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NURSERY SCHOOL

Newtown Nursery School Early Help Offer

Our Commitment to Children and Families

Working together to give every child the best possible start in life.



How to Access Support

If you feel that your child or family would benefit from additional support, please speak to your child's key person or a member of the leadership team. We will listen to your concerns and work together to identify the most appropriate support available.

Child's key person:

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Leadership team contact:

Tori Parsons

Our Designated Early Help Leads

Families can speak to any member of staff, but our designated Early Help Leads are:

Headteacher: Sarah Midgley

Deputy Headteacher/SENDCo: Tori Parsons

Family Support Leads: Tori Parsons & Rebecca Ellis

Further Support and Signposting

- Health Visitors
- Speech and Language Therapists
- Educational Psychologists
- Early Years Inclusion Teams
- Family Support Services
- Social Care
- School Nursing Services
- Community and voluntary organisations

Children & Families Service Single Point of Contact Tel No: 0300 247 0040

At Newtown Nursery School, we are committed to ensuring every child and family feels valued, supported, and able to access help when they need it.

Newtown Nursery School Early Help Offer

At Newtown Nursery School, we recognize that all children and families may need extra support at different times. We are committed to providing early help to ensure children receive the right support at the right time, preventing difficulties from escalating and promoting positive outcomes for children and their families.

We believe that strong partnerships between home, nursery, and other professionals are essential in helping children thrive and reach their full potential.



How We Identify Children and Families Who May Need Support

Our experienced staff work closely with children and families on a daily basis and may identify a need for additional support through:

- Discussions with parents and carers
- Observations of a child's development, learning, behaviour, or wellbeing
- Attendance concerns
- Changes in family circumstances
- Health or developmental needs
- Information shared by other professionals

We encourage parents and carers to speak with us if they have any concerns, no matter how small.

Support We Can Offer

For Children

- High-quality inclusive teaching and learning opportunities
- Individual support plans and targeted interventions
- Additional support for communication and language development
- Social and emotional wellbeing support
- SEND identification and support
- Transition support to nursery and on to school
- Referrals to specialist services where appropriate

For Families

- Regular meetings with key staff members
- Guidance on behaviour, routines, sleep, toileting, and development
- Signposting to local support services
- Support with attendance and engagement
- Advice regarding benefits, housing, and family wellbeing
- Assistance in accessing health and community services

Working with Other Professionals

Where appropriate and with parental consent, we may work alongside:

- Health Visitors
- Speech and Language Therapists
- Educational Psychologists
- Early Years Inclusion Teams
- Family Support Services
- Social Care
- School Nursing Services
- Community and voluntary organisations

We may complete an Early Help Assessment to identify strengths, needs, and agreed actions to support the family.