SEN Annual Report September 2022

1.	How does the school identify children with special educational needs?	The identification of pupils with special educational needs will include one or a combination of the following criteria: a) Class teacher's assessment that the child has a significant learning and/or behaviour difficulty that is affecting their learning b) Class teacher using Essex Provision Guidance tool to identify needs c) Concern expressed by parent or carer d) Key Stage 1 standard attainment tests e) Reading Precision, including phonics and catch-up word lists. f) Salford reading test (1- 1½ years below chronological age) Completed October and April. g) On-going teacher assessment h) Observations from SENCO i) Wellcomm Speech and Language Assessments. j) Referral from a specialist for example child development clinic or GP.
2.	How many children in	The current SEN Register is made up as follows: One plans Education, Health/
	the school	Care Plans
	have special educational	21 7
	needs?	
3.	How many children have met the exit criteria and no longer need that support?	Monitoring of all support is closely looked at to ensure progress is being made. We have had 0 children in the Summer term who met the criteria and no longer need SEND Support. Review of children with SEN take place every half term.
4.	What types of special education needs does the school currently need to provide?	The current types of Special Educational Needs are as follows:
5.	How are pupils with SEN ensured access to the curriculum?	The school believes that children should be assessed early to provide early intervention. Children from Nursery to Year 1 are screened using the Wellcomm screening to highlight any children that are having speech and language difficulties. Children in Reception are assessed using NELI.
		The school believes all children have a right to access a full experience of the curriculum. High quality teaching ensures that all children are provided with opportunities to learn. The planning of all lessons takes into account the needs of all children. Some children, however, have short and long term special educational needs which require more attention than this. Children with special educational needs will be supported in the classroom with appropriate adult support and teaching resources. Some children may require a separate timetable to enable them to make progress against their targets.
		Where children need support beyond the normal teaching programmes, they may be withdrawn individually or in small groups from the classroom to work with an LSA. These interventions will be supported by assessment carried out or recommendations from specialist teachers. The interventions may be a small number to explain specific concepts or a long term structured intervention which

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		often follows an intervention programme.
		The child's self-esteem and independence is of crucial importance if progress is to be made. We aim to provide work which will encourage, motivate and consistently reinforce a sense of achievement and success.
		The class teacher, in conjunction with the SENCo, parents and the child, will consistently monitor progress.
		Curricular arrangements using the school's cycle of observations, pupil perceptions and book monitoring (see monitoring policy) are in progress. In addition the SENCO with the teacher reviews the progress against their targets and attainment.
		Having identified a learning need the school will set in motion a Graduated Approach laid down by the new SEN Code of Practice 2014.
6.	How is their progress monitored?	 Progress is monitored in a variety of form: Day-to Day Assessment for Learning Strategies are used in class Use of Precision teaching/ Reading Catch-Up/Maths Catch-Up Intervention programmes to support next step planning Class data is looked at half termly to ensure progress of all groups of children, including those on the SEN register One Plans are assessed half termly to ensure targets are met using the plan, assess and review cycle Specialist teacher observations to check progress and offer
		recommendations • Progress against Wellcomm targets.
7.	Are all the relevant plans in place? (provision	Children identified as having SENs will either have a One Plan and will follow the Essex County recommended flow diagram. The SEN support plan sets out targets to be achieved by the child. They are used by the teacher in planning lessons and interventions.
	maps, individual education plans, pastoral plans)	If further action or advice is needed a request for statutory assessment will be made and this can lead to a child being given an EHC Plan (Education, Health and Care Plan) or in some cases IPRA funding is used to support the child with medical needs or through transitions.
8.	How are	<u>Learning Assistants</u>
	school resources	The school employs 16 Learning Assistants.
	deployed? How many LSAs Any external support	In KS2: 16 hours each week are allocated as follows: • 10 hours to support all English and Maths lessons • 6 hours to support children on the SEN register with Intervention Programmes In KS1 the learning assistants are in the class full time and are allocated as follows: • 10 hours to support all Maths and English lessons • Support children on the SEN register with interventions • ½ hour planning meeting with teacher
		8 Learning Assistants have hours specifically named to a child (often those with a EHC Plan).
		We have two specialist teaching assistant who supports children with speech and language difficulties.
		We also have two Learning Mentors who works throughout the primary school. The learning mentor provided pastoral care for children. At Leverton Primary School we recognise that children's emotional well being is an important part of their development. We understand that children's emotional wellbeing is important to

optimise their learning experience. **External Support** The school has access to an EP through the Local Authority's local offer who will provide us with half a day support each term. Speech and Language Therapists often work with children and suggest strategies to improve their learning. The school also benefits from having a Speech & Language Learning Assistant who is able to focus specifically on this need. The school, has access to Counselling Services and Play Therapy. 9. Are there any All Adult Support is budgeted within the school's annual budget setting process. budget/resou rce issues in Additional Resources can be purchased in accordance with the school's procedures terms of SEN eg Curriculum Bids made termly at Finance Committee. provision? 10. What are the <u>KS1</u> targets and 2021 Year 1 and 2 combined outcomes for Attainment children with Working Working Age related special below within expectations. education needs? Reading 12% 2% 2% 12% 0% % (actual) 2.5% Writing achieved ARE. 7% 2% 2% Maths KS2 2021 Attainment Year 6 **Not Met** Met Reading 21% 9% 20% 9% Writing Maths 20% 7% 11. When was The SEN Policy was reviewed in October 2022 and agreed by the Governing Body. the SEN The next review will take place in October 2023. policy last reviewed and **Transition** when will it be reviewed In the school staff liaise with each other prior to the transition of classes each year. next? The Year 6 staff and SENCO also liaise with the secondary school to which our children transfer. In any liaison the transfer of information concerning children with Who is involved SEN takes a high priority with arrangements for passing on SEND Support Plans, One Plans and EHCPs and any other relevant details which may affect a child's in learning. A transition day is held each year to ensure the children have met staff and reviewing

become familiar with their school surroundings. Further transition days are also

arranged if required by children with SEN.

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	 Does the policy reflect and meet needs of pupils What does it say about supportin g pupils in their transfer to and 	Specialist teachers may also become involved with transition. If a child is transitioning into Leverton Primary School with SEN needs without an EHCP plan IPRA funding may be applied for by the SENCO.
12.	from other schools?	The SENCO is currently Lesley Mottram. She is has gained the National Award for
	SENCO undertaken the necessary training?	SENCO and has the correct SENCO qualification. The SENCO works full time out of class. The SENCO attends local group meetings with other SENCOs.
13.	Have the relevant staff members received appropriate training?	Learning Assistant Meetings Phonics Written Feedback New Curriculum SEN Support Plans Inclusion/EAL resources SEMH training Training on Wellcomm Any other training which fits the needs of the child. TPP training Weekly Teacher Staff Meeting Reviewing SEN Support Plans Maths Catch Up Phonics Essex Provision Guidance document SEMH training Training on Zones Of Regulation Any other training which fits the needs of the child.
14.	What communicati on strategies are in place for parents/carer s of children with SEN?	 There are a variety of strategies that are in place for Parents/ Carers to communicate with the school: Termly meetings with Class Teacher to review progress and agree new SEN Support Plan targets Twice yearly meetings with Class Teacher to discuss progress at Pupil Progress Meetings (November and March) Where applicable, Annual Review meetings Those parents whose child has been seen by the EP or Specialist Teachers have an opportunity to discuss their concerns Parents can arrange to meet Class Teacher/ SENCO/ Headteacher at any time One Plan meetings to communicate between home/school on targets and needs
15.	What is going	One Plan meetings are regularly held with parents.

16.	well? What is going less well and needs to be	 Class Support Plans Good quality Interventions groups run by trained Learning Assistants Monitoring of interventions to ensure progress is being made Essex Provision Guide Early Intervention and screening for Nursery, Reception and Year 1 children. The use of the Essex Provision Guidance to provide high quality teaching (HQT) first. Use of TPP throughout the school.
17.	Where can I find information for accessibly for children and visitors?	 You can find information about accessibility under the school policy section of the school website titled: Accessibility Plan 2017-2020. This plan shows how Leverton Primary School maintains the accessibility of our school for disabled pupils, staff, parents/carers and visitors.