



St. Lucia's Church of England Primary School Upton Magna

SEND at St. Lucia's Primary School & Nursery

We believe all children are unique, with different strengths and qualities to offer. To enable all children to achieve their full potential at St. Lucia's, we look for early signs of any difficulties a child may have which could affect their progress, and support with a variety of strategies and programmes. Similarly, we recognise talents and abilities and seek to foster opportunities to develop each child's individual skills.

We have active policies which enable all children to be treated equally regardless of their needs or disabilities. Disabled facilities include ramped access and a disabled toilet.

All policies are available on the school website. The named person to contact with regard to SEND is Mrs. S. Woolley and our SEND governor is Mrs. E. Greenaway.

The school follows the Shropshire guidelines in assessing and monitoring pupil attainment and progress and when necessary the help of outside agencies, such as a Learning Support Advisory Teacher or a Speech Therapist, is sought. This provides us with further advice and resources when assessing the individual needs of a child and supporting their learning.

Children are supported through Pupil Centred Plans and EHCPs and individual and small group support is provided to help children to make progress and support their learning and involvement in all aspects of school life.

Pupils with SEND are admitted to St. Lucia's in accordance with LA guidelines and are encouraged and supported to participate in the full range of activities available alongside their classmates.

We have an 'Open Door' policy and parents are welcome to speak to the class teacher or other members of staff at a mutually convenient time.

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