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## Why did we take on a Specialist Resourced Provision?













#### **Benefits**

early identification

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therapies

training

resources

real inclusion

enjoyment every day

multi agency teams

knowledge & understanding

quality first teaching

making a difference





#### **Barriers**

recruitment



mental health

data

**Mainstream SEND Challenging** behaviour

funding

Links with other services – health, EP





## **Next Steps**

Better understanding of our provision

Learning community focus

Links with other services

funding awareness



continued awareness of SEND in our community







#### This is all we ask......

Treat us with respect and dignity. Listen to what we have to say.

Stay calm with us, even if we don't stay calm with ourselves.

Let us know what is going to happen.

Help us to stay safe.

Talk to us, not about us.

Allow us to make choices and decisions for ourselves.

Give us time to respond and interact in our own way.

Try to understand us; we can't always explain our feelings.

Tell us what we are good at, it builds our confidence.

Help us to have fun; we can only learn when we are happy.

