

SEND NEWS SPLASH

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Why are we doing this?

People matter, help and information matters from the earliest point, so having well informed and well skilled staff is absolutely key. This way we can offer the right help to the right child at the right time and for the right amount of time.

We want to better understand the skills and interests already here for us in the Swindon workforce so that we can build links, build on our strengths and offer a specific way forward where we have priority areas for development.

Aiming for high numbers!!



Complete the survey and forward/encourage returns from any colleagues who may be a point of contact for any child or family of a child with SEND.

CALL 4 ACTION

HOW YOU CAN CONTRIBUTE TO OUR IMPROVEMENT JOURNEY FOR SEND IN SWINDON

What is the Workforce Skills Audit?

We want to understand and build the skills for SEND in Swindon. So we are asking any member of staff, who works with children and young people (0-25 years) with special educational needs and disability from earliest point of contact right through to specialist services, to complete a short skills and interest survey.

This survey has 14 questions (8 of which are multiple choice) so will not take long to do. We will be analysing the results to inform a workforce plan for our practitioners.

You Said We Did: Blue Badge Application!



We have listened to the concerns raised about the application process. Click here to see what we have done about it.

Dyslexia Training

We are currently encouraging SENCOs, teachers and TAs in schools in the Borough of Swindon to attend the Swindon Spld-Dyslexia 4 day training starting in November. To book a place on this training course, please complete the booking form on this link.



Want to develop skills in the theatre?

Half -Term Acting and Writing workshops available for 5-18 year olds at STEAM & the Wyvern Theatre! To find out more or reserve a place call 01793 614864 or visit the Prime Theatre website.

