



Offer of Early Help

At Ann Edwards C of E Primary School we recognise that providing early help means that we are more effective with supporting children and families. Early help means that we signpost support as soon as a problem emerges - this can be at any point in a child's life, from foundation years through to secondary school. The information in the table below identifies the levels of need and the services that the school can offer. This list is not exhaustive and the school will find additional or alternative support when necessary.

Child needs	School Provision	Community Provision	Other Provision
<p>Universal Services</p> <p>Children are making good overall progress in all areas of development. They are living in a protected environment where their needs are recognised and met.</p> <p>No additional support needed beyond that which is universally accessible</p>	<p>Our curriculum develops the characteristics that pupils need to thrive as individuals, as part of a family and in the community.</p> <p>The whole child is nurtured through a values-led curriculum and particular development of their pastoral needs through our PSHE and Pink curriculum.</p>	<p>www.glofamiliedirectory.org.uk</p> <p>Useful information detailing services that are available locally for families who live in Gloucestershire. Parents and carers can access this information without a referral from a professional.</p>	<p>https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk</p> <p>Citizen's Advice Bureau – information and advice on a range of family issues.</p> <p>www.nhs.uk/Change4Life - Information about healthy living.</p> <p>www.familylives.org.uk</p> <p>Helpline 08088002222 - general help and support for parents</p> <p>https://parentsonline.uk/</p> <p>Provide resources, information and support for parents</p>

<p>Vulnerable</p> <p>Early Help Services</p> <p>Children need some additional support which may be due to health, educational or social development.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>There is a coordinated response through a multi-agency assessment. This is used to assess and address their needs</p>	<p>Attendance and lateness is monitored.</p> <p>All staff monitor pupil's general behaviour, appearance, engagement, attitude and disposition.</p> <p>Any concerns are referred to DSL & DDSLs(safeguarding), SENCo, Phase Leaders or Family Liaison Officer,</p> <p>Regular meetings are held with parents regarding pupils. If necessary a Team Around The Family Meeting (TAF) is held where professionals involved with the family meet together with the family.</p> <p>Teachers and parents can refer pupils for nurture support.</p>	<p>Early Help – Support with the Graduated Pathway and Support</p> <p>CAMHS (Child and Mental Health Services)</p> <p>Speech and Language</p> <p>Therapy Services (Play Therapy, Music Therapy, Sand Play)</p> <p>School Nurse/Health Visitor</p> <p>GP</p> <p>Families First Plus Gloucestershire (Early Help Coordinators and Family Support Workers)</p> <p>Children's Safeguarding Board GSCB www.gscb.org.uk</p> <p>Family Information Service - Gloucestershire Families Directory www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk</p> <p>Food Bank Vouchers and Co-op food donations to families within the school community.</p> <p>Young Carers Gloucestershire https://www.glosyoungcarers.org.uk</p>	<p>Physical, Emotional and Mental Health Information and Support for Pupils and Parents.</p> <p>www.youngminds.org.uk Mental health support for parents and pupils</p> <p>www.childline.org.uk Free phone number and online advice.</p> <p>www.ticplus.org.uk Counselling support and advice line for parents</p> <p>www.nhs.uk/live-well NHS advice about healthy living</p> <p>www.asthma.org.uk Support and advice for asthma</p> <p>www.pegssupport.co.uk Support for parents who have experienced child to parent abuse</p> <p>www.allergyuk.org Support and advice for allergies</p> <p>www.eric.org.uk Support with common bowel and bladder problems</p> <p>www.ghc.nhs.uk NHS information regarding mental health and services for children.</p> <p>https://contact.org.uk/ Support for families with disabled children</p> <p>www.onyourmindglos.nhs.uk</p> <p>www.infobuzz.co.uk Infobuzz offers therapeutic and practical support for families and young people with complex needs.</p>
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<p>Complex Needs are complex and children who are highly vulnerable and living with potential risk. This may lead to an integrated assessment and plan with a lead professional coordinating the support from a range of agencies</p>	<p>DSL will request Social Care involvement through a Multi Agency Service Request Form (MARF Form)</p> <p>MARAC information (Multiagency Risk Assessment Conferences),</p> <p>Children In Need plans (CIN) or Child Protection plans (CP).</p> <p>The school attends core group meetings and conferences.</p> <p>SENCo represents the child if there are special educational needs with the potential to request an EHCP assessment</p>	<p>As above – In addition to the information above the following services can also be contacted.</p> <p>Children’s Social Care</p> <p>Community PCSO / Police (Tel:101)</p> <p>Specialist Health Services</p> <p>Community Social Worker</p> <p>Advisory Teaching Service (ATS)</p> <p>Educational Psychology Service (EPS)</p> <p>Cheltenham Community Paediatricians</p> <p>Children’s Centres</p> <p>Local schools with additional expertise</p>	<p>As above and further support or advice can be found at:</p> <p>www.nspcc.org.uk</p>
<p>Acute Children are at immediate risk of significant harm. This will require immediate referral to social care or intensive specialist care regarding health</p>	<p>DSL or DDSL request social care involvement through the Multi Agency Service Request Form (MARF) and this is emailed directly to GSCB.</p> <p>DSL or DDSL coordinates response at school level.</p>	<p>As above - In addition to the information above the following services can also be contacted.</p> <p>GDASS (Gloucestershire Domestic Abuse Support Service)</p> <p>Police (999)</p> <p>Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH)</p> <p>Gloucestershire Children’s Helpdesk Emergency Duty Team</p>	<p>As above and further specialist support or advice can be found at</p> <p>The Lucy Faithfull Foundation - charity dedicated solely to preventing child sexual abuse Helpline 0808 1000900 www.lucyfaithfull.org.uk</p> <p>www.ncdv.org.uk National centre for domestic violence</p> <p>www.barnardos.org.uk</p> <p>FGM (Female Genital Mutilation) Helpline – 0800 028 3550</p>

			<p>https://www.freedomcharity.org.uk</p> <p>www.paceuk.info</p> <p>Pace (Parents Against Child Exploitation) is a national charity working to keep children safe from exploitation by supporting their parents.</p>
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