



My child has sensory and/or physical needs



This section covers students who have difficulties with:

- Vision
- Hearing
- Gross motor co-ordination
- Fine motor co-ordination
- Self-organisation for daily living
- It includes conditions such as cerebral palsy, physical injury, dyspraxia

What does SVC offer?

All students at SVC can access

- Quality First teaching with appropriate differentiation (including best SEND practice)
- Visual aids to support key vocabulary, concepts and themes.
- Amplification of sound for aid users.
- School adheres to guidelines on physical access.
- Whole-school awareness to encourage meta-cognitive learning.
- Access to homework support clubs
- Accelerated Reader Programme KS2 to KS3 transition support via tutor programme.
- Access to assessment for identification of significant needs.
- Dedicated and caring staff who value all students regardless of ability.
- Single point of access throughout the school day for all Additional Support needs through Key Stage Managers based in The Hub.

Support for targeted groups of students may include

- Handwriting /fine motor/keyboard skills training.
- Medical Care Plans.
- Group discussions and information giving from our qualified school nurse.
- Access to assistive technology, software, audio digital books and applications.
- Access to teaching assistant support.
- Organisational Skills mentoring

Targeted individual support many include .

- Support from Physical Needs specialist TA.
- Personalised support plans
- 1:1 Outside Agency support including Hearing and Visual Impairment specialists.
- Individual handwriting /fine motor/keyboard skills training.
- Specialist equipment and materials, such as low vision aids and enlarged adapted resources.
- Targeted TA support for complex medical needs, including practical support.
- Exam Access Arrangements.