

Special Educational Needs at St. Thomas More



All children require love, care and attention when it comes to their social and emotional development, which is something that is at the heart of all that we do at St. Thomas More Catholic Primary School.

As your SENCO, I am responsible for assisting teachers and support staff in:

- Identifying children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)
 - Coordinating all the support for children with SEND
- Liaising with all the other people who may be coming into school to help support your child's learning e.g. Speech and Language Therapists
 - Ensuring you are involved in supporting your child's learning
 - Ensuring you are kept informed about the support your child is getting
 - Ensuring you are involved in reviewing how they are doing

As well as the above, I am here to support the whole family and am therefore able to provide:

- Help with mental health and well-being support
- Signposting to and liaising with professionals
- Arranging parenting and behaviour courses
- And just about anything else, that you may wish to have support with.

In the first instance, if you have any concerns about the progress your child is making, please talk to their Class Teacher.

If you have further concerns about their social and emotional well-being, or any barriers to learning that they may have, then please do not hesitate to contact me via the School Office.



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