

## Autumn Term 2023: SENDIASS information sessions for parents and carers

<p><b>SEN support in schools</b> – for children who don't have an EHC Plan <b>Online</b> Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 10am to 11.30am</p>	<p><b>Getting the right support in school for your autistic child</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 10am to 12pm</p>
<p>An explanation of the law covering the duties of schools to identify and meet the special educational needs of children who do not have an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP). Plus an overview of Haringey guidance on the SEN support that schools are expected to provide</p>	<p>How to navigate the special educational needs system, focussing on what help is available for autistic children in mainstream schools, as well as those waiting for autism assessments, and the support provided by specialist teams in Haringey</p>
<p><b>EHC needs assessments</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 10am to 11.30am</p>	<p><b>Personal budgets for short breaks</b> <b>In person at the Markfield centre, N15 4RB</b> Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November 10am to 12pm</p>
<p>Explaining the criteria, process and timescales for the Local Authority to undertake an Education Health &amp; Care needs assessment for a child with SEN, including how to appeal if the LA refuses a request for an EHC needs assessment</p>	<p>Learn about Haringey's Personal Budget scheme to fund short breaks services for disabled children, including the assessment process, and eligibility criteria. Plus a step-by-step guide on how to complete a Resource Allocation Form (RAS) to apply for a Personal Budget</p>
<p><b>What should be in a good EHC Plan</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 10am to 12pm</p>	<p><b>Understanding the SEND system</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November 10am to 12pm <b>Online</b> Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 6pm to 8pm</p>
<p>A guide to the different sections of an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP), and how the plan is compiled – including how to ensure your child's needs are accurately described and the provision in the Plan is clear, specific and quantified, and legally enforceable</p>	<p>Key principles of the Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Code of Practice. The system for SEND provision in schools, reviewing progress, Education Health Care needs assessments and Plans (EHCPs), Annual Reviews mediation and appealing against Local Authority decisions</p>
<p><b>Choosing a secondary school for your child with SEND</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 10am to 11.30am</p>	<p><b>EHC Plan annual reviews</b> <b>Online</b> Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 10am to 11.30am</p>
<p>How to research what support is available in secondary schools for children with SEND. An explanation of how the system of allocating school places works in Haringey for children with an EHC Plan and for those without one</p>	<p>An overview of the Annual Review process for Education, Health &amp; Care Plans (EHCPs), plus a guide to the process of requesting a change of school through an EHCP annual review</p>
<p><b>The information sessions are FREE</b> for parents/carers of children and young people with additional needs living in Haringey <i>For others: please contact us for prices</i></p> <p>Some sessions are delivered <b>online via zoom</b>, and some are in person at the Markfield centre in Markfield Park, N15 4RB. <b>For online sessions</b> you will be emailed a link the day before. If you need support with setting up zoom please let us know when booking</p>	<p><b>To book your place</b> <b>Visit Eventbrite:</b> <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/markfield-31140926185">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/markfield-31140926185</a></p> <p><b>Or contact the SENDIASS team:</b> <a href="mailto:sendiass@markfield.org.uk">sendiass@markfield.org.uk</a> <b>020 8802 2611</b></p>