

# SEND NEWS SPLASH

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## Advisory Teacher's on YouTube

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### Advisory Teachers for Cognition and Learning Traded Offer



The Advisory Teachers for Cognition and Learning are a service for schools focusing on understanding and supporting cognition and learning needs of children and young people in your setting.

We believe in working collaboratively with schools to identify cognition and learning needs, providing recommendations through online and face to face consultations.

We also offer a range of training to develop understanding and confidence in the classroom suitable to leaders, SENCo's, class teachers and TA's.

To view the new Advisory Teachers for Cognition and Learning YouTube video click on the following link:

<https://youtu.be/sQsTv73DeUA?si=iUb5cSEx7k32n2m0>.



You can find other great videos on the Local Offer YouTube channel here: [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKQ-OISe\\_ZEf5orjle1ZtsQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKQ-OISe_ZEf5orjle1ZtsQ).



You can also find more information on the [Swindon Local Offer - Advisory Teachers for Cognition and Learning page](#).



### HAVE YOUR SAY 2

## Annual SEND Survey 2023

The purpose of this survey is to ensure we have a way of annually measuring opinions and experiences of young people, parents and carers who use Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) services in Swindon and also the professionals who deliver help, advice and support.

To complete this survey please use the following link

<https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/SENDAnnualSurvey2023/>



### HAVE YOUR SAY 1

## Swindon SEND Self Evaluation Survey

As part of our commitment to improving services within the borough, to ensure that we're providing high quality support to children, young people and families with SEND, we're producing a Self-Evaluation Framework in order to assess the way we're working currently.

We're inviting children, young people, parents, carers, professionals and key partners to respond, and let us know how the Local Area as a whole is currently performing.

The survey will take you 5-10 minutes, and you can access it through the below link, or by scanning the QR code:



<https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/SVRG2V/>

It is vital that we gather as many responses as possible, so that our Self-Evaluation Framework can be as reflective as possible of the whole of Swindon SEND. All responses will be collected and used to form a Local Area view, and the framework will be published on the Swindon Local Offer for children, young people and their families, professionals and key stakeholders to read. Please note that this survey will close on **Friday 22nd December at 4pm**.

**Please subscribe to the Local Offer YouTube channel here**



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# Are you a parent carer?

**Come to our event on Friday November 24th**

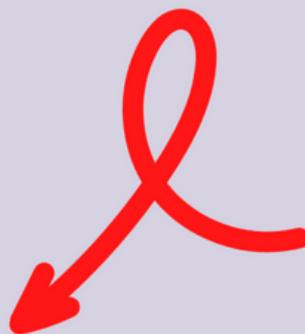
**10am to 1.30pm**

**Swindon Town Football Club,  
County Road, Swindon SN1 2ED**

Parking free for those attending.

Information, advice and updates for parent carers providing care to a child, aged under 18, with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND).

To include presentations, our Q&A panel and a marketplace with stallholders.



**Scan here for  
information or email  
communications@  
swindoncarers.org.uk**

