

North Lincolnshire's

SEND

(Special Educational Needs and Disability)

Local Offer



Information about North Lincolnshire's Local Offer



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How do I get involved?

If you are a parent or carer and wish to know what your child's school is offering please contact the SENCo. Schools are required to publish their SEND Information Report (The School's Local Offer) on their websites.

If you are a school, provider or practitioner, you can help your organisation to prepare information to be included on the Local Offer website and involve your service users too.

If you are a child or young person, you can also get involved by helping your school or college and other people who work with you to understand what you want to know about services and how best to tell you about what is available.

Who can help?

To find out more about the Local Offer you can contact the SEND Team who will welcome your input by email on: special.needssection@northlincs.gov.uk, telephone 01724 297148 or by visiting our Local Offer website on: www.northlincslocaloffer.com

You can also find out more information on the Local Offer from Independent Supporters.

Please contact either provider directly to speak to their Independent Supporter.

Action for Children Kaleidoscope

Dunstall Street
Scunthorpe
DN15 6JZ
Telephone 01724 277766
Email: nek@actionforchildren.org.uk

SENDIASS (Parent Partnership)

Hewson House
Station Road
Brigg DN20 8X
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Email: sendiass@northlincs.gov.uk



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What is the SEND Local Offer?

The Local Offer is published as part of the SEND reforms under the Children and Families Act 2014.

The Local Offer will:

- Give information about education, health and care services in North Lincolnshire
- Provide information about leisure activities and support groups
- Hold the information in one place
- Be clear, comprehensive and accessible
- Make service provision more responsive to local needs and aspirations
- Be co-produced with families and providers

Who is it for?

The Local Offer is for:

- Children and young people with special educational needs and / or disabilities (SEND) from 0-25 years
- Their parents and carers
- Practitioners and professionals

How will it help me?

The Local Offer will:

- Make it easier to find out what you need to know
- Help you be less dependent on other people or word of mouth
- Help you find the nearest and most suitable services
- Help you ask the right questions

What makes the Local Offer different?

The Local Offer should:

- Not just be a directory or list of services
- Help you identify suitable support
- Help inform decisions about resources needed
- Give transparent information about decision making, access and eligibility for services

North Lincolnshire Local Offer website

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The screenshot shows the homepage of the North Lincolnshire Local Offer website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the North Lincolnshire logo and a search bar. Below the navigation bar, there are several sections: 'What are Special Educational Needs and Disability?', 'What is the Children and Families Act 2014?', 'What is the SEND Local Offer?', 'What is Early Help?', 'What is an Education, Health and Care Assessment?', and 'When can I find Independent Help and Support?'. A central section titled 'Welcome to the SEND Local Offer - North Lincolnshire' provides a brief overview of the service. Below this, there are four main categories: 'Early Years' (0-5 year olds), 'Primary' (5-11 year olds), 'Secondary' (11-16 year olds), and 'Young Adults' (16-25 year olds). Each category has a corresponding image and a link to 'Information, Consultations and Events'. At the bottom, there is a section titled 'How would you rate this site?' with a rating scale from 'Very Good' to 'Very Poor'.