Behavioural, Emotional and Social Development: Behavioural, Social and Emotional Needs

Range 1 (Quality First Teaching and arrangements within classroom setting)

Assessment

- Part of normal school and class assessments. SENCO and other trained staff may be involved in more specific assessment and observations.
- Pupil self assessment methods used.
- Records kept to include observations assessment of context, structured, unstructured times, frequency, triggers,
- Risk assessments of difficult times of the school day
- Progress should be a measured change in their behaviour and learning following each review cycle
- Recognition of learning styles and motivational levers

Planning

- Individualised programme of support related to assessments implemented.
- Parents involved regularly and support targets at home
- Pupils involved in setting and monitoring their targets

Grouping for Teaching

- Mainstream class with attention paid to organisation and pupil groupings
- · Opportunities for small group work based on identified need
- Time limited mainstream classroom programme of support, which relates to assessments
- Small group work to learn appropriate behaviours and for associated learning difficulties
- Individual programme based on specific need
- A quiet area in the classroom may be useful for individual work

Human Resources/Staffing

- Main provision by class/subject teacher staff and resources usually available in the classroom.
- Support/advice from SENCo with assessment and planning
- Additional adults routinely used to support flexible groupings, differentiation and some 1:1
- Close liaison and common approach with parents/carers

Curriculum & Teaching Methods

- In class differentiation of the curriculum and supporting materials enabling full access to the curriculum
- Strategies developed shared with school staff, parent/carer
- Increased differentiation by presentation and/or outcome
- Simplify level, pace, amount of teacher talk/ instructions
- Increased emphasis on identifying and teaching to preferred learning style
- Opportunities for skill reinforcement/revision/transfer and generalisation

Range 2 (Additional support from outside agencies increased level of support)

Assessment

- As range 1 plus More detailed and targeted observation
- Assessment related to intervention strategy
- Pupil self assessment extended to inform IEP/IBP
- More detailed recording, monitoring of frequency, intensity
- Determine engagement of necessary education/ non-education support services possibly leading to CAF

Planning

- Curriculum plan reflects levels of achievement and includes individually focused IEP targets e.g. specific behaviour targets related to assessment: consideration of adapted timetable
- Additional steps taken to engage pupil and parents as appropriate
- Identifying non educational input
- Requires effective communication systems enabling all involved to provide consistent support
- CAF processes determine holistic support plan

Grouping for Teaching

- In addition to the provision at range 1 identified daily support to teach social skills/dealing with emotions to support the behaviour learning targets
- Mainstream class with regular targeted small group support
- Time-limited programmes of small group work based on identified need
- Ongoing opportunities for 1:1 support focused on specific IEP targets

Human Resources/Staffing

- Main provision by class/subject teacher with advice and support from SENCO and/or NPSLBA lead as appropriate
- Additional adult, under the direction of teacher, provides sustained targeted support on an individual/group basis
- May include withdrawal
- Additional daily support provided within school to support learning and behaviour
- Increased parental/carer involvement and multi-agency support services to plan and regularly review IEPs PSP
- Encouragement and inclusion in an extracurricular activities.

Curriculum &Teaching Methods

- Modify level/pace/amount of teacher talk to pupils' identified need.
- Individual targets within group programmes and/or 1:1
- Teaching approaches should take account of the difficulties in the understanding of social rules and expectations within the classroom
- Emphasis on increasing differentiation of activities and materials and take account of individual learning styles
- Short term individual support focusing on listening, concentration, social skills, solution focused approaches
- Regular small group work with an increasing emphasis on relationships, emotions, social skills, conflict resolution

Range 3 (Higher level of support in school and additional support from outside agencies)

Assessment

- As Range 2 plus more systematic application of assessment tools
- Involvement of education and non-education professionals as appropriate through CAF processes

Planning

- Behaviour and curriculum plan closely tracks levels of achievement and all IEP targets are individualised, short term and specific
- More frequent involvement of parent/carer to engage pupil.
- · Access to additional resources are accurately accounted for
- Prevention placement managed through joint school/PRU support programme
- Prevention placements co-ordinated by Secondary Panel
- CAF Multi-agency planning processes specifies contribution of individual services and lead practitioner. Inter-agency communication established and maintained

Grouping for Teaching

- Mainstream class, predominantly working on modified curriculum tasks
- Frequent opportunities for small group work based on identified need
- Daily opportunities for 1:1 support

Human Resources/Staffing

- Main provision by class/subject teacher with support from SENCO and advice from education and non-education professional as appropriate
- Daily access to staff in school with experience of SEBD
- Additional adult, under the direction of the teacher, supports pupil working on modified curriculum tasks
- Increased access to a combination of individual, small group and whole class activities

Curriculum &Teaching Methods

- Teaching focuses on both curriculum and SEBD outcomes throughout the school day
- Tasks and presentation personalised to pupil's needs.
- Individualised level/pace/ amount of teacher talk.
- Learning style determines teaching methods
- 1:1 teaching for the introduction of new concepts and the reinforcement of classroom routines and expectations
- Small steps targets within group programmes and/or 1:1 work tasks
- Targets are monitored with the pupil daily targets
- Accessing mainstream lessons for most of the time with complimentary access to LSU or other internal support arrangements