

# Chadsmead Primary Academy

## EHCNA / EHCP Pathway

Staff together with parents agree that the child meets the **Code of Practice Criteria** for SEND and is on the school's SEND register.

The pupil is already supported through the schools Graduated Approach / SEND systems and procedures with termly Assess, Plan, Do, Review cycles of their **Individual Plan for Support**.

A **Graduated Response** has taken place over time, support pathways have been amended and changed to meet the developing need of the pupil but no progress is being made and school is finding it challenging to meet need.

**External professionals** have observed and undertaken assessments relating to the pupil's needs and school have put in place reasonable adjustments where possible from the recommendations made.

School have referred the pupil to the **Lichfield and Burntwood SEND and Inclusion Hub ~ ONE FORM Completion by SENCO ~** to gain any additional advice and support ideas from other SENCOs across the district

School have put in place recommendations made from the SEND and Inclusion Hub and reported back to the SEND and Inclusion Hub any changes that have occurred so that further advice can be obtained.

SEND and Inclusion Hub SENCOs agree, an escalation to the **SEND and Inclusion Local Management Group** with a view to request Enhanced Assess Plan Do Review support (EAPDR)

An **EAPDR pathway** is agreed by the Local Management Group or further support has been recommended through Staffordshire Enhanced District Inclusion Support (SEDIS) as an alternative support pathway.

**(EAPDR support can only be accessed if the EHCNA process is not underway, otherwise the legal process of EHCNA / EHCP assessment will run separately from the SEND and Inclusion Hub.**

**Children and Families Act, Part 3, Section 36(8) - Parents are entitled by law to apply directly to Staffordshire County Council for an Education Health Care Assessment if: a) the child or young person has or may have special educational needs, and (b) it may be necessary for special educational provision to be made for the child or young person in accordance with an EHC plan.**

Direct applications for EHCNA can be made by parents  
[https://www.staffordshireconnects.info/kb5/staffordshire/directory/advice.page?id=H2NHUGE\\_yzY](https://www.staffordshireconnects.info/kb5/staffordshire/directory/advice.page?id=H2NHUGE_yzY)

Any queries at any time, please contact Mrs Cadman (SENCO)