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Oakdene Primary Academy

SEND Provision Writing

Cognition & Learning

Communication & Interaction

Oakdene Primary School Learning for Life

earning Challenges	Provision	Learning Challenges	Provision
Accessing written work.	• Dyslexia friendly environment	• Understanding new text/topic/trip/experience.	• Pre-teaching of new vocabulary prior to lesson
 Accessing written work. Accessing and understanding emotional learning/empathy. Accessing social concepts. Understanding grammatical terms. 	 Dyslexia friendly environment Scribing Use of technology e.g. ipad voice recording Alternative ways of recording e.g. use of pictures, comic strip etc Colourful semantics I-I support or small group support where necessary. Pairing with a more able writer. Social stories 'Segment to Spell' strategy using learnt phonemes Word Banks/Mats/Vocabulary Mats with images (fiction) photos (non-fiction) Sentence Stems e.g. use of 'ISPACE' 'Word Hippo' app to support word choice 	 Vocabulary meaning and/or pronunciation Understanding tasks involving empathy/emotions or understanding differences. Social learning such as role-play, small world, corner to learn etc. 	 Pre-teaching of new vocabulary prior to lesson Limit vocabulary to that which is necessary to ensure progress. Social stories Adult support Group discussions to gain ideas Visual story map Sequencing activities Use of puppets/props to tell/retell

Physical and/or Sensory

Social, Emotional & Mental Health

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 Gross/fine motor skills Accessing writing themes Group work Videos or photos with over stimulating or challenging themes. 	 Daily letter formation practise using a range of media. Access the Earth Handwriting programme to develop fine/gross motor skills. Use of pencil grips, handwriting prompts. Glare is reduced though ensure enough light for written work. Teacher's face can be seen - avoid standing in front of light sources - windows. Provide sources and themes which are matched to the needs of the child e.g. enlarged text/visuals/I.T. Use of a chair wedge/weighted blanket to aid the support of sitting on a chair. Support with group work to avoid conflict/sensory overload - use of ear defenders, a quiet place to work. Pupils use hearing and low vision aids, where necessary, and video presentations have subtitles for deaf or hearing-impaired children. 	 Anxiety towards new or sensitive themes. Difficulties understanding social concepts. Difficulties understanding own emotions/ thoughts and contrasting with those of others. 	 Working in a small group with a trusted adult one of our Duty Bearers for emotional support Theme/topic needs to be modified to ensure children have a good underpinning of prior knowledge or experience to access the new theme. Pre-teach challenging concepts/themes/ vocabulary in advance to prepare children fully

