



Red Marsh School

learn care challenge share

Glossary of SEND Acronyms and abbreviations.

ADD	Attention deficit disorder	KS4	Key stage 4 Years 10 - 11 (14 - 16 year olds)
ADHD	Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder	LAC	Looked after children
ASD	Autistic spectrum disorder	LDD	Learning difficulties and disabilities
BESD	Behavioural, emotional and social difficulties	LO	Local offer
CAF	Common assessment framework	LSCB	Local safeguarding children board
CAMHS	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services	MLD	Moderate learning difficulties
CIN	Child in Need	NWSCAG	North West Special Curriculum Assessment Group
CoP	Code of Practice	OT	Occupational Therapist
CP	Child Protection	PEP	Personal education plan (for looked after children)
CYP	Children and young people	PMLD	Profound and multiple learning difficulties
EAL	English as an additional language	PP	Pupil premium
EHCP	Education Health Care Plan	PSHE	Personal, social and health education
EP	Educational Psychologist	SALT	Speech and language therapy
EYFS	Early years Foundation stage	SEAL	Social and emotional aspect of learning
FE	Further education Years 12,13,14 (16 - 19 year olds)	SEND	Special educational needs and disabilities
FSM	Free school meals	SENCo	Special educational needs coordinator
GLD	Global learning delay	SLCN	Speech, language and communication needs
HI	Hearing impaired	SLD	Severe learning difficulty
IEP	Individual education plan (at Thorndown we use PLP)	SLT	School leadership team
INSET	In service Education and Training	SpLD	Specific learning difficulty
IT	Information Technology	SPDs	Sensory processing disorders
KS	Key stage	TA	Teaching assistant
KS1	Key stage 1 Years 1-2 (5 - 7 year olds)	TAC	Team around the child
KS2	Key stage 2 Years 3-6 (8 - 11 year olds)	TAF	Team around the family (when CAF is about while family)
KS3	Key stage 3 Years 7-9 (12 - 14 year olds)		