

The Local Offer

Name of Setting: Waltham Preschool and Out of School

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Has your provision got a website/Facebook page for me to find out more about your offer?: YES

Statement: We have a website for further information for parents

Is your provision easily accessible for a child who has SEND? : YES

Statement: We have wheelchair access, We have changing facilities, We have an accessible toilet which is child friendly, Activities can be accessed by all children as they are provided on table tops and on the floor, We make reasonable adjustments to accommodate your child, and discuss these with you, We encourage parents to come into the provision to settle their child to a task before leaving, Children can access the outdoors throughout the year, We have a secure outdoor area, Children are encouraged to access the outdoor environment with support if needed

Have your staff had training to support my child with SEND? : YES

Statement: We encourage staff to attend training regularly, SENCO training, Supporting children with speech, language and communication, We will attend training relevant to a child's specific medical needs

Have you worked with other professionals in the past to support other children with SEND? : YES

Statement: Speech and Language Therapists, Portage workers, Early years SEND Inclusion Team, Early years, Area SENCO, Public Health Nurses (Health visitors)

Do you offer additional support for my child to start in another room? : YES

Statement: We only have one main room, but we support children to move between activities and between the indoor and outdoor environment., We offer extra visits for the child to visit the new room, We encourage the child and parent to visit the new room together, We make books about the new environment for parents to share with their child at home, We have meetings with parents to discuss the most appropriate room and any need for extra transition visits

Do you offer any additional support to help my child move to another school? : YES

Statement: We support children to move between the setting and school, We offer extra visits for the child to visit the new school, We encourage the child and parent to visit the new school together, We will share books about the child's new school if the school has made one so that children become familiar with their new school, We have meetings for parents to share progress about how their child is doing

Have you included any other children with SEND into your provision? : YES

Statement: We work closely with professionals involved with your child, We encourage your child to join in with the provision and enjoy coming to the nursery, We share what your child has done with parents, We find out what your child likes to do and plan activities to ensure that your child enjoys coming to nursery, We offer small group activities to meet your child's needs, We offer individual time to ensure that your child is making progress, We make sure that any plans that professionals have made are put in to place, We apply for funding to help support your child in the setting

Is there anything else you would like to share? : YES

Statement: We welcome suggestions and will source/attend training in order to support your child and the family

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