

SEND provision at The Axholme Academy

At the Axholme Academy we believe in inclusive education for all students enabling every individual to go beyond expectations. We aim for all our students to be ready and able to learn - including those with SEND.

Our SEND team consists of Miss Harrison- SENDCo, Miss Leigh- Deputy SENDCo and a team of experienced teaching assistants who support our SEND students to achieve their full potential. Every student receives quality first teaching with individualised intervention programmes enabling our SEND students to be successful in all areas of learning and make academic progress.

When a student is identified as having specific needs that require additional support, our SEND team will work closely with both our RTL (Ready to Learn) and ATL (Able to Learn) team in school, as well outside agencies to ensure students have the support they need. Parental involvement is a priority and we value regular communication with parents.

A student with special needs will be placed on the Special Educational Needs register and a Pen Portrait produced. The extra help a student receives will vary according to need. This ranges from extra help in the classroom from a teacher or assistant teacher to a formal assessment. If further help is needed, the Academy's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Coordinator (SENDCo) may ask for advice from other relevant agencies including the Educational Psychology Service, Learning Support and Inclusion service. At all stages we consult fully with parents. Our academy SENDCo, Miss Harrison or Deputy SENDCo Miss Leigh is always pleased to talk to parents if they have any questions..