

Useful links for Parents and Carers

SEND Code of Practice 0-25 years

Explains the duties of local authorities, health bodies, schools and colleges to provide for those with special educational needs under part 3 of the Children and Families Act 2014.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/send-code-of-practice-0-to-25>

The Derbyshire Local Offer

Information for young people & children with SEND, families and professionals.

<http://www.derbyshiresendlocaloffer.org/>

The Derbyshire Graduated Response

Derbyshire is ambitious for all children and young people and is transforming services for children and young people with the most complex special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) who deserve every opportunity to achieve well and access the very best provision. Find out more here -

<https://www.localoffer.derbyshire.gov.uk/site-elements/documents/education-and-learning/graduated-response-may-2022.pdf>

Derbyshire Information, Advice and Support Service for SEND

Derbyshire Information, Advice and Support Service (DIASS) provides independent information, advice and support to children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND), as well as their parents and carers.

<https://schoolsnet.derbyshire.gov.uk/special-educational-needs-and-disability/specialist-services/specialist-services.aspx>

Useful links providing support for families:

<https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/>

<https://www.autism.org.uk/>

<https://www.actionforchildren.org.uk/>

<https://umbrella.uk.net/>

<https://www.mind.org.uk/>

<https://www.qwell.io/>

<https://www.mencap.org.uk/>

<https://www.icancharity.org.uk/>

<https://www.derbyshirehealthcareft.nhs.uk/services/childrens-mental-health-services-camhs-derby-and-southern-derbyshire>

<https://www.scope.org.uk/family-services/navigate/>