

Glossary of Common Acronyms and Abbreviations used in relation to Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND)

Acronym	Meaning
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
AET	Autism Education Trust
AOB	Any Other Business
AR	Annual Review
AS	Asperger Syndrome
ASC	Adult Social Care
ASC	Autism Spectrum Condition
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
BAAB	Bromley All-Age Autism Board
BAAP	Bromley All-Age Partnership
BAS	British Ability Scales
BASE	British Association for Supported Internship
BCP	Bromley Children's Project
BCFF	Bromley Children and Families Forum
BDSSG	Bromley Down Syndrome Support Group
BESD	Behavioural, Emotional and/or Social Difficulties
BEM	Bromley Education Matters (Website)
BHC	Bromley Healthcare
BPCF	Bromley Parent Carer forum
BPESS	Bromley Parent Engagement Service
C&F Act	Children and Families Act
CAF	Common Assessment Framework
CAMHS	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service
CASPA	Community Autistic Support, Pride & Advocacy
CFC	Children and Family Centre
CHC	Continuing Healthcare
CIN	Child In Need
CLA	Child Looked After
CIr	Counsellor
CoP	Code of Practice
CP	Child Protection

CPD	Continuing Personal Development
CPM	Costed Provision Map
CYP	Children and Young People
DCO	Designated Clinical Officer
DD	Disability Discrimination
DDA	Disability Discrimination Act
DfE	The Department for Education
DoH	The Department of Health
DCO	Designated Clinical Officer (for SEND)
DP	Direct Payments
DS	Down Syndrome
DSCO	Designated Social Care Officer (for SEND)
EAL	English as an Additional Language
EBSA	Emotionally Based School Avoidance
ECT	Early Career Teacher
EHC	Education, Health and Care
EHCNA	Education, Health and Care Needs Assessment
EHCP	Education Health and Care Plan
EHE	Elective Home Education
EP	Educational Psychologist
EPS	Educational Psychology Service
EWO	Education Welfare Officer
EYFS	Early Years Foundation Stage
EYIT	Early Years Intervention Team
EYSENAT	Early Years Special Education Needs Advisory Team
FAS	Foetal Alcohol Syndrome
FE	Further Education
FIP	Funded Inclusion Plan
FIS	Family Information Service
FSM	Free School Meals
GAF	Graduated Approach Framework
GDD	Global Developmental Delay
GLD	Global Learning Delay
GP	General Practitioner (Doctor)
HAF	Holiday Activities and Food Programme
HE	Higher Education
HI	Hearing Impairment
HLTA	Higher Level Teaching Assistant
HV	Health Visitor
IASS	Independent Advice and Support Service

ICB	Integrated Commissioning Board
ICS	Integrated Commissioning Service
ISAT	Inclusion Support Advisory Team
ITT's	Initial Teacher Trainees
KCH	Kings College Hospital (NHS Trust)
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
KS	Key Stage
LA	Local Authority
LAC	Looked After Child
LBB	London Borough Of Bromley
LD	Learning Disability
LDA	Learning Disability and Autism
LDD	Learning Difficulty or Disability
LDPB	Learning Disability Partnership Board
LEA	Local Educational Authority
LeDeR	Learning Disability Mortality Review
LO	Local Offer
LODO	Local Offer Development Officer
LSA	Learning Support Assistant
LSEC	London Southeast Colleges
MAT	Multi Academic Trust
MDT	Multi-Disciplinary Team
MH&W	Mental Health and Wellbeing
MLD	Moderate Learning Difficulties
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
NAP	Needs Assessment Panel
NDTI	National Development Team for Inclusion
NHS	National Health Service
NNPCF	National Network of Parent Carer Forums
OCD	Obsessive Compulsive Disorder
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder
OT	Occupational Therapy / Occupational Therapist
OXLEAS	Oxleas (NHS Trust)
PB	Personal Budget
PCHR	Personal Child Health Record
PCP	Person Centred Planning
PD	Physical Disability
PDA	Pathological Demand Avoidance
PFA	Preparing for Adulthood
PMLD	Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulties

PP	Pupil Premium
PRU	Pupil Referral Unit
PRUH	Princess Royal University Hospital
SALT	Speech and Language Therapy
SB	Short Breaks
SC	Social Care
SCD	Social Communication Difficulties
SELICB	South East London Integrated Care Board
SEN	Special educational needs
SENCO	Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator
SEND	Special educational needs and / or disability
SENDAT	Special Educational Needs Advisory Team
SENDIST	Special Educational Needs and Disability Tribunal
SI	Sensory Impairment
SI	Supported Internship
SLCN	Speech Language and Communication Needs
SLD	Severe Learning Difficulties
SLT	Speech and Language Therapy / Therapist
SpLD	Specific Learning Difficulties
SPD	Sensory Processing Disorder
SSSHI	Sensory Support Service Hearing Impairment.
SSW	Senior Social Worker
SW	Social Worker
TA	Teaching Assistant
TAC	Team Around the Child
TAF	Team Around the Family
ToR	Terms of Reference
TR	Transition Review
VI	Visual Impairment (loss of sight)
WeX	Work Experience
YP	Young People / Young Person
YVHSC	Your Voice in Health and Social Care