

## WHAT ELSE SHOULD I KNOW?

### Is this a way of getting children considered for a place in special school?

Definitely not. The OUTREACH service is intended to support children in mainstream schools. The aim is for more children to remain in mainstream schools receiving the education they need to overcome their difficulties. The OUTREACH service encourages schools to develop an inclusive approach to learning.

### How do I make a referral?

Complete a Greenside OUTREACH Referral Form. These can be obtained from the school office or found under OUTREACH SERVICES on our website [www.greenside.herts.sch.uk](http://www.greenside.herts.sch.uk)

### What will happen next?

Upon receipt of the referral form we will contact you to discuss what you need and identify which type of OUTREACH response is most appropriate. Your visit may be from a teacher or assistant from Greenside School or from Woolgrove School.

### What does the OUTREACH service expect from me?

Effective communication is the key to a positive outcome for all. Therefore teachers need to be given time to meet with the OUTREACH provider and commit to the strategies which are agreed. To continue to improve the service we value evaluation and feedback from our OUTREACH users.

**For further information, or to make a referral, please telephone the school office on:**

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# GREENSIDE OUTREACH

**Delivered in partnership with  
Woolgrove School  
for Primary Schools in DSPL2**



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## ***INTRODUCING THE GREENSIDE OUTREACH SERVICE***

The Greenside OUTREACH service is funded by The Local Authority in line with their service level agreement. The service is delivered to mainstream Primary for pupils in Reception and at Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 within DSPL 2 (Stevenage and the surrounding area).

Our OUTREACH is delivered in partnership with Woolgrove School. It is delivered by serving practitioners who have worked in both mainstream and special schools.

Greenside is an all age special school for learners with severe or profound learning difficulties and Woolgrove is an academy for primary aged children who have learning difficulties.

Both schools have extensive experience and expertise in working with children and adults with Autistic Spectrum Conditions and are accredited by the National Autistic Society for their work with autistic learners. Greenside and Woolgrove have experience in supporting teachers and assistants in mainstream schools.

Together we offer 4 main types of support for mainstream schools:

- 1. Pupil focused support**
- 2. School focused support**
- 3. In-reach**
- 4. Specialist training**

## **PUPIL FOCUSED SUPPORT**

- Creating, and supporting staff to create, resources to support learning
- Strategies to assist with inclusion
- Advice on differentiation and curriculum development
- Assist in accurate assessment against the P-scales and appropriate target setting
- Demonstration of equipment and resources
- Facilitate discussion with parents and other professionals
- Share ideas
- Support in developing effective behaviour management strategies
- Support in transition procedures

## **SCHOOL FOCUSED SUPPORT**

- We offer whole school training in aspects such as sign language, P- scales, differentiation within the curriculum, challenging behaviour, support for communication, early communication and sensory impairment

## **IN-REACH**

- Visits to Greenside or Woolgrove schools to observe practice
- Visits to Greenside or Woolgrove to see and make or try resources

## **SPECIALIST TRAINING**

- Teachers from Greenside and/or Woolgrove will deliver a range of training events as well as hosting events provided by specialist speakers