

Harcourt Primary SENCO Newsletter – Autumn Term 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to our Autumn Term SENCO newsletter! As we move into Term 2, I'd like to share some updates, celebrate achievements, and highlight how we're continuing to support our wonderful children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

Supporting Every Learner

- Transition support for new pupils and those moving into a new year group.
- Individual Learning Plans (ILPs) reviewed and updated to be shared with parents Term 2
- Staff training on working memory, how to spot and what strategies to support
- I have led SEN provision meetings with each Teacher and Teaching Assistant to draw up class provision maps this term. Targeted support for your child will be discussed at parents evening
- Early screening of Reception children's Language and Communication skills.
- Baseline assessment completed for every child in Reception
- Planned Speech and Language Therapy support for new Yr R and ongoing children throughout the school

Working Together

Thank you to all parents who attended our SEND Coffee morning this term where we received input from Billie from Homestart . It was a lovely opportunity to connect, share experiences, and discuss how we can work together to support your children. Our next Parent Coffee afternoon will be on Thursday 4th December at 2.00pm.

Spotlight on Inclusion

This term, we have:

Reviewed classroom environments to ensure they are dyslexia friendly

Monitored children with SEND in the Early Years

Monitored every class with a focus on inclusion for Literacy subjects

Commissioned a visit from KCC Inclusion team to focus on inclusion for SEND pupils in Early Years and KS1

Contact Us

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

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