



Special Schools across Oxfordshire are working with the County Council to develop a continuum of local provision through outreach support to help schools improve outcomes for our children and young people.

What is Special School In-reach and Outreach?

This project aims to partner mainstream school staff with special school staff to deliver a package of bespoke support focused on developing professional knowledge and confidence.

Who has provided funding for this project?

Oxfordshire County Council are funding this project initially from the Autumn term 2023 for one year.

What support can the project provide?

The in-reach/outreach project will offer specialist expertise to mainstream school staff to improve outcomes for pupils with special educational needs and disabilities.

Staff from special schools will work alongside existing teams in Oxfordshire to provide additional capacity where it is needed most.

What will Special School In-reach and Outreach look like in practice?

The support from special schools aims to build a bespoke package around your needs and may include one or more of the following:

- Senior leadership training - building an inclusive culture in your school
- Key worker development - developing effective strategies to support an individual or a small group
- Training for key teams in how to support SEMH/C&L/C&I differences
- In-reach support - visit a special school for advice and guidance

Referrals will be triaged every Monday and may be discussed with you to ensure the right package of support is allocated at the right time.

To access Special School In-reach and Outreach please visit the SENDCO Helpdesk.