Difficulties are so significant that Standardised assessment scores will be Self-esteem and motivation may be an The child or young person will have specialist daily teaching in literacy and between <35 / <0.01 centile numeracy and access to a modified moderate and persistent difficulties issue curriculum are required Possibly other needs or circumstances with literacy, numeracy and/or motor For further information about APDR and co-ordination despite regular A high level of adjustment and that impact on learning expected outcomes please see: Cognition attendance, significant levels of specialist teaching across the and Learning (stoke.gov.uk) focused intervention, effective provision curriculum is required. MILD mapping and quality first teaching Significant personalisation of the <DJ Step 12 (36 months) **End FS** Difficulties in some aspect of cognitive curriculum. <Y1 ARE (72 months) End KS1 processing will be present, i.e. slow End KS2 <Y4 ARE phonological processing, poor working **Enhanced/Severe** End KS3 <Y6 ARE memory, and difficulties with auditory End FS <DJ Step 8 (20 months) and visual processing End KS4 <Y7 ARE End KS1 <PKS S2 (36 months) Difficulties will affect access to End KS5 <Entry Level2 End KS2 <PKS S3 curriculum, and specialist End KS3 support/advice and arrangements will <PKS S4 (See Progress Grid for interim years) be required End KS4 <Y1 ARE May require assistive technology End KS5 <Entry Level 1 Standardised assessment scores will be and/or augmented or alternative between 70-84 (above 2nd centile) (See Unified Progress Grid for interim communication supports years) Difficulties with learning may impact on For further information about APDR and self-esteem, motivation and emotional expected outcomes please see: Cognition Standardised assessment scores will be wellbeing despite positive support and Learning (stoke.gov.uk) between 35 - 50 (<0.1st centile) Involvement of pupil in target setting and personalised learning

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
	Moderate End FS		
	Standardised assessment scores will be between 50 and 70 (below the 2nd centile) For further information about APDR and expected outcomes please see: Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)		

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Staffing Characteristics

	Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate		SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
•	Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc.	 In addition: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals 	·	addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	In addition: • Specialist knowledge and skills in supporting CYP with profound learning difficulties

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Adaptive teaching approaches	In addition: Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress. Planned reviews including the parent/carer, child / young person and where possible other involved professionals should take place. Additional adults support the child / young person individually, under the direction of the teacher to: work on modified curriculum tasks; access regular individual support encourage independence create frequent opportunities for peer to peer interaction monitor the progress of the child / young person using structured methods Alternative curriculum pathway offers for KS4. Consider outreach support from specialist provision Additional Needs: Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Sensory	 Adapted teaching methods which incorporate the use of concrete experiences, learning aids, multisensory teaching and opportunities for overlearning and generalisation of skills as standard. Individualised level/ pace/ amount of teacher talk. Access arrangements may be appropriate. Adjustments must be part of everyday learning practice. Visual cues to support auditory information at all stages of delivery. Specialist advisor/EP to advise and train key staff on teaching methods as appropriate. Tasks and presentations are personalised to the CYP's needs and monitored regularly to ensure it remains appropriate Additional Needs: Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at 	Curriculum Modified and supported curriculum with elements of sensory learning / ASensory Engagement curriculum / Highly bespoke and individualised curriculum. Resources Use of modified and adapted teaching resources, materials and facilities to support teaching and learning / Use of specifically adapted teaching resources, materials and facilities to support teaching and learning / Bespoke and personalised resources to support the learning and mental and physical therapeutic specific needs of the child or young person. Environment: A highly bespoke environment with access specialist therapeutic facilities and resources (based on clinical assessment) to support students with PMLD needs Additional Needs: Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.

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Initial Support SEND Support SEND Support SEND Support Range 2 Range 3 Range 4 Range 5 Mild - Moderate Moderate Enhanced/Severe Severe and complex Additional strategies and interventions may either mild / moderate / severe or profound Sensory On-going opportunities for individual support focused on specific targets with be required. Please see appropriate section Additional strategies and interventions level. of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at will be required and will include daily reinforcement in whole class activities to either mild / moderate / severe or profound SEMH additional adult support (1:1) to support aid transfer of skills intervention/ programme of work created Additional strategies and interventions may Flexibility of groupings allows for buddy level. support / good role models / focused be required. Please see appropriate section bya QTVI / TOD and delivered by **SEMH** of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at school. teaching. Additional strategies and interventions may either mild / moderate / severe or profound Advice from external agencies is be required. Please see appropriate section This may include: level. implemented in the classroom of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at Pre and post tutoring/teaching is used to either mild / moderate / severe or profound For further information, good practice Daily 1:1 or small group 1:3 to enable the pupil to engage with learning interventions and strategies see graduated level. develop sensory skills and concept in the classroom. approach information here: Cognition and buildina. Enhanced opportunities to use For further information, good practice Learning (stoke.gov.uk) Daily 1:1 intervention to technological aids interventions and strategies see graduated maximise residual sensory mode Use of visual reminders, timers, approach information here: Cognition and or compensatory skills, eg, resources and rewards to develop Learning (stoke.gov.uk) Positive Looking programme, independence colour tents Development of self-evaluation and self-Daily coactive exploration of reflection skills resources 1:1 with an adult Explicit teaching of strategies and use of to develop conceptbuilding/ resources to assist with the independent/ active development of independent learning learning skills Daily 1:1 or small group work 1:3 For further information and strategies see exploring sensory stories graduated approach information here: Daily 1:1 intervention to Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk) develop early communication skills, eq. intensiveinteraction, coactive signing, touch cues. Adult time to adapt resources under advice of a QTVI /TOD at least 1 hour a week. **SEMH** Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
			of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.
			For further information, good practice interventions and strategies see graduated approach information here: Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)



Provision

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support		SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4		Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe		Severe and complex
Mild - Moderate Mainstream placement Universal Offer	Range 3	Range 4		Range 5
			•	appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff
			•	A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation during structured and unstructured times

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
LA:Core offer:Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	LA:Core offer:Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers 	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers
Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	Traded offer: SEND Support Service SLCN Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	 Traded offer: SEND Support Service Cognition and Learning Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer
Offer from health:	Offer from health:	Offer from health: Community Learning disability service	Offer from health: Community Leaning disability service

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Cognition & Learning (CL) – Specific Learning Difficulties (SpLD)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
Young people are likely to be working persistently below agerelated expectations in their area of need, with standard scores below 85 in this area, despite access to appropriate educational opportunities There may be inconsistencies their profile/strengths and weaknesses Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)	Young people are likely to be working persistently well belowage related expectations in literacy and/or numeracy despite access to appropriate interventions Standardised assessment scores will be between 50 and70 (below the 2nd centile) in their area of need and on measures of cognitive processing and fluency Difficulties with Literacy and Numeracy are significantly impacting on access to otherareas of the curriculum. There are clear inconsistencies in theirprofile/strengths and weaknesses Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)	Young people will be working persistently within Pre-Key stage levels for literacy and/ornumeracy despite access to intensive, regular evidence- based interventions Post-16 students will be, working persistently towards Entry Level in Literacy / Numeracy / Functional skills/ equivalent despite access tointensive, regular evidence-based interventions Standardised assessment scores will be between 35 - 50 (<0.1st centile) in their area of need and on measures of cognitive processing and fluency. Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. 	 Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals 	In addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
Differentiation as part of high quality teaching needed in most subject areas. A monitoring system should be in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implementsupport and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP or One Page Profile. The teacher takes responsibility for devising, delivering and evaluating a personalised programmethat accelerates learning. High quality teaching should include: Adaptive teaching approaches EEF blog: Moving from 'differentiation' to 'adaptive teaching' EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk) Use of Scaffolding EEF blog: Scaffolding — more than just a worksheet EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk) Increased differentiation of activities and materials by presentation, outcome, timing, scaffolding and additional resources Differentiated questioning and targeted simplified level/pace/amount of teacher talk Further modification of level, pace, amount of teacher talk to address pupils'identified need. Alternative forms of recording routinely used to include electronic devices (assistive technology Use of multi-sensory approaches. Awareness that the child / young person may need more time to complete tasks andthat equality of access may mean that they need to do some things differently. Routine feedback to pupils Environmental considerations are made to meet the	In addition: Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress. Planned reviews including the parent/carer, child / young person and where possible other involved professionals should take place. Additional adults support the child / young person individually, under the direction of the teacher to: work on modified curriculum tasks; access regular individual support encourage independence create frequent opportunities for peer to peer interaction monitor the progress of the child / young person using structured methods Adult support and subject withdrawal for daily targeted interventions to support the development of literacy and or numeracy. May require special exam arrangements Access to appropriate resources and specific interventions. Planned time for small group and individual working with adult support. Stafftraining will be necessary Additional Needs: Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	In addition: Curriculum differentiation and / or modification needed. Adult support and subject withdrawalfor daily targeted interventions to support the development of literacy and or numeracy. Will have special exam arrangements A monitoring system should be in place to identify short term targets from the EHCP, implement recommended provision and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP. Termly planned sharing of information including the parent and child / young person shouldtake place as well as a statutory annual review. Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child / young person as described in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes. Additional Needs: Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.
needs of all pupils e.g. seatingposition, personal space and classroom layouts, displays and signage	Sensory	SEMH

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4
Mild - Moderate On-going opportunities for individual support focused on specific targets withreinforcement in whole class activities to aid transfer of skills Flexibility of groupings allows for buddy support / good role models / focusedteaching. Advice from external agencies is implemented in the classroom	Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information, good practice interventions and strategies see graduated approach information here: Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)	Enhanced/Severe Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information, good practice interventions and strategies see graduated approach information here: Cognition and Learning (stoke.gov.uk)

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Provision

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding 	 Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion Funding Ad specialist teacher of SEND and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff 	 A flexible specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School/AP) No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff.
LA: Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: • SEND Support Service • EP service • Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: • SEND Support Service • EP service • Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Traded offer: SEND Support Service SpLD Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
Offer from health: Universal offer to advise support and signpost any emerging health needs	Offer from health: Universal offer to advise support and signpost any emerging health needs	Offer from health: Universal offer to advise support and signpost any emerging health needs

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Communication and Interaction – Speech Language and Communication (SLCN)

Pupil Characteristics

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate CYP will have communication and	Moderate CYP will have communication and	Enhanced/Severe CYP will have communication and	Severe and complex
interaction needs that affect access to a	interaction needs that will moderately	interaction needs that significantly affect	CYP at range 5 will have speech and language needs that profoundly affect
number of aspects of the National	affect their access to the National	their access to the National Curriculum,	access to a number of aspects of the
Curriculum, including the social emotional	Curriculum, including the social emotional	including the social emotional curriculum	National Curriculum including the social
curriculum and school life:	curriculum and all aspects of school life.	and all aspects of school life. This is	emotional curriculum, independence skills
Speech is usually understood by	This is especially true in new and unfamiliar	especially true in new and unfamiliar	and school life; even in known and familiar
familiar adults; unfamiliar people may	contexts.	contexts but will also affect access at	contexts and with familiar support/ people
not be able to understand what the	The pervasive nature of the Autism/ C&I needs is likely to have a	times of high stress in some known and familiar contexts and with familiar	available. CYP will require a fully inclusive
CYP is saying if out of contextThe CYP's speech may have some	detrimental effect on the acquisition,	support/people available.	approach across the whole educational
immaturities or use of more unusual	retention and generalisation of skills	The pervasive nature of the Autism/	setting, including a total communication environment with a variety of
sounds within their talking, which may	and therefore on the result of any	C&I needs is likely to have a	communication mediums.
impact on social interaction and the	assessment	detrimental effect on the acquisition,	communication medianis.
acquisition of literacy	CYP may or may not have a diagnosis	retention and generalisation of skills	
Difficulties with listening and attention	of Autism made by an appropriate	and therefore on the result of any	Language specific screening tools delayed
that affect task engagement and	multi-agency team	assessment	developmental progresswithin the realm of communication with theapproximate levels:
independent learning	Persistent delay against age related	CYP will have an uneven learning	communication with theapproximate levels.
Comments and questions indicate Comments and questions indicate	speech, language and communication	profile, but their attainment levels	Severe and Complex
difficulties in understanding the main	Persistent difficulties that do not follow permal developmental patterns.	suggest they can access a differentiated mainstream curriculum	
points of discussion, information and explanations	normal developmental patterns (disordered)	CYP may or may not have a diagnosis	End FS =/< 2 years
CYP needs some support with listening	Speech	of Autism made by an appropriate	End KS1 =/< 3 years
and responding	Speech may not be understood by	multi-agency diagnostic team	End KS2 =/< 5 years
Difficulties in the understanding of	others i.e. parents/family/carers where	Could communicate or benefit from	End KS3 =/< 6 years
language for learning (conceptual	context is unknown.	communicating using Augmented and Alternative Communication	End KS4 =/< 8 years
language: size, time, shape, position)	Difficulty in conveying meaning, feelings and peods to others due to	Some or all aspects of language	End KS5 As above
Reduced vocabulary range, both expressive and receptive	feelings and needs to others due to speech intelligibility	acquisition are significantly below age	
May rely on simple phrases with	Speech sound difficulty may lead to	expected levels	Standardised assessment scores from
everyday vocabulary	limited opportunities to interact with	Significant speech sound difficulties,	language specific tests will be less than 70
May rely heavily on non-verbal	peers	making speech difficult for all listeners	School based and other
communication to complete tasks	May be socially vulnerable	to understand when out of context (and	assessments/observationsincluding those
(adult's gestures, copying peers) and	May become isolated or frustrated	sometimes where it is known).	conducted by SaLTS, EPs and/or
this may mask comprehension			specialist teachers indicatethe child /
weaknesses			Transmit todalion management and r

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Social interaction could be limited and there may be some difficulty in making and maintaining friendships Behaviour as an indicator of SLCN: difficulties with independent learning, poor listening and attention, frustration, stress, lack of engagement CYP is likely to present with difficulty in talking fluently e.g. adults may observe repeated sounds, words or phrases more consistently Standardised assessmentscores from language specific tests will be between 78 and 85	 Phonological awareness (Speech sound awareness) difficulties impact on literacy development Expressive The CYP may have difficulty speaking in age appropriate sentences and the vocabulary range is reduced. This will also be evident in written work Talking may not be fluent May have difficulties in recounting events in a written or spoken narrative Receptive Difficulties in accessing the curriculum, following instructions, answering questions, processing verbal information, following everyday conversations Needs regular and planned additional support and resources Difficulties with listening and attention that affect task engagement and independent learning May not be able to focus attention for sustained periods May appear passive or distracted Difficulties with sequencing, predicting, and inference within both social and academic contexts. This may impact on behaviour and responses in everyday situations e.g. not understanding the consequences of an action 	Must have an identified Speech, Language and /or Communication Delay/Disorder This could be difficulties in: • Understanding and/or using language • Speech Sound development • Social Interaction Identification • Diagnosed by a Speech and Language Therapist • CYP's with Developmental Language Disorder (DLD) may have associated social communication difficulties • CYP's with DLD may have difficulties with literacy associated with writing fluency, reading comprehension and spelling, problem solving and reasoning in addition to contextual based Maths – more evident in mastery curriculum • CYP's with DLD have difficulties with numeracy associated with mathematical concepts, word problems and working memory • CYP's with DLD may have behavioural, emotional and social difficulties which impact on everyday interactions and learning. Severe End FS =/< 2 years End KS1 =/< 3 years End KS2 =/< 5 years End KS3 =/< 6 years End KS4 =/< 8 years End KS5 As above	young person has severe and complex difficulty with speech, receptive and/or expressive language. Diagnosis of severe and complex needs in the realm of speech and language by a SLT Comorbid needs that are severe.

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Communication and Interaction – Speech Language and Communication (SLCN)

Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate Social Communication Difficulties with speech and/or language mean that social situations present challenges resulting in emotional outbursts, anxiety, social isolation and social vulnerability. Moderate End FS	Standardised assessmentscores from language specific tests will be less than 70 School based and other assessments/observationsincluding those conducted by SLTS, EPs and/or specialist teachers indicatethe child / young person has severe difficulty with speech, receptive and/or expressive language. Language specific screening tools report amber or red in all areas. Administration of the screener for lower age groups will indicate delayed developmental progress with the approximate levels: Diagnosis of severe DLD or speech disorder by SLT Comorbid needs that are moderate/severe	Severe and complex

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. 	 As above, plus: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. speech and language therapists 	Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use visual supports; Makaton; PECS; assistive devices; etc to support language development Ability to create a total communication environment To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Adjustments to the language	In addition:	In addition:	In addition:
learning environment such as			
lighting, noise levels, access to	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and	Teaching approaches place a high	An alternative specialist speech and
quiet spaces, furniture and	quantifiable:	emphasis on direct training for staff and	language curriculum should be
grouping arrangements so that	My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to	very finely gradedand practical tasks	provided in a specialist teaching
pupils can seevisual prompts and	assess the young person's needs, identify	which provide opportunities for frequent	setting with access to speech and
the teacher	outcomes, implement support and monitor	repetition and reinforcement.	language therapy from local NHS core
Attention and listening skills: identify	and evaluate progress. Planned reviews	Furthermore, specialist advice from the	services orfrom another
the cause of difficulties and teach	including the parent/carer, child / young	Speech and Language Therapy Team	commissioned provider
the strategieswith modelling and	person and where possible other involved	should be sought regarding the	
reinforcement	professionals should take place.	modifications required to provide a	Use of appropriate resources and access
High levels of visual support:	Francois and annual property	specialist curriculum which places a high	to specific interventions from specialist
use of gestures, modelling,	Additional adults support the child / young	emphasis on speech and language	staff. Plannedtime for small group and
mirroring, objects of	person individually, under the direction of	development in adapted or specialist	individual working with adult support. Staff
reference, pictures, symbols,	the teacher to:	teaching settings with speech and	training
role-play etc.to augment	 work on modified curriculum tasks; 	language therapy.	9
spoken language	access regular individual support	Janguage merapy.	High level of adult support for learning.
Adult speech that:	encourage independence	A monitoring system should be in place	The state of the s
 Uses Clear and unhurried speech with 	 create frequent opportunities for peer 	to identify short term targets from the	Alternative and Augmentative
normal intonation	to peer interaction	EHCP, implementrecommended	Communication (AAC) will be considered.
- Uses short sentences and the active	monitor the progress of the child /	provision and monitor and evaluate	Communication (7 trio) will be considered.
voice	young person using structured	progress, for example an IEP.	Additional Needs:
- Avoids metaphors and idioms and	methods	progress, for example an inter-	Sensory
minimises abstract language		Termly planned sharing of information	Additional strategies and interventions may
Phrases instructions as directions, not	Alternative curriculum pathway offers for KS4.	including the parent and child / young	be required. Please see appropriate section
questions	101 K34.	person should takeplace as well as a	of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at
- Delivers instructions in manageable	Additional Needer	statutory annual review.	either mild / moderate / severe or profound
chunks and waits for the child's	Additional Needs:		level.
responsebefore giving the next	Sensory	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and	
 Modelling the use of clarification 	Additional strategies and interventions may	quantifiable:	Cognition and Learning (CL)
questions and praising YP when they	be required. Please see appropriate section		Additional strategies and interventions may
use them	of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at	Under the direction of the teacher,	be required. Please see appropriate section
Systems of visual feedback to	either mild / moderate / severe or profound	additional adults support the child / young	of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either
allow pupils to show they have	level.	person as described in section F of the	mild / moderate / severe or profound level.
understood e.g. trafficlight cards	0	EHCP, to address the identified outcomes.	initia / inicaciato / covoro oi protouria level.
 Personalised visual timetables, choice 	Cognition and Learning (CL)	Additional adults, who have received	SEMH
•	Additional strategies and interventions may	appropriate training to ensure they have	<u> </u>
boards, task organisers etc.	be required. Please see appropriate section	the necessaryskills to support the child /	

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 Classification of words as tier 1, 2 and 3 (Beck et al., 2013). Use of tier 1/2 words toteach/pre-teach tier 3 words Multisensory vocabulary teaching Shared reading and targeted play to develop and extend knowledge of tier 2 vocab Word finding skills through the use of categorisation activities Structured phonological awareness skills teaching in small groups Exemplification of the different purposes/functions of language Reinforcement of new vocabulary and concepts in a range of contexts Inclusive practices, such as peer rehearsal, to ensure everyone can answer Talking frames to provide a structure for reporting, telling stories and sequencing etc. Advice available from NHS or any other commissioned SALT provider is included inplanning and implemented on a regular basis Consider referral to NHS SALT if additional/ new advice is required For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Communication and Interaction (stoke.gov.uk) 	of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Communication and Interaction (stoke.gov.uk)	young person individually or as part of a small group, under the direction of the teacher to: • work on significantly modified curriculum tasks • access daily individual support • encourage independence • create opportunities for peer to peer interaction • monitor the progress of the child / young person using highly structured methods • provide daily small group and individual interventions to work on programmes as advised by the Speech and Language Therapy Service • provide opportunities for the YP to engage in community activity Additional Needs: Sensory Additional Strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Communication and Interaction (stoke.gov.uk)

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Communication and Interaction – Speech Language and Communication (SLCN)

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
		either mild / moderate / severe or profound	
		level.	
		For further information and strategies see	
		Communication and Interaction	
		(stoke.gov.uk)	
		graduated approach information here: <u>Communication and Interaction</u>	



Provision

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures 	 Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up?) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion Funding: Bradford Schools Online LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures 	 No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes – in functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Traded offer: SEND Support Service SLCN Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures 	 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School) to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:12) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 /15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Special: Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:13) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A specialist teacher of SEND and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation and during unstructured times LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Traded offer: SEND Support Service

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Communication and Interaction – Speech Language and Communication (SLCN)

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
			 Cognition and Learning Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures
LA:	LA:	LA:	LA:
Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	Core offer:Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	 Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers 	 Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers
Traded offer:	Traded offer:	Traded offer: SEND Support Service	Traded offer: SEND Support Service
SEND Support Service	 SEND Support Service 	SLCN Specialist teacher	SLCN Specialist teacher
EP service	EP service	EP service	EP service
 Inclusion Services training and support offer 	 Inclusion Services training and support offer 	 Inclusion Services training and support offer 	 Inclusion Services training and support offer
Offer from health: Assesses speech, language, communication and feeding			
Diagnoses the nature and severity of impairment e.g. delay/disorder			
Makes a clinical judgement recommending type and level of intervention e.g. direct/indirect therapy			
Sets a Care Aim (targets) and goal and shares this with parents/carers/key workers.			
Plans a programme of strategies/activities/resource recommendations.			

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Communication and Interaction – Speech Language and Communication (SLCN)

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
Prioritises child's needs as per standardised criteria within context of caseload.			
Demonstrates/models strategies and activities to enable parent/key worker to deliver programme.			
Delivers therapy in most appropriate method. This may include: direct (face to face)/on-line with SLT/SLTAP, indirect via another agency or service, group or individual therapy.			
Assesses progress – extent and rate – against goals/targets.			
Makes a clinical judgement re. continued SLT intervention/discharge.			
Reports provided for Early Years forum, EHCPs and annual reviews.			

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Communication and Interaction – Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 CYP will have communication and interaction needs that affect access to a number of aspects of the National Curriculum, including the social emotional curriculum and school life Students may or may not have low to moderate sensory needs 	 CYP will have communication and interaction needs that will moderately affect their access to the National Curriculum, including the social emotional curriculum and all aspects of school life This is especially true in new and unfamiliar contexts The pervasive nature of the Autism/ C&I needs is likely to have a detrimental effect on the acquisition, retention and generalisation of skills and therefore on the result of any assessment Pupils may or may not have a diagnosis of Autism made by an appropriate multi-agency team Students may or may not have moderate sensory needs 	 CYP will have communication and interaction needs that significantly affect their access to the National Curriculum, including the social emotional curriculum and all aspects of school life This is especially true in new and unfamiliar contexts but will also affect access at times of high stress in some known and familiar contexts and with familiar support/people available The pervasive nature of the Autism/ C&I needs is likely to have a detrimental effect on the acquisition, retention and generalisation of skills and therefore on the result of any assessment Pupils will have an uneven learning profile but their attainment levels suggest they can access a differentiated mainstream curriculum Pupils may or may not have a diagnosis of Autism by an appropriate multi-agency diagnostic team Students may or may not have sensory significant sensory needs The pervasive nature of the ACS needs is likely to have a detrimental effect on the acquisition, retention and generalisation of skills and therefore on the result of any assessment 	 CYP will have communication and interaction needs that profoundly affect their access to the curriculum, including the social emotional curriculum and all aspects of school life, even in known and familiar contexts and with familiar people CYP will need a regulated setting with staff experienced in using approaches suited to children with autism. May have severe language difficulties / limited language. May require a mix of speech and augmented communication systems. Frequently shows emotional responses and high anxiety impacting on access to the curriculum. Frequently distressed by change / transition. Frequently displays obsessive or repetitive behaviours. Learning difficulties, showing significant delay in reasoning skills and experiencing learning difficulties across all areas of the curriculum. Requires an individualised curriculum and substantial individual adult support. Sensory issues impacting on learning Severely limited language skills, uses alternative communication systems to make needs/choices known. Regularly shows inappropriate emotional response including self-injurious. Regularly behaviour is severely withdrawn or obsessional. Sensory issues majorly impacting on

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
			 Regularly shows only minimal interaction to adults and peers and can be very difficult to direct. Rarest students with ASD diagnosis. Will have multiple additional needs. Requires a highly structured environment with qualified skilled staff in highly specialist provision. Extreme vulnerability puts self and others in danger. May display extreme violent/aggressive behaviour. May have co-morbid medical conditions. May require support for self-care and independence

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc.	 As for range 2, plus: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. speech and language therapists 	Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use visual supports; Makaton; PECS; assistive devices; AAC etc to support language development Ability to create a total communication environment To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
 classroom routines and promote independence (these may need to be personalised to learning style to promote engagement) e.g. visual timetables. Access to a quiet, distraction free work space for independent working or to calm/refocus in or near the classroom (if 	sessions, to work on targets as advised byexternal agencies e.g. Speech and Language Therapy, Communication and Interaction Team. For example, small group sessions to work on social interaction skills, including support to apply into real life situations.	quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child / young person as described in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes. Additional adults, who have received appropriate training to ensure they have the necessaryskills to support the child /	 Alternative communication used, including PECS, Makaton, AAC devices etc. Access to specialist agencies such as Speech and Language, Physiotherapy, Nursing Team, Access to specialist resources and

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pre-arranged cues for active listening

ask for help.

The child / young person is encouraged

and shown how to seek clarification and

Initial Support SEND Support SEND Support SEND Support Range 2 Range 3 Range 4 Range 5 Mild - Moderate Moderate Enhanced/Severe Severe and complex young person individually or as part of a needed). Support or provide alternative provision for facilities such as Rebound. small group, under the direction of the unstructured times e.g. break times Pre and post teaching, shared with the Hydrotherapy Support the child / young person to teacher to: home setting, to enable the child / young Support with personal hygiene and work on significantly modified recognise and understand their emotions person to engage with learning in the support at mealtimes. curriculum tasks e.g. Emotion Coaching and to then classroom. access daily individual support consistently use visuals provided for Demonstration provided of what is emotional regulation throughout the encourage independence expected and the child / young person is day. create opportunities for peer to peer **Environment:** given routine feedback e.g. using a Access sensory activities during the interaction A highly bespoke environment system of visual feedback to show if day to meet sensory need as monitor the progress of the child / with access specialist therapeutic something has been understood. appropriate young person using highly structured facilities and resources (based on e.g. movement breaks, walking, stimulus methods On-going opportunities for individual clinical assessment) to support reduction. provide daily small group and individual support focused on specific targets with students with profound ASD interventions to work on programmes reinforcement in whole class activities to needs. Additional Needs: as advised by the Speech and aid transfer and generalisation of skills. Sensory Language Therapy Service Ensuring that preferred methods of Additional strategies and interventions may be **Additional Needs:** provide opportunities for the YP to communication (as well as level of eye required. Please see appropriate section of Sensory engage in community activity contact) are known by all staff within Additional strategies and interventions may be Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either required. Please see appropriate section of school / setting. mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either The young person's name or agreed cue **Additional Needs:** Cognition and Learning (CL) mild / moderate / severe or profound level. is used to gain their attention. Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may Additional strategies and interventions may be Minimal use of abstract language and be required. Please see appropriate section Cognition and Learning (CL) required. Please see appropriate section of targeted instructions considering young of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either Additional strategies and interventions may Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either person's language level and the mild / moderate / severe or profound level. be required. Please see appropriate section mild / moderate / severe or profound level. pace/amount of teacher talk. of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either Instructions must be broken down into SEMH mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) manageable chunks and given in order. Additional strategies and interventions may be Additional strategies and interventions may The child / young person must be given **SEMH** required. Please see appropriate section of be required. Please see appropriate section Additional strategies and interventions may be processing time. Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either required. Please see appropriate section of mild / moderate / severe or profound level. 'Rules' of good listening displayed, mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either taught, modelled and regularly reinforced e.g. the child / young person is aware of mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies

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SEMH

Additional strategies and interventions may be

required. Please see appropriate section of

For further information and strategies see

graduated approach information here:

Communication and Interaction

see graduated approach information

here: Communication and Interaction

(stoke.gov.uk)

	Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
	Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
	Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
•	Additional support is used effectively to		Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either	(stoke.gov.uk)
	prompt the child / young person to ask		mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	
	and answer questions.			
•	A range of structured and multi-sensory		For further information and strategies	
	approaches used to support spoken		see graduated approach information here: Communication and Interaction	
	language e.g. symbols, pictures,		(stoke.gov.uk)	
	concrete apparatus, artefacts, role play.		totore geviany	
•	Supporting the child / young person as			
	needed to access and engage in social			
	situations using strategies such as			
	speaking buddies or similar (peer talk) to			
	encourage responses.			
•	Support to model appropriate coping			
	strategies for emotional regulation and			
	social problem solving.			
•	Sensory adjustments to meet the needs			
	of the child / young person and			
	reasonable adjustments made as needed			
	e.g. low stimulus display boards, useof			
	ear defenders.			
•	Alternative forms of recording using			
	technological aids are routinely used, e.g.			
	iPad, recording software etc.			
•	Use of AET (Autism Education Trust)			
	Audit Tool to review whole school /		_	
	School/ setting practice.			
•	Advice may be available from NHS or			
	any other commissioned provider			
	(consider referral to NHS SALT if			
	additional/ new advice is required)			
•	Supported transition at the end of each			
	academic year, particularly between			
	phases. Information should be shared			
	with key staff and a programme of			

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
activities should be planned to assist			
transition			
Communication and Interaction (stoke.gov.uk)			



Provision

 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support delivered through a comprising of small group and close adult support delivered through a comprising of small group and close adult support delivered through a comprising of small group and close adult support delivered through a comprising of small group and close adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding: Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding: Bradford Schools Online Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding: Bradford Schools Online Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. A high level of additional adult support for delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding: Bradford Schools Online Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. A high level of additional adult support for delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support. A boless than 19 / 22 / 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School) to support students with combination of one-to-one, small gr	Ī	Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation during structured and unstructured times.		Range 2 Mild - Moderate Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for	Range 3 Moderate Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up?) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion	Range 4 Enhanced/Severe No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes — functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and	 Range 5 Severe and complex 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School) to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:12) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 /15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Special: Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:13) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A specialist teacher of SEND and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation during structured and

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer 	LA: Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Traded offer: • SEND Support Service • SpLD specialist practitioners • EP service • Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Traded offer: SEND Support Service MLD Specialist practitioners EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Traded offer: SEND Support Service MLD Specialist practitioners EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer
Offer from health: • Public health offer 0-19 service • SEMH offer see SEMH • community paediatrician for children with associated sleep disorder	Offer from health: Review by community paediatrics if not previously undertaken (there might be some late presentations) Where indicated a clinical decision-making diagnostic pathway that follows NICE guidance – this is not required to access ongoing support in education Public health offer 0-19 service SEMH offer see SEMH community paediatrician for children with associated sleep disorder	Offer from health: Access to specialist agencies such as Speech and Language for advice and training – see SLCN also In cases of escalation of SEMH needs support via the DSR Public health offer 0-19 service or Targeted Intervention service SEMH offer see SEMH community paediatrician for children with associated sleep disorder	Offer from health: Targeted Intervention Service Access to specialist agencies such as Speech and Language based upon clinical need and presentation – see SLCN also much more around appropriate environment and curriculum than individual therapy \ programmes In cases of escalation of SEMH needs support via the DSR community paediatrician for children with associated sleep disorder

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex



Social, Emotion and Mental Health (SEMH)

Pupil Characteristics

	SEND Support		OFWE O						
	the state of the s	SEND Support	SEND Support	Initial Support					
	Range 5	Range 4	Range 3	Range 2					
	Severe and complex	Enhanced/Severe	Moderate	Mild - Moderate					
	Difficulty managing emotionalresponses le	Child / young person presents with	A child / young person will have	A child / young person may have mild					
	to extremeand demanding and/or dangero	severe and persistent levels of	moderate presentationof social,	presentation of social, emotional and					
and others.	behaviour which affects safety of self and	social, emotional, mental health	emotional and mental health difficulties	mental health difficulties which could					
ļ		difficulties at alltimes, which are	which is not responding to previous	include issues with:					
	SEMH needs profoundly affect access to	complex and long term and have	support strategies.						
d intensity.	learning dueto frequency, duration and inte	not responded sufficiently to		• social skills					
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,				 resilience and selfesteem 					
			resilience and self esteem						
51,			Detailed and town to date a mation when						
ļ	therapeutic provisions			, ,					
ļ				relationships or mental health.					
sulties often	Increasingly persistent SEMH difficulties								
		SEMH needs are severe in terms		1					
Modifi			developed and regularly reviewed	or similar.					
		-	• SEMH interfere more frequently with	OFMIL (1) (1) (1)					
		interiory.							
		On-going assessment which is							
ifficulty.	by an undefined level of learning difficu								
es.	Patterns of regular school absences.	parents/carers and a range of	without adult support						
ant under	Disengaging from learning, significant in the property of	specialist professionals, suchas	Pupil may have experienced fixed-term	,					
			suspension and more sustained						
•	Verbally and physically aggressive	and therapeutic interventions	difficulties in social	continued difficulties in social					
		Pupil is more likely to have	interactions/relationsnips	•					
		experienced fixed-term							
n at school		suspension from school		1					
ļ	and within the community.	Pupil does not have the social							
notionally	Difficulties expressing empathy, emotion	and emotional skills needed to		1					
	detached could have tendency to hurt	cope in a mainstream		1					
	self or animals.	environment without adult							
ager fspe OT, cultie and i strea ay ind npou ifficu es. ant i on ta	 On-going assessment, which is multi-ager involves parents/carers and a range of spep professionals, suchas CAMHS, EP, YOT, therapeutic provisions Increasingly persistent SEMH difficulties compounded by additional needs and a require provision outside the mainstreasenvironment. Mental Health difficulties which may invastrachment issues and anxiety compound by an undefined level of learning difficulties. Patterns of regular school absences. Disengaging from learning, significant aperformance. Verbally and physically aggressive. Reliant on adult support to remain on the Engaging in high risk activities both at and within the community. Difficulties expressing empathy, emotion detached could have tendency to hurties. 	strategies, provision and adjustments at the SEND Support level of the graduated response. This is especially true in new and unfamiliar contexts but will also affect access at times of high stress in some known and familiar contexts and with familiar support/people available. SEMH needs are severe in terms of frequency, duration and intensity. On-going assessment, which is multi-agency and involves parents/carers and a range of specialist professionals, suchas CAMHS, EPS, YOT, Early-Help and therapeutic interventions Pupil is more likely to have experienced fixed-term suspension from school Pupil does not have the social and emotional skills needed to cope in a mainstream	Pupil may have experienced fixed-term suspension and more sustained	 emotional awareness/regulation resilience and selfesteem which is beginning to have animpact on some aspects of school / School / setting life inareas such as academic progress, relationships or mental health. Identified through assessment such as observation, Boxall Profiles, STAR analysis or similar. SEMH continues to interfere with pupil's social/learning development across a range of settings and pupil does not follow routines in school consistently Pupil is beginning to be at risk of permanent exclusion and may have continued difficulties in social interactions/relationships with both adults and peers, including difficulties managing a range of emotions Pupil may have become socially and emotionally vulnerable, withdrawn, isolated, and unpredictable patterns of behaviour that impact on learning may be beginning to emerge 					

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Pupil may show patterns of stress/anxiety related to specific times of the day Pupil may have a preference for own agenda and be reluctant to follow instructions Pupil may have begun to experience short term behavioural crises		support for a significant proportion of the school day • Significant and increasing difficulties with social interaction, social communication and social understanding which regularly impact on classroom performance • Pupil is increasingly isolated and struggles to maintain positive relationships with adults or peers • Pupils with significant school attendance difficulties due to Emotion-Based School Avoidance (EBSA) • Careful social and emotional differentiation of the curriculum is essential to ensure access to the curriculum and progress with learning	 Issues around identity and belonging. Needing to be in control, bullying behaviours (victim & perpetrator). Difficulties sustaining relationships. Over-friendly or withdrawn with strangers, at risk of exploitation. Provocative in appearance and behaviour, evidence of sexualised language or behaviours. Slow to develop age appropriate self-care skills due to levels of maturity or degree of learning difficulties. Physical, sensory and medical needs such as that require medication and regular review. Subject to neglect, basic needs unmet or preoccupied with acute anxiety, fear, isolation, bullying, hunger, illness, lack of sleep, controlling behaviours. attachment and trauma difficulties that impede on general functioning, physiology, relationships – in addition to the above: Historical and/or on-going trauma; witness to domestic violence, substance misuse within the family, family mental health issues. Vulnerability due to severity of SEMH needsat risk of sexual exploitation, identified as 'on the edge of gang involvement, criminally, social isolation, inappropriate friendship group. Language development: difficulties associated with social use of language and the impact on ability to manage and maintain relationships. difficulties which is impacting detrimentally on

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
			the functional capability of the pupil with possible life limiting implications necessitating a continued multi-agency response coordinated as annual, interim or emergency SEN review and met in specialist provision.
			Needs likely to include;
			Self-harming.
			Attempted suicide.
			Persistent substance abuse.
			Extreme sexualised language and behaviour.
			Sexually exploited.
			Extreme violent/ aggressive behaviour.
			Serious mental health issues.
			Long term non-attendance and disaffection.
			 Regular appearance in court for anti-social behaviour.
			Puts self and others in danger.
			Frequently missing for long periods of time.
			Extreme vulnerability due to MLD/ SLD.
			 Medical conditions that are potentially life threatening and cannot be managed without dedicated support.
			 Rarest students with special emotional and mental health needs; who will also have multiple additional needs and require a highly structured environment with qualified skilled staff in a specialist provision.

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. Nurturing/calm attuned adults Emotional safe environments Understand behaviour as communication Able to develop positive relationships Knowledge and skills in relational and restorative approaches 	 Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals who specialise in mental health 	In addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	In addition: • Specialist knowledge and skills in supporting CYP with mental health difficulties

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate Differentiation as part of high-quality teaching needed in most subject areas. A monitoring system should be in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP orOne Page Profile. The teacher takes responsibility for devising, delivering and evaluating a personalised programme that accelerates learning. High quality teaching should include: • An appropriate whole school / setting ethos which includes a focus on the promotionof good mental health and well being • A positive behaviour policy which is socially and emotionally differentiated to meet the needs of all pupils and reviewed with staff at least annually • A classroom and playground environment which focuses on supporting positive relationships and the development of social skills • The provision of planned opportunities for pupils to learn social and emotional skillsand	Range 3 Moderate In addition: School / setting offer should be significantly modified and differentiated with an emphasis on developing social skills and emotional regulation. This will include a predictable environment and routine within a structured curriculum with positive reinforcement. Teaching approaches place a high emphasis on direct training, very finely graded and practical tasks which provide opportunities for frequent repetition and reinforcement. Specific to the CYP Intervention – time bound and quantifiable and evidenced-based evidence and practiced-based evidence: My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress. Planned reviews including the parent/carer, child / young person and where possible other involved professionals should take place. Additional identified adults support the child / young person individually, under	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe In addition: Teaching approaches place a high emphasis on direct training, very finely graded and practical tasks which provide opportunities for frequent repetition and reinforcement. Consideration given to an environment that ensures the safety of the individual and others. Appropriately trained support for physical intervention/restraint. A monitoring system should be in place to identify short term targets from the EHCP, implement recommended provision and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP. Termly planned sharing of information including the parent and child / young person shouldtake place as well as a statutory annual review. Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child / young person as described in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes.	Range 5 Severe and complex In addition: Access to a specialist or Resourced Mainstream Social Emotional and Mental Health provision, providing provision described above, plus: • An environment with a high teacher/pupil ratio. • Highly individualised curriculum approach and planned opportunities to access specific individual programmes of support. • Where appropriate, alternative assessment / qualifications (ASDAN etc.). • Access to multiagency support and strategies. • An environment that ensures the safety of the individual and others. • Appropriately trained support for physical intervention/restraint. • Where identified in EHCP, access to therapeutic intervention, support and strategies.
social and emotional skillsand build resilience Consistent systems in place to ensure effective behaviour management strategies including effective consequences both positive and negative (rewards and sanctions)	 the direction of the teacher to: Access the curriculum in an inclusive mainstream School / setting. Teach social and emotional skills daily to address behavioural targets on individualised plan (e.g. My Support 	Additional adults support the child / young person individually or within a small group, underthe direction of the teacher to; Deliver programmes of intervention based on evidence-	whole school training in relational and restorative practices Curriculum Adapted or alternative curriculum – (Students engaged in subject-specific learning).

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Sharing of advice on successful

SEND Support SEND Support Initial Support SEND Support Range 2 Range 4 Range 5 Range 3 Mild - Moderate Moderate Enhanced/Severe Severe and complex based approaches where Effective links between pastoral Plan). Use key-working approaches to appropriate. Resources support, personal and social Where recommended by health, education. SEN and the curriculum ensure the child / young person has Use of modified and adapted Differentiation of teaching a trusted adult to offer planned programmes of therapeutic teaching resources, materials support/withdrawal during and learning both intervention and facilities to support teaching academically and socially vulnerable times. Intensive use of key-working and learning andemotionally Plan and deliver time-limited and approaches to ensure the child / Use of specifically adapted The planned teaching of personal evaluated intervention programmes young person has a trusted adult teaching resources, materials with familiar staff who have social and emotional skills (e.g. a to offer support/withdrawal during and facilities to support teaching curriculum such as SEAL or knowledge, skills and experience to vulnerable times. address young person's specific and learning targeted PHSE provisions) Provide a personalised reward system Planned teaching of social needs. known to all staff in school / setting who Bespoke and personalised Have planned, frequent time in communication skills have contact with the young person, resources to support the learning smaller groups and individually in implemented consistently across the Personalised motivational reward and mental and physical order to develop social skills and curriculum. systems covering targeted lessons / therapeutic specific needs of the emotional regulation. activities child oryoung person. Provide opportunities for the child / **Additional Needs:** Use of different teaching styles young person to develop self-Sensory Clear routines for transitions, for **Environment:** monitoring skills at the end of each Additional strategies and interventions may example planning for them with be required. Please see appropriate section A highly bespoke environment with session warnings Enable regular access to appropriate of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at access specialist therapeutic Careful consideration to enable support to aid the development of either mild / moderate / severe or profound facilities and resources(based on adjustments to classroom relationships (Buddies, Mentors, level. clinical assessment) to support organisation, seating andgroup ELSAs) students with severe and complex dynamics Possible outreach from specialist Communication and Interaction (CI) needs. Nurturing classroom approaches Additional strategies and interventions may settings Opportunities to develop positive staff be required. Please see appropriate section /child relationships Additional Needs: of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) Sensorv Offering a child/young person **Additional Needs:** provision, at either mild / moderate / severe Additional strategies and interventions may opportunity to take on Sensory or profound level. be required. Please see appropriate section responsibilities e.g. class Additional strategies and interventions may of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at monitors, prefects, school be required. Please see appropriate section Cognition and Learning (CL) either mild / moderate / severe or profound council reps of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at Additional strategies and interventions may Coordinated approach to the young be required. Please see appropriate section either mild / moderate / severe or profound person's support to promote sharing of level. of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either Communication and Interaction (CI) Information about a young person's mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Additional strategies and interventions may needs/difficulties is shared with relevant Communication and Interaction (CI) be required. Please see appropriate section staff Additional strategies and interventions may For further information and strategies of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC)

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see graduated approach information

be required. Please see appropriate section

SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC)	here: Social, Emotional and Mental	provision, at either mild / moderate / severe
provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	Health (stoke.gov.uk)	or profound level.
·		Cognition and Learning (CL)
Cognition and Learning (CL)		Additional strategies and interventions may
		be required. Please see appropriate section
		of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either
		mild / moderate / severe or profound level.
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		For further information and strategies see
		graduated approach information here:
		Social, Emotional and Mental Health
		(stoke.gov.uk)
	Range 3 Moderate of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	Range 3 Moderate of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Social, Emotional and Mental

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support		SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4		Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe		Severe and complex
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4		Range 5 Severe and complex 25 hours 1:1 support A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base/Special School/AP) to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:12) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 /15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Special: Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:13) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A specialist teacher of SEND and appropriately experienced,
			•	specifically trained support staff A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation and during unstructured times

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
LA:Core offer:Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	LA:Core offer:Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers 	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers
 Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer 	Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	Traded offer: SEND Support Service SLCN Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	 Traded offer: SEND Support Service Cognition and Learning Specialist teacher EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer
Offer from health: Based upon Ithrive model • Mental health in schools' practitioners (where in post) • Triage and signposting to Camhs partners • Combined Wellbeing portal and resources • Post 16 IAPT	Mental health in schools' practitioners (where in post Combined Wellbeing portal and resources Triage and signposting to Camhs partners Post 16 IAPT	Mental health in schools' practitioners (where in post Combined Wellbeing portal and resources Triage and signposting to Camhs services where clinically appropriate Post 16 IAPT	Offer from health: Mental health in schools' practitioners (where in post Combined Wellbeing portal and resources, Triage and signposting to Camhs services where clinically appropriate Escalations may be managed via IST's or other specialist teams post 18

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Physical and Sensory – Physical and Medical Needs

Pupil Characteristics

	Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3		SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
	Mild - Moderate	Moderate		Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
•	Motor coordination difficulties are below that of the child's general development Continuing mild to moderate problems with hand/eye co-ordination, fine/gross motor skills and recording, impacting	 Moderate or persistent gross and/or fine motor difficulties Recording and/or mobility now impacting more on access to the curriculum 	•	Significant physical/medical difficulties with or without associated learning difficulties Physical and/or medical condition will have a significant impact on the ability	A permanent, severe and/ or complex physical difficulty or serious medical condition. Pupil may present the following:
•	on access to curriculum Making slow or little progress despite provision of targeted teaching approaches	 May need specialist input to comply with health and safety legislation; e.g. to access learning in the classroom, for personal care needs, at break and 	•	to access the curriculum. This may be through a combination of physical, communication and learning difficulties Significant and persistent difficulties in	A level of mobility or self-care that restricts/ prevents an alternative mainstream placement.
•	Continuing difficulties with continence/ toileting Continuing problems with self-esteem	 Iunch times Increased dependence on seating to promote appropriate posture for fine motor activities/feeding 		mobility around the building and in the classroom difficulties or a medical condition that	An inability to make progress within the curriculum without the use of specialist materials,
	and peer relationships	 Increased dependence on mobility aids 		requires access to assistive tech to	aids, equipment and high level.
•	Continuing problems with self-help and independence	i.e. wheelchair or walking aid Increased use of alternative methods		support communication, understanding and learning.	Furniture and/ or extensive adaptations to the physical environment of the school.
•	Continuing problems with gross motor skills and coordination often seen in PE Some implications for risk assessment e.g. educational visits, high level P.E. or playground equipment	 for extended recording e.g. scribe, ICT The school/setting may require moving and handling training. May have medical condition that 		Significant personal care needs which require adult support and access to a hygiene suite with specialist equipment May have developmental delay and/or	Difficulties in making and sustaining peer relationships leading to concerns about social isolation, the risk of bulling and frustration.
•	May have medical condition that impacts on time in school and requires a medical care plan	impacts on time in school and requires a medical/care/ specialist support plan to help the child access the curriculum. OT/Physio/Nurse	•	learning difficulties which impact upon access to curriculum Physical conditions that require	Emotional and/or some behavioural difficulties including periods of withdrawal,
•	May have a condition that requires	The NHS notes:		medical/therapy/ respite intervention and support.	disaffection and reluctance to attend school.
Th	assessment for equipment and resources. e NHS notes:	 It would be anticipated that schools would make a referral to OT if first line strategies, advice and programmes 	•	The need for an environment to support self-esteem and positive self-image.	A requirement that health care inputs and therapies may be intensive and on a regular basis.
	An Occupational Therapist may see children at any range once there is evidence that first line strategies/interventions have been implemented.	 have been trialled and evidenced but achievement is limited These children may form the basis of targeted assessment – assessment and advice to home and school with programme/strategies to follow 	•	A developing neuro-muscular Degenerative condition or traumatic incident resulting in brain or physical injury.	Given appropriate facilities is nevertheless unable to independently manage personal and/or health care during the school day and requires regular direct intervention. The associated severe and complex

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
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			Is an AAC user. Has a degenerative condition.

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. Comfortable working with assistive technology Support the development of fine and/ or gross motor skills or spatial awarenessthrough a structured programme / implementation of activity programmes / recommendations/ care plans recommended by external agencies. Support the development of selfcare / self-regulation and hygiene programmes 	 In addition: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. OTs and physiotherapists 	In addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	In addition: Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use assistive devices Confident to use technology To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP Appropriately trained support for moving and handling will need to be considered.

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
Needs-specific practice which is additional to and different from that which is normallyavailable: Differentiation as part of high-quality teaching needed in most subject areas. A monitoring system should be in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implementsupport and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP or One Page Profile. The teacher takes responsibility for devising, delivering and evaluating a personalised programmethat accelerates learning. High quality teaching should include: Increased differentiation of activities and materials by design (i.e. adapted pencils, scissors etc.) Alternative forms of recording routinely used Awareness that the child / young person may need more time to complete tasks andthat equality of access may mean that they need to do some things differently. Small steps approaches / backwards chaining approach Resources and displays that support independence. Environmental considerations are made to meet the needs of all pupils e.g. seatingposition, personal space and classroom layouts, displays and signage Advice to address safety	In addition: Reasonable adjustments as described in The Equality Act 2020 must be adhered to (as per an employee). Disability rights: Overview - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk) Needs-specific practice as described above, plus: Significant modification / differentiation of some aspects of the curriculum. Teaching approaches place a high emphasis on directtraining, very finely graded and practical tasks which provide opportunities for frequent repetition and reinforcement Close supervision to address safety and access in PE may need alternative PE, safety issuesduring free-flow indoor/outdoor periods and unstructured periods of the day e.g. break times. Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress. Planned reviews includingthe parent/carer, child / young person and where possible other involved professionals should take place. Additional adults support the child / young person individually, under the direction of theteacher to:	In addition: Significant modification / differentiation of the majority of the curriculum. Teaching approaches place a high emphasis on direct training, very finely graded and practical taskswhich provide opportunities for frequent repetition and reinforcement for needs that are purely PD this would only be relevant when teaching independence skills, not for learning May need constant adult support to access the curriculum and may need to use an established communication system in a wide variety of familiar and unfamiliar situations usingappropriate access methods. Staff may need training in the use of communication aids. Hygiene room access, hoisting, manual handling training, accessible building A monitoring system should be in place to identify short term targets from the EHCP, implement recommended provision and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP. Termly planned sharing of information including the parent and child / young person shouldtake place as well as a statutory annual review. Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable:	In addition: through a highly individualised curriculum approach and planned opportunities to access specific individual programmes of support. Significant modification / differentiation of the majority of the curriculum. Will need to use an established communication system in a wide variety of familiar and unfamiliar situations usingappropriate access methods. Staff will require advice and training re appropriate equipment and specific programmes of work and to adapted IT provision. Close supervision to address safety and access in PE, safety issues during free-flow indoor/outdoor periods and unstructured periods of the day e.g. break times. Support to address self-care / self-regulation needs and use modified equipment. Likely to require a portable writing aid Staff will need training in the use of communication aids. Some 2:1 support needed due to manual handling needs. Significant modification / differentiation of the majority of the curriculum. May need to use an established communication system in a wide variety of familiar and unfamiliar situations usingappropriate access methods. Adult assistance and close supervision

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Range 2 Mild - Moderate and access in PE, safety issues during free-flow indoor/outdoor periods and unstructured periods of the day e.g. breaks On-going opportunities for individual support focused on specific targets with reinforcement in whole class activities to aid transfer of skills Flexibility of groupings allows for buddy support Advice from external agencies is implemented in the classroom There may be need for very structured and multi-sensory approaches to	Moderate Additional adults may support the young person individually or in small groups, under thedirection of the teacher to: • work on modified curriculum tasks; • access regular individual support • encourage independence whilst maintaining health and safety minimising risk • create frequent opportunities for peer to peer interaction • monitor the progress of the young person using structured methods • access programmes of support		Severe and complex during unstructured times including break and lunchtimes due to physical difficulties for health and safety reasons and to provide support for social interactions. Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC)
 and multi-sensory approaches to learning. The teacher takes take responsibility for supporting others to devise, deliver and evaluate a personalised programme that accelerates learning. Pupils are taught strategies and provided with resources to assist with the development of 	 as advised by the paediatric therapy teams assist with personal/intimate care, access environment/ or individual equipment, provide catch up sessions minimising the impact of missed learning due to absence relating to condition Close supervision to address safety and access in PE 	structured methods Provide opportunities for YP to develop independent living skills through access to targeted interventions To provide opportunities for the YP to engage in community activity Access programmes of support and equipment as	provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may
independent learning. • Alternative ways of recording include electronic devices e.g. laptop, tablet Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	 Support managing pacing and fatigue Support to address self-care / self-regulation needs and use modified equipment. Appropriately trained support for moving and handling may be required including transfer and hoisting May require bespoke equipment-mobility and seating / accessible 	advised by paediatric therapyservices assist with personal/intimate care provide catch up sessions minimising the impact of missed learning due to absencerelating to condition access independence and self-care / self-regulation skills sessions (up to 3 times per week) alternative methods of recording	be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	building Facilitate use of alternative methods of recording and use of IT to support access to the curriculum Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	and use of IT to support access to the curriculum If hoisting is needed this requires 2:1 support. Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	Severe and complex

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding 	 Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up?) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion Funding. 	 No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes – functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. 	 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School) to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:10) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 / 15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Special: Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:10) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A specialist teacher of SEND and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of selfcare, self-regulation and during unstructured times

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Physical / Medical Team Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures 	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Physical / Medical Team Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer Special schools outreach support (brochure on special schools' own website)	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Physical / Medical Team statutory offer Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer Special schools outreach support (brochure on special schools' own website)	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers Physical / Medical Team statutory offer Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer add examples of associated training or links to brochures
Offer from health: Resources to assist with first line interventions and training via MPFT website Offer from health: Resources to assist with first line interventions and training via MPFT website	Assessments once first line interventions have been undertaken – where there is a functional need identified Occupational therapy and physiotherapy Wheelchair service where required	Offer from health: Advice and support towards care planning and risk assessments Targeted Intervention service and or Community nursing team Community paediatricians \ condition related paediatricians and adult speciality doctors Additional specialism as clinically required e.g dieticians, podiatry	Offer from health: Advice and support towards care planning an risk assessments Targeted Intervention service and or community nursing team Community paediatricians \ condition related paediatricians and adult speciality doctors Palliative care specialists including Dougie Mac Additional specialisms as clinically required e.g. dieticians, podiatry

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex



Physical and Sensory – Hearing Impairment (HI)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 Bilateral mild long term conductive or sensorineural hearing loss May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder Mild to moderate permanent unilateral (moderate or greater hearing loss) Hearing aids used Moderate difficulty with listening, attention, concentration, speech, language and class participation mild with unaided threshold 21-40 dBHL or unilateral with at least a moderate loss in affectedear It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the National Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria range of 6-20 	 Bilateral moderate long term conductive or sensorineural hearing loss Will have hearing aids and may have a radio aid Will have moderate difficulty accessing spoken language; likely language delay May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder and may require frequent monitoring Moderate difficulty with listening, attention, concentration and class participation Bilateral moderate (unaidedthreshold 41-70 dBHL) or severe (71-95dBHL) permanent hearing loss It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the NatSIP Eligibility Criteria range of 21-30 	 Bilateral moderate or severe permanent hearing loss May have additional language/learning difficulties associated with hearing loss Significant difficulty accessing spoken language and therefore the curriculum May have additional language delay associated with hearing loss Will have hearing aids and may have a radio aid Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder and may have hearing aids Difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation Speech clarity may be affected Significant difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation Bilateral severe (unaidedthreshold 71-95 dBHL) orprofound (>95dBHL) It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the NatSIP Eligibility Criteria range of 31-50 	 Bilateral severe/profound permanent hearing loss Additional language/learning difficulties associated with hearing loss British Sign Language (BSL) or Sign Supported English (SSE) may be needed for effective communication Will have hearing aids/cochlear implants and may have a radio aid Needs additional support to secure language development Language delay may impact on curriculum access Speech clarity may be affected May have significant difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder Language delay and/ or communication difficulties may impact on social and emotional wellbeing Hearing loss will impact on significantly on social communication and interaction which means that the pupil needs support at more unstructured times of the day
			(The NatSIP Eligibity Tool is not)

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	appropriate to use with pupils with complex or severe additional needs who are placed in a Special School or setting.) (These pupils will access support in a Special School or Setting as a result of their severe or complex needs- please see the appropriate descriptors to identify the appropriate level of support. Below is a possible descriptor of their HI needs, but this will not be their primary need) Hearing loss is classified asprofound with unaided threshold in excess of 95 dBHL. Bilateral severe (unaidedthreshold 71-95 dBHL) orprofound (>95dBHL) Bilateral severe/profound permanent hearing loss or Moderate hearing loss with additional complicating factor e.g. late diagnosis Additional language/learningdifficulties associated with hearing loss BSL/SSE is highly likely to beneeded for effective communication

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. Comfortable working with assistive technology implementation of activities/ programmes / recommendations/ care plans as suggested by external agencies. Support the development of self-care / self-regulation and hygiene programmes 	 In addition: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. audiologists, OTs and physiotherapists 	In addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	In addition: Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use visual supports; Makaton; PECS; assistive devices; etc to support language development Ability to create a total communication environment To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Needs-specific practice which is	In addition:	In addition:	In addition:
additional to and different from that	Reasonable adjustments as described in		
which is normally available:	The Equality Act 2020 must be adhered to	Hearing friendly strategies should be	Planned approach to communication
•	(as per an employee). Disability rights:	evident in the school / setting.	strategies designed in consultation with
Differentiation as part of high-quality	Overview - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)	Accessibility planning should involve	the parent/carer, young person, TOD,
teaching needed in most subject areas.		consideration of acoustic and sound	class teacher and where possible other
A monitoring system should be in place	 Hearing friendly strategies 	properties in school / setting. Some	involved professionals should take place.
to assess the young person's needs,	should be evident in the	adultsupport for learning health and	
identify outcomes, implementsupport	school. Accessibility planning	safety and risk management.	Daily 1:1 work to
and monitor and evaluate progress, for	shouldinvolve consideration of		 Access a highly individualised
example an IEP or One Page Profile.	acoustic and sound properties	Access to speech dependent on hearing	timetable for 50% of the
The teacher takes responsibility for	in school / setting.	aids or cochlear implant and radio aid in	curriculum designed in
devising, delivering and evaluating a	To a chica a consthe a de	school / setting. Highly likely to develop	consultation with the QTOD.
personalised programmethat	Teaching methods	spoken language as preference and for	Specialist communication support for all other times.
accelerates learning.	which facilitate	curriculum delivery	1
	access to the		access to a Highly Specialist Speech and Language Therapist, skilled in
Hearing friendly strategies should	curriculum,	Considerable differentiation and /	meetingthe needs of deaf and
be evident in the school / setting.	social/emotional	or modification needed in all	hearing impaired children.
Accessibility planningshould involve consideration of acoustic and sound	development and	areas of the curriculum.	vocabulary work carried out daily
properties in school / setting.	class participation	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and	Direct teaching of communication
Some adult support for learning health		quantifiable:	strategies
and safety and risk management.			
and safety and fish management.	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and	Under the direction of the teacher and	 Assessment of language development
High quality teaching should include:	quantifiable:	Teacher of the Deaf, additional adults	by QTOD/SALT in conjunction with
 Management of the acoustic and 		support the child	school.
visual environment in class so	My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place	/ young person as described in	Access to a Deaf/signing peer group
that backgroundnoise is kept to a	to assess the young person's needs,	section F of the EHCP, to address	Access to an Educational
minimum and there are not too	identify outcomes, implement support	the identified outcomesand:	Audiologist and appropriate
many visual distractions	and monitor and evaluate progress.		equipment to facilitate access to
Plan for short listening periods	Planned reviews including the	 work on significantly modified 	learning through residual hearing
interspersed with individual/small group	parent/carer, child / young person and	curriculum tasks	Delivery of specialist
activities	where possible other involved	 reinforce lesson content 	curricula for Deaf pupils
 Position pupil appropriately for different 	professionals shouldtake place.	support language	such as Personal
activities – in consultation with the pupil		development and	Understanding of Deafness
Ensure that your face is in clear	Modified curriculum tasks to allow	differentiate language used	(PUD) / Emotions
view so that the pupil can lip-read	access as advised by a Teacher of	in the classroom to an	curriculum designed by
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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 make use of facial expression/body language to support what you say and as much as possiblestand still when speaking Get the pupil's attention – make eye contact – before speaking Outline the content of the lesson at the beginning using visual cues/key words Present lesson content in as visual a way as possible: use pictures, key words on theboard, demonstration Ensure that the deaf pupil has access to what the other pupils say e.g. repeat/rephrase the answers pupils give or ask them to speak at the front Check that a task has been understood before the child begins e.g. 'tell me/show mewhat you have to do' Recap main points at the end and provide an opportunity for the child to show thatthey have understood Get feedback from the pupil regularly to monitor their access to lessons Opportunities for 1:1 and small group work Teaching methods which facilitate access to the curriculum, social/emotional development and class participation Advice from Sensory Team (HI) is implemented in the classroom Regular checking of auditory 	Additional adult support 1:1 and small group work for: • Modified curriculum tasks to allow access as advised by a Teacher of the Deaf • Regular opportunities for 1:1 and small group work for specific identified parts of curriculum: • explanation, clarification and reinforcement of lesson content and language • specific interventions for speaking, listening and teaching of phonics • teaching strategies to assist the development of independent learning, • work on targets as advised by a Teacher of the Deaf • to develop social skills • Modification to the presentation of assessments • Create frequent opportunities for structured peer to peer interaction • Adult support to facilitate the development of independence and class participation • Monitor the progress of the young person using structured methods • Regular checking of auditory equipment: will have hearing aids and likely to have aradio aid • Pupils are taught strategies and provided with resources to assist with thedevelopment of independent learning	provide daily individual support encourage independence create opportunities for peer to peer interaction monitor the progress of the young person using highly structured methods Work on programs advised by a Teacher of the Deaf and/or Speech and LanguageTherapist Pre-teach new language explain, clarify and reinforce lesson content deliver modified curriculum tasks Pre-teach new language explain, clarify and reinforce lesson content deliver modified curriculum tasks support language development create opportunities for peer to peer interaction encourage independence Implement advice from the Sensory Team in the classroom Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section	 QTOD as required Communication strategies appropriate to Deaf children planned in conjunction with schoolstaff, parents and QTOD and based on regular assessments Resource Provision: Daily advice and input from a Qualified Teacher of the Deaf (QTOD) on a range of issues pertinent to deaf children Small group (no more than 1:6) teaching by QTOD, usually for English and maths (10 hrsper week). Small group (no more than 1:6) teaching by a QTOD for other subjects as required ifunable to access mainstream teaching. Weekly teaching of British Sign Language by a Deaf Instructor. Delivery of specialist curricula for Deaf pupils such as Personal Understanding ofDeafness (PUD) / Emotions curriculum. Access to an Educational Audiologist and appropriate equipment to facilitate access to learning through residual hearing. In class communication and learning support from specialist support staff trained in BritishSign Language functioning equivalent to BSL Level 3 / or working towards level 3 (depending upon group / setting)

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
equipment: may have hearing aids and possibly a radioaid For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	 Daily checking of hearing aids and other technology Advice from Teacher of the Deaf is implemented in the classroom Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk) 	of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	 Access to mainstream classes facilitated by daily advice and input / delivery from QTOD Access to a Highly Specialist Speech and Language Therapist, skilled in meeting the needs of deaf and hearing impaired children. Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)

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Provision

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding At least one annual visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) 	 Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up?) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. At least a half-termly visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion 	 No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes – functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. At least a half-termly visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) 	 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment eg. Resource Base to support students with complex hearing needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:12) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 /15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. A bespoke specialist environment eg. Special School, specialist provision to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:10) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A qualified teacher of the deaf and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff At least fortnightly visits from a specialist HI teacher (according to NatSip criteria) A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of self-care, self-regulation and during

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles HI Support Service Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles • HI Support Service Traded offer: • SEND Support Service • EP service • Inclusion Services training and support offer	LA: Core offer: • Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles • Early Years Specialist Teachers • HI Support Service Traded offer: • SEND Support Service • EP service • Inclusion Services training and support offer.	unstructured times LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers HI statutory offer according to NatSip criteria. Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer.
Offer from health: • Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team,	Offer from health: • Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team,	Offer from health: • Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team,	Offer from health: • Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team,

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2 Mild - Moderate	Range 3 Moderate	Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	Range 5 Severe and complex
 Bilateral mild long term conductive or sensorineural hearing loss May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder Mild to moderate permanent unilateral (moderate or greater hearing loss) Hearing aids used Moderate difficulty with listening, attention, concentration, speech, language and class participation mild with unaided threshold 21-40 dBHL or unilateral with at least a moderate loss in affectedear It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the National Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria range of 6-20 	 Bilateral moderate long term conductive or sensorineural hearing loss Will have hearing aids and may have a radio aid Will have moderate difficulty accessing spoken language; likely language delay May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder and may require frequent monitoring Moderate difficulty with listening, attention, concentration and class participation Bilateral moderate (unaidedthreshold 41-70 dBHL) or severe (71-95dBHL) permanent hearing loss It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the NatSIP Eligibility Criteria range of 21-30 	 Bilateral moderate or severe permanent hearing loss May have additional language/learning difficulties associated with hearing loss Significant difficulty accessing spoken language and therefore the curriculum May have additional language delay associated with hearing loss Will have hearing aids and may have a radio aid Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder and may have hearing aids Difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation Speech clarity may be affected Significant difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation Bilateral severe (unaidedthreshold 71-95 dBHL) orprofound (>95dBHL) It is expected that a child withthis level of hearing loss will score in the NatSIP Eligibility Criteria range of 31-50 	 Bilateral severe/profound permanent hearing loss Additional language/learning difficulties associated with hearing loss British Sign Language (BSL) or Sign Supported English (SSE) may be needed for effective communication Will have hearing aids/cochlear implants and may have a radio aid Needs additional support to secure language development Language delay may impact on curriculum access Speech clarity may be affected May have significant difficulties with attention, concentration, confidence and class participation May have Auditory Neuropathy Spectrum Disorder Language delay and/ or communication difficulties may impact on social and emotional well-being Hearing loss will impact on significantly on social communication and interaction which means that the pupil needs support at more unstructured times of the day (The NatSIP Eligibity Tool is not appropriate to use with pupils with complex or severe additional needs who are placed in a Special School or setting.) (These pupils will access

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
			support in a Special School or Setting as a result of their severe or complex needs- please see the appropriate descriptors to identify the appropriate level of support. Below is a possible descriptor of their HI needs, but this will not be their primary need)
			Hearing loss is classified asprofound with unaided threshold in excess of 95 dBHL.
			Bilateral severe (unaidedthreshold 71- 95 dBHL) orprofound (>95dBHL)
			Bilateral severe/profound permanent hearing loss or Moderate hearing loss with additional complicating factor e.g. late diagnosis Additional language/learningdifficulties associated with hearing loss
			BSL/SSE is highly likely to beneeded for effective communication

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Physical and Sensory – Visual Impairment (VI)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
 Pupils find concentration difficult Pupils peer or screw up eyes Pupils move closer when looking at books or notice boards Pupils make frequent "copying" mistakes Distance vision: approximately 6/24. This means that the pupil needs to be about 1.5 metres away to see what fully sighted pupils can see from 6 metres Will not be able to see details on a white board from the front of classroom as well as others can see from the back Near vision: likely to have difficulty with print sizes smaller than 14 point or equivalent sized details in pictures Visual loss is classified as mild with acuities in the range 6/12 to 6/18 Snellen /Kay or LogMAR 0.3 – 0.48 Access to standard print sizes, age appropriate; somechildren may require larger print for sustained periods of reading It is expected that a child withthis level of visual impairmentwill score in the National Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) 	 Pupil will find concentration difficult Pupil will peer or screw up eyes Pupil will move closer when looking at books or notice boards Pupil will make frequent "copying" mistakes Pupil will have poor hand - eye coordination Pupil will have a slow work rate Distance vision: approximately 6/36. This means that the pupil needs to be about 1 metre away to see what fully sighted pupils can see from 6 metres Will not be able to see details on a white board without approaching to within 1 metre of it Near vision: likely to have difficulty with print sizes smaller than 18 point or equivalent sized details in pictures Pupils may have Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) - these pupils have normal or near normal visual acuities but will display moderate to significant visual processing difficulties Vision loss is classified as moderate with acuities in therange 6/18 to 6/36 Snellen / Kay or LogMAR 0.5 - 0.78 Near vision will typically beassessed to 	 Severe Visual Impairment Pupils likely to be registered severely sighted/Visually Impaired or blind but still learning by sighted means Distance vision: 6/36 or 6/60 or worse. This means that the pupil can see at 6m what a fully sighted person could see from 60m. It represents a difficulty identifying any distance information, people or objects. Pupils would be unable to work from a white board in the classroom without human/technical support. Near vision: likely to have difficulty with any print smaller than 24 point. Print sizes must be in a range from 24 – 36, and materials will require significant differentiation and modification. Vision loss is classified as severe with acuities with the range 6.36 - 6/60 Snellen/Kayor LogMAR 0.8, or greater Near vision: likely to have difficulty with any print smallerthan 24 point. Print sizes maybe an in a range from 24 – 36, and will require significant differentiation and modification. Pupils likely to be RegisteredSight 	Profound: Primarily a print user. May be a braille user. Eligible to register as severely vision impaired. Usually pupils who have suffered a late onset visual impairment, or where their vision has deteriorated rapidly, or where there is a strong parental preference for continuing with print, or a physical reason why braille is not appropriate. (e.g. loss of sensitivity in fingers) Some pupils may be continuing to use print larger than N36. Some pupils with be making the transition from print to braille. Distance vision: These pupils will have little useful vision and limited learning by sighted means. Acuity will be less than 6/120. Near vision: likely to have difficulty reading any print smaller than 36 point. Print sizes may vary and will require significant differentiation and modification. Profound: tactile learner Usually pupils who are born with severe visual impairment, who are identified early on as being tactile learners. These pupils will usually be registered blind and learning by tactile methods; they will have little or no useful vision, and very limited or no learning by sighted needs. The school must work in partnership to facilitate assessment and planning across the curriculum.
Eligibility Criteria range of 0 -20	be N18 print size, or above	Impaired (partially sighted) or Severely Sight impaired (blind) but still learning by	(These pupils will access support in a
	It is expected that a child withthis level of visual impairmentwill score in the National	sighted means.	Special School or Setting as a result of their severe or complex needs - please

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
	Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria rangeof 15 – 29	It is expected that a child withthis level of visual impairmentwill score in the National Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria range 30 – 50	see the appropriate descriptors to identify the appropriate level of support. Vision impairment will not be their primary area of need.) These pupils will be blind or partially sighted or have a diagnosis of CVI as a secondary need. Distance vision: difficulty identifying any distance
		Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) CVI must be diagnosed by an ophthalmologist. The pupil will typically have good acuities when tested in familiar situations, but this will vary throughout the day. A key feature of	information Near Vision: will have difficulty responding to facial expressions at 50cm
		 CVI is that vision varies from hour to hour with the pupil's well-being. All pupils with CVI will have a different 	Vision loss is classified as profound with acuities less than 6/60. LogMAR 1.32 plus
		set of difficulties which means thorough assessment is a key aspect. The pupil has difficulties associated with dorsal processing stream, ventral processing	Educationally blind / braille user / can access small quantities of print larger thanN36
		 stream or a combination of both. Dorsal stream difficulties include: Difficulties seeing moving objects Difficulties reading 	It is expected that a child withthis level of visual impairmentwill score in the National Sensory Impairment Partnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria rangeof 50 - 100
		 Difficulties doing more than one thing at a time (e.g. looking and listening) Ventral Stream Difficulties include: Inability to recognise familiar faces Difficulties route finding 	Usually pupils who are born with severe visual impairment, and are identifiedearly on as being tactile learners.
		Difficulties with visual clutterLower visual field loss	Pupils who may be new to thecountry, with severe visual impairment. Pupils who may have suffered a late
		Pupils with Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) CVI must be diagnosed by an Ophthalmologist. The pupil may typically	onset visualimpairment, or where their vision has deteriorated rapidly.
		have good acuities when tested in familiar situations but this willvary throughout the day. A key feature of CVI	These pupils will usually be registered blind and learningby tactile methods; they

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Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
		is that vision varies from hour to hour with the pupil's well- being.	will have little or no useful vision,and very limited or no learning by sighted means.
		All pupils with CVI will have adifferent set of difficulties which means thorough assessment is a key aspect. The pupil may have difficulties associated with Dorsal processing stream, Ventral processing stream ora combination of both.	
		Dorsal stream difficultiesinclude:	
		Ventral Stream Difficultiesinclude: Inability to recognise familiarfaces Difficulties route finding Difficulties with visual clutter	
		Lower visual field lossPartnership (NatSIP) Eligibility Criteria range30 to 50	

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. Comfortable working with assistive technology Support the development of fine and/ or gross motor skills or spatial awarenessthrough a structured programme / implementation of activity programmes / recommended by external agencies. Support the development of self-care / self-regulation and hygiene programmes 	As Range 2, plus: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. VI specialist teacher/practitioner; Qualified Registered Habilitation Officer	As Range 2 and 3, plus: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom	As Range 2,3,4 plus: Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use visual supports; Makaton; PECS; assistive devices; etc to support language development Ability to create a total communication environment To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4	SEND Support Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Needs-specific practice which is additional to and different from that which is normallyavailable: Differentiation as part of high quality teaching needed in most subject areas. A monitoring system should be in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implementsupport and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP or One Page Profile. The teacher takes responsibility for devising, delivering and evaluating a personalised programmethat accelerates learning. High quality teaching with a specific consideration for children with visual impairmentneeds in line with advice from initial assessment by QTVI. Hensuring that all appropriate staff have information relating to the CYP's vision needs. School / setting must ensure that support is given to enable teachers to planappropriately: Glasses wear Seating position and environmental factors affecting vision Presentation of learning materials;	ntiation to consider pace ning and visual presentation of g materials. Settings and student will needawareness raising	In addition: Teaching approaches consider student needs on an individualised basis in planningand delivery of curriculum. Regular consultation with QTVI about delivery of curriculum to ensure student canfully access all curriculum areas. Pupil unable to work from a white board in the classroom without human or technicalsupport, such as the use of an iPad or laptop in combination with screen mirroring and file sharing software. Setting staff make substantial adaptations to all curriculum delivery and materials tofacilitate access and inclusion. Requires significant differentiation and modification to all printed materials in order toaccess the curriculum Staff in the school / setting will need appropriate training in inclusion of visuallyimpaired learners in the classroom. Attention is paid to access arrangements for statutory tests, and exams, according tonormal ways of working in consultation with QTVI. The young person will require a referral for assessment from a	In addition: Planned approach to teaching and learning strategies designed in consultation with theparent/carer, young person, QTVI, class teacher and where possible other involved professionals should take place. Access to a Qualified Teacher of the Visually Impaired (QTVI) dependent on NatSip Eligibilitycriteria scores for: Training for staff (eg, Braille skills, resource production, technology, habilitation, social skills). Planning with teaching staff Monitoring access to learning and recommendations Direct teaching of braille, subject specific tactile learning skills (eg, tactile diagrams)or specialist teaching of ICT suitable for use by children with a vision impairment. Access to teaching of mobility and independent living skills from a qualifiedHabilitation Officer. Access to a visually impaired peer group for small group Social / Life Skillsopportunities.

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	Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
	Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
	Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
0	worksheet size and format etc. made by staff within school / setting. Teaching strategies to minimise impact of CYP's vision; pace, oral descriptions,amount of copying /distance work etc. Teaching methods which facilitate access to the curriculum, social /	to require a referral for assessment from a Qualified Registered Habilitation Officer for assessment, environmental advice, and direct programme of work as required.	environmental advice, and direct programmeof work as required to include family and school / setting staff. Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child /	 Production of class resources adapted (large print or braille) by school staff trainedby QTVI and VI Technology Officer. Support from trained specialist school staff to support learning in class to ensure fullaccess and understanding.
•	emotionaldevelopment and class participation. ICT is used to increase access to the curriculum, where appropriate	 Environmental audit necessary to assess accessibility of school environment. Teachingmethods facilitate access to the curriculum, social / emotional development 	young person asdescribed in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes and: work on significantly modified /	 Lunchtime and break time support at a ratio of 1:4 at primary. Pastoral support available for secondary students.
	Where required; regular targeted small group support as deemed necessary	and class participation.	differentiated curriculum and learning tasks, includingthe speed	Access to a specialist ICT training
•	On-going opportunities for individual support focused on specific	 Alternative ways of recording include electronic devices and ICT is used to increase access to the 	of lesson delivery, expectations regarding quantity of work, additional timefor sustained tasks	supported by QTVI or specialist technical supportofficer.
	targets with reinforcement in whole class activities to aid transfer of skills	curriculum, where appropriate. Attention is paid to access arrangements forstatutory tests, and exams, according to normal ways of	 and speed of working encourage independence create opportunities for peer to peer interaction monitor the progress of the young 	 Resource Provision: Daily access to a Qualified Teacher of the Visually Impaired (QTVI) Small group (up to 1:6)
	Advice from external agencies is implemented in the classroom	working May need assistive	person using highly structured methods	teaching by QTVI Usually for
	Pre and post teaching is used to enable the pupil to engage with learning in the classroom.	technology to access everyday learning tasks and or large printlearning resources to enable full	 provide opportunities for YP to develop independent living skills through access totargeted interventions overseen by 	 English and maths (10 hrs per week). Weekly teaching of mobility skills from a qualified Habilitation Officer. Social / Life Skills teaching in
	Enhanced opportunities to use technological aids	access to curriculum.	Qualified Registered Habilitation Specialist	small group, up to1:6 once a
	Multisensory approaches are used, where appropriate	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable:	 provide opportunities for the YP to engage in community activity and for social andemotional 	week with specialist supportstaff trained in meeting the needs of
	Pupils are taught strategies and provided with resources to assist with the development ofindependent	My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support	development. • provide access to strands of the 'Additional/specialist VI	 children with a vision impairment. Access to mainstream classes facilitated by daily advice and input / delivery from QTVI.

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Personalised curriculum with

Initial Support SEND Support SEND Support SEND Support Range 2 Range 4 Range 5 Range 3 Mild - Moderate Moderate Enhanced/Severe Severe and complex and monitor and evaluate progress. Curriculum' as directed byQTVI learning. In class resources adapted Planned reviews including the Assistive technology (ICT) Alternative ways of recording include (large print or braille) specialist parent/carer, child / young person and essential for inclusion and electronic devices curriculum resource officer where possible other involved access. Attention is paid to access specialist support staff required professionals shouldtake place. arrangements for statutory tests, to produce. **Additional Needs:** and exams, according tonormal Specialist teaching of tactile learning. Additional adult support 1:1 and small Sensorv ways of working Support from VISSA and or QTVI in group work for: Additional strategies and interventions may Awareness that the child / young be required. Please see appropriate section class to ensure full access and person may need more time to understanding. of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at On-going opportunities either mild / moderate / severe or profound Lunchtime and break time support at a complete tasks and that equality of for individual support ratio of 1:4 (primary). focused on specific level. access may mean that they need to targets with Up to 5 x per week braille do some things differently. reinforcement in whole Communication and Interaction (CI) teaching or specialist help in some aspects of mobility, class activities to aid Additional strategies and interventions may teaching of ICT suitable for orientation and independence skills. transfer of skills be required. Please see appropriate section use bychildren with a vision Staff in the school /setting will need of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) Implementing advice from external appropriate training impairment. provision, at either mild / moderate / severe agencies in the classroom Advice from external agencies is or profound level. Access to a specialist ICT Teaching strategies and implemented in the classroom curriculum from a QTVI / VISSA or providing with resources to Cognition and Learning (CL) Training as needed. assist with the development specialist technical supportofficer Additional strategies and interventions may ofindependent learning. be required. Please see appropriate section For further information and strategies see Create frequent opportunities Additional Secondary needs may of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either graduated approach information here: for peer to peer interaction require: mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk) Additional Needs: Under the direction of the teacher, For further information and strategies see Sensory additional adults support the child / Additional strategies and interventions may graduated approach information here: young person asdescribed in section F Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk) be required. Please see appropriate section of the EHCP, to address the identified of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at outcomes and provide: either mild / moderate / severe or profound **Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI)** level. Needs-specific practice as described Additional support to above, plus: Communication and Interaction (CI) facilitate a further bespoke Additional strategies and interventions may personalised timetable to Any combination of difficulties will have be required. Please see appropriate section supportlearning and a major impact on the pupil's ability to of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) progress. provision, at either mild / moderate / severe access the curriculum. Without input

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from a QTVI they will be unable to reach

or profound level.

Range 2 Mild - Moderate Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and intervention be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for CL provision, a mild / moderate / severe or profound. SEMH Additional strategies and intervention be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision.	are aware that the pupil will be experiencing visually related learning difficulties, and provide support to enable teachers to plan appropriately, based on previous visual performance and /or prognosis of possible changes. The school / setting must monitor pupil progress in this respect.	Range 5 Severe and complex access to specific learning programmes and specialist resources which is in addition to the core offer for VI. • Specialist multi-agency teaching and advice (in addition to the QTVI) will be required tosupport the additional needs such as epilepsy, autism, cognition and
Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventio be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for CL provision, a mild / moderate / severe or profound SEMH Additional strategies and interventio be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision	their full potential and will need some level of support from the VI Team; The school / setting must ensure that all staff are aware that the pupil will be experiencing visually related learning difficulties, and provide support to enable teachers to plan appropriately, based on previous visual performance and /or prognosis of possible changes. The school / setting must monitor pupil progress in this respect.	access to specific learning programmes and specialist resources which is in addition to the core offer for VI. • Specialist multi-agency teaching and advice (in addition to the QTVI) will be required tosupport the additional needs such as epilepsy, autism, cognition and
Additional strategies and intervention be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for CL provision, a mild / moderate / severe or profound SEMH Additional strategies and intervention be required. Please see appropriate of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision	level of support from the VI Team; The school / setting must ensure that all staff are aware that the pupil will be experiencing visually related learning difficulties, and provide support to enable teachers to plan appropriately, based on previous visual performance and /or prognosis of possible changes. The school / setting must monitor pupil progress in this respect.	programmes and specialist resources which is in addition to the core offer for VI. • Specialist multi-agency teaching and advice (in addition to the QTVI) will be required tosupport the additional needs such as epilepsy, autism, cognition and
either mild / moderate / severe or pr level. For further information and strategie graduated approach information her Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk	This includes: • Teaching methods ies see which facilitate access to the curriculum, social /	 learning. And / or individual specialist support for mobility, medical and personal care needs etc. Trained / specialist staff to support social communication, social and emotional andsensory needs of the pupil e.g. to help with emotional regulation skills, as and whenrequired throughout the day Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.
	arrangements for statutory tests, and exams, according to normal ways of working in	Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe consultation with QTVI. Advice for teachers regarding ways to include the pupil in mainstream lessons Training for staff on CVI and implications for learning Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child / young person asdescribed in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes Additional adult support in class, and around school / setting, as indicated by assessment, tofacilitate inclusive and independent learning, preparation of resources, and to ensure safety and.: Provide suitable technology such as laptop, audio books, speech software Advice for teachers regarding ways to include the pupil in mainstream lessons Training for staff on CVI and implications for learning On-going assessment, teaching, advice, support and monitoring from a QTVI, towork with the pupil, their family and with school / setting staff. Individual 1-1 for	of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4 Enhanced/Severe Habilitation and mobility teaching, as appropriate from QualifiedRegistered Habilitation Specialist ICT and low vision aid skills training Suitable technology such as laptop, audio books, speech software Specific skill teaching e.g. touch typing, working with speech software/ amanuensis Additional Needs: Sensory Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for HI / VI provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	Range 5
		Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	
		SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at	

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
		either mild / moderate / severe or profound	
		level.	
	For further information and strategies see		
	graduated approach information here:		
		Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	



Provision

Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2 Mild - Moderate	Range 3 Moderate	Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	Range 5 Severe and complex
Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding	Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding	No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes — functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work	 25 hours 1:1 support in Mainstream or A bespoke specialist environment (Resource Base / Special School) to support students with complex needs Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:12) with additional adult support for up to 40 / 60 / 100% of the week (10 /15 / 25 hrs, pro rata). Individual support (1:1) during all other learning times to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. Special: Enhanced teacher pupil ratio (not more than 1:13) with additional adult support combining small group and 1:1, to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmesof work. A specialist teacher of VI and appropriately experienced, specifically trained support staff A high level of additional adult support with all aspects of selfcare, self-regulation, during structured and unstructured times

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
a ividao.ato	out.	Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes — functional reactical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff.	
 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles VI Support Service – at least an annual visit from a qualified teacher of the visual impaired 	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles VI Support Service – at least an annual visit from a qualified teacher of the visual impaired 	LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers VI Support Service – at least monthly visits from a qualified teacher of the visually impaired.	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers VI specialist support statutory offer – at least weekly visits from a qualified teacher of the visual impaired
 Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer 	Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer
		Cerebral Visual Impairment (CVI) LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers VI Support Service – annual visual assessment	
		Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer	

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4	Range 5
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe	Severe and complex
Offer from health:	Offer from health:	Offer from health:	Offer from health:
 Opthalmology and team as 	Opthalmology and team as clinically	Opthalmology and team as	Opthalmology and team
clinically indicated	indicated	clinically indicated	as clinically indicated
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Physical and Sensory – Multi-sensory Impairment (MI)

Pupil Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2	SEND Support Range 3	SEND Support Range 4
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe
Mild loss in both modalities May have Auditory Processing Disorder/Auditory Neuropathy/Cerebral Visual Impairment Non-progressive condition	Moderate loss in one modality and mild/moderate loss in the other May have Auditory Processing Disorder / Auditory Neuropathy / Cerebral Visual Impairment May have additional complex needs.	Moderate / severe/ profound loss in both modalities May have Auditory Processing Disorder / Auditory Neuropathy / Cerebral Visual Impairment May have additional complex needs.

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Staffing Characteristics

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe	SEND Support Range 5 Severe and complex
 Advocate for inclusion Values the voice of the CYP High expectations Positive/strength-based language Fun and engaging lessons Emotionally attuned adults Able to celebrate small-step progress Open to learning and CPD opportunities Observant and reflective Able to make adaptations to teaching style, language, materials and resources, etc. Comfortable working with assistive technology implementation of activities/ programmes / recommendations/ care plans as suggested by external agencies. Support the development of selfcare / self-regulation and hygiene programmes 	 In addition: Skilled at administering and analysing assessments Able to match SEND need to provision (strategies and interventions) in order to reach desired outcomes Work in partnership with CYP and their family Work in partnership with other agencies and professionals e.g. audiologists, VI specialist teacher/practitioner; Qualified Registered Habilitation Officer 	 In addition: Develop and implement an inclusive curriculum - one which accommodates the needs of all children, affording them the time, space and opportunity to participate and engage at their own level. Training in the skills to deliver specialist interventions and strategies Able to accommodate a wide range of needs in the classroom 	 In addition: Specialist knowledge and skills in the ability to use visual supports; Makaton; PECS; assistive devices; etc to support language development Ability to create a total communication environment To promote and advocate for the voice of the CYP

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'Additional to' and 'Different from' Interventions and Strategies

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
Needs-specific practice as described above, plus:	In addition:	In addition:
attention to seating, lighting, visual environment and acoustics. Consideration must be given to visually presented information, task instruction and oral sentence structure. Attention should be paid to speech development, the development of oral expression and aspects of orientation, mobility and independence skills, through curriculum differentiation Staff in the school / setting will need appropriate training and awareness of the potential impact of dual-sensory impairment should be evident in the classroom. The pace of learningshould afford opportunities for clarification and reinforcement to ensure understanding	Reasonable adjustments as described in The Equality Act 2020 must be adhered to (as per an employee). Disability rights: Overview - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk) As appropriate to assessed needs; Approaches to communication that may include use of Sign Supported English (SSE)and /or finger spelling to support oral communication Significant curriculum differentiation across all subject areas Adapted equipment to meet specialised MSI needs Modified and adapted materials to ensure access to learning	 Individual approaches to communication that may include tactile modes of communication, use of Sign Supported English (SSE) and /or British Sign Language, tactile sign/manual alphabet, or visual/tactile symbol systems and may involve a TotalCommunication approach An individual curriculum and daily timetable to ensure the development of communicationskills and understanding of daily routine and to ensure students are not included in activities that they cannot access effectively An Individual programme to support the delivery of specialised skills which may include; Braille, visual
Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: My Support Plan (or equivalent) in place to assess the young person's needs, identify outcomes, implement support and monitor and evaluate progress. Planned reviews including the parent/carer, child / young person and where possible other involved professionals should take place.	 Regular access to a visually and acoustically appropriate environment for small groupand 1:1 sessions Enhanced opportunities to use technological aids Regular checking of low vision and/or hearing aids Support with the development of mobility, orientation and independence skills Significant individual support and additional time for clarification and reinforcement oflearning to 	or tactile sign or symbol systems, the use of specialist technology and aids, mobility, orientation and independence skills Opportunities to develop understanding of specific conditions as appropriate Learning activities that involve real objects, events and processes where students maynot have direct experience of a concept Adapted equipment to meet specialised MSI needs
Additional adults support the child / young person individually, under the direction of theteacher to: • work on modified curriculum tasks; • access regular individual support • encourage independence • create opportunities for peer to peer interaction • monitor the progress of the A child / young person using structured methods provide access to specialist delivery of the 'Additional Curriculum'	Staff in the school / setting will need appropriate training and awareness of the potentialimpact of dual-sensory impairment should be evident in the classroom A monitoring system should be in place to identify short term targets from the EHCP, implement recommended provision and monitor and evaluate progress, for example an IEP. Termly planned sharing of information including the	 Appropriately modified and adapted materials to ensure access to learning Daily access to a visually and acoustically appropriate environment for small group and1:1 sessions Regular checking of low vision and/or hearing aids A pace of learning appropriate to the individual student A high level of individual support and additional time for clarification and reinforcement oflearning to ensure understanding Staff in the school will need appropriate training and

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe
For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke govern)	well as a statutory annual review.	impairment should be evident in the classroom Deaf/blind Intervenors will need specialised training
	Bespoke Intervention – time bound and quantifiable: Under the direction of the teacher, additional adults support the child / young person as described in section F of the EHCP, to address the identified outcomes. Additional adults support the child / young person individually, under the direction of the teacher to: work on significantly modified curriculum tasks; access daily individual support encourage independence create frequent opportunities for peer to peer interaction monitor the progress of the A child / young person using highly structured methods provide opportunities for YP to develop independent living skills through access to targeted interventions	
	 provide opportunities for the YP to engage in community activity provide access to specialist delivery of the 'Additional Curriculum' Communication and Interaction (CI) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CI (SLCN/ASC) provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. Cognition and Learning (CL) Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for CL provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level. 	For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)

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Initial Support	SEND Support	SEND Support
Range 2	Range 3	Range 4
Mild - Moderate	Moderate	Enhanced/Severe
	SEMH Additional strategies and interventions may be required. Please see appropriate section of Matrix of Need for SEMH provision, at either mild / moderate / severe or profound level.	
	For further information and strategies see graduated approach information here: Physical and Sensory (stoke.gov.uk)	



Provision

Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
 Mainstream placement Universal Offer Use of notional SEND budget Additional adult support amounting up to 10 hrs per week (pro rata) comprising of small group and close adult support to facilitate access to the curriculum and delivery of individually planned programmes of work. Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding At least one annual visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) VI Support Service – at least an annual visit from a qualified teacher of the visual impaired For professionals - Sense 	 Mainstream placement Universal Offer SEND notional budget (minimal, time-limited top up) No less than 15 hours' additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, small group or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work. At least a half-termly visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) VI Support Service – at least an annual visit from a qualified teacher of the visual impaired For professionals - Sense Early years children may be eligible for Early Years Inclusion Funding see eligibility criteria Early Years Inclusion 	 No less than 19 / 22 / 25 hours per week additional adult support delivered through a combination of one-to-one, smallgroup or reduced teaching group size (1:12) with additional support, in order to facilitate access to the curriculum and deliver individually planned programmes of work Some focus on PfA outcomes and holistic outcomes functional practical contextual Access to appropriate resources and appropriately trained staff. At least a half-termly visit from a specialist HI teacher (according to Natsip criteria) VI Support Service – at least monthly visits from a qualified teacher of the visually impaired. For professionals - Sense
 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles HI and/or VI Support Service (dependent on the dominant need – services input changes when/if needs change) Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer 	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles HI and/or VI Support Service (dependent on the dominant need – services input changes when/if needs change) Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer 	 LA: Core offer: Monthly, multiagency Solution Circles Early Years Specialist Teachers HI and/or VI Support Service (dependent on the dominant need – services input changes when/if needs change) Traded offer: SEND Support Service EP service Inclusion Services training and support offer.

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Initial Support Range 2 Mild - Moderate	SEND Support Range 3 Moderate	SEND Support Range 4 Enhanced/Severe
Offer from health: Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team Ophthalmology and team as clinically indicated	Offer from health:	Audiology as clinically indicated – working with Sensory team Ophthalmology and team as clinically indicated

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