

Consultation on Kingston's Three Year SEND Transformation Plan

We are inviting you to share your views on Kingston's Transformation Plan for services for children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) over the next three years.

Like many councils across the country, Kingston Council is facing unprecedented financial challenges around services for children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND). By the end of this year, we are forecasting that the gap between our spending on SEND services and the funding available to us over the last four years will be £13million. It is likely that the need for these services will continue to grow.

The plan sets out how we aim to work with families and providers to improve the quality of our services, while at the same time bringing our spending back into line with the funding available to us.

You can share your views by:

- completing an online survey at:
<https://surveys.achievingforchildren.org.uk/s/SEnDFuturesKingston>
- completing an accessible or paper copy of the survey, which you can request from julia.hunt@achievingforchildren.org.uk or call 020 8547 6947
- attending one of the drop-in events:
Thursday 10 January 2019, 7.30 to 9.00pm
The Mayo Hall, Richard Mayo Centre, United Reformed Church,
Eden Street, Kingston KT1 1HZ
Thursday 17 January 2019, 10.30am to 12.00 noon
King Charles Centre, Hollyfield Road, Surbiton KT5 9AL
Friday 18 January 2019, 2.00 to 3.30pm
King Charles Centre, Hollyfield Road, Surbiton KT5 9AL
- Please register your attendance via
<https://surveys.achievingforchildren.org.uk/s/RBKSENDConsultationEvents>
or call 020 8547 6947 leaving your name, contact number and date you wish to attend

In addition, we'll be working with schools, colleges and other education providers to consult with children and young people.

The consultation will run to Sunday 20 January 2019.

