

# INCLUSION & SEND

Southwark Education Learning and Achievement



## SENCO TOP TIP

### Waiting for a student dyslexia assessment?

Here are some things you can do in the meantime:

Organise for a member of staff to attend an accredited dyslexia course to carry out in school screeners.

Contact the SEND hub to find out if there are any assessors in neighbouring schools and how much they charge.

Use the following online resources to start putting support in place.



[www.southwarklocaloffer.gov.uk/sela](http://www.southwarklocaloffer.gov.uk/sela)

## SEND & INCLUSION CONSULTANTS

How we can support:

**CPD and training:** For teachers and support staff.

**Planning and provision:** support the development of curriculums and provision maps.

**Data:** Advice and support in gathering, tracking and interpreting SEND data

**Community:** Facilitating the sharing of good practice across the borough.

## UPCOMING TRAINING

### Child mental health champion

Place 2 Be are offering a CPD certified child mental health course for FREE for anyone working in UK schools.

**When: multiple start dates**

**Where: Online**

[Register](#)

### Dyslexia checklists

indicates likelihood of dyslexia

### Online screening tools

### Supporting your dyslexic learners

## FOCUS ON SEND STANDARDS

### Standard 1 - An inclusive setting: providing a positive and supportive environment for all

S1 Point 1 - Ensure all pupils have access to high quality teaching.

While being organised is important for all teachers, SENCOs have the added pressure of working to statutory deadlines, which can sometimes lead to losing track of what is happening in the classroom.

What can you do?

- Carry out classroom observations
- Communicate regularly with teaching and support staff
- Organise joint PPA time for teachers and support staff to ensure a collaborative approach to working with children and young people with SEND.



[Read more](#)

## NEWS FROM THE SEND HUB

At the last event we discussed:  
Utilising your EP time, Dyslexia screening,  
evidence and strategies and medical needs  
- training and support.

### **Next event - 6th July, 4pm-6pm**

Aspiring SENCO? There is still time to apply  
for the National SENCO award 2023/2024  
cohort.

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