

Dear Professionals,

In this communication, please find the following training and support with the booking/information links. Please find more information on each session, in this PDF document.

TOPIC	<u>BOOKING/INFORMATION LINK</u>
SENCo Cluster meetings for Autumn 2023 Term	<a href="http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com">www.dspl8.eventbrite.com</a>
Woodfield Outreach Training: Autumn 2023 Term	<a href="http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com">www.dspl8.eventbrite.com</a>
Exclusions guidance and advice in relation for young people with autism	<a href="https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/exclusions">https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/exclusions</a>
Hertfordshire CYPMHS System Newsletter	<a href="https://herts-camhs.tfemagazine.co.uk/julyaugust-2023">https://herts-camhs.tfemagazine.co.uk/julyaugust-2023</a>
'Introduction to the SEND Local Offer website' – webinar	<a href="http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer">www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer</a>  See meeting links on page 3.
New and updated edition of Hertfordshire SEND Toolkit (5th Edition)	<a href="https://www.hertsforlearning.co.uk/resources/send-toolkit-fifth-edition">https://www.hertsforlearning.co.uk/resources/send-toolkit-fifth-edition</a>
The Education Hub	<a href="https://padlet.com/katiesouthall/the-new-duty-csw-6f59bw6qf3cm2zt">https://padlet.com/katiesouthall/the-new-duty-csw-6f59bw6qf3cm2zt</a>  <a href="mailto:Education.Hub@hertfordshire.gov.uk">Education.Hub@hertfordshire.gov.uk</a>
DSPL8 Professionals Training Offer: Autumn 2023	See pages 6-7  <a href="https://dspl8.eventbrite.co.uk/">https://dspl8.eventbrite.co.uk/</a>
Local High Needs Funding Panel dates 2023-24	See page 8 for the 2023-24 LHNF panel dates

The DSPL8 Professionals communication can also be downloaded from our website via the following link: <http://www.dacorumdspl.org.uk/online-resources-for-professionals-2/>

Kind Regards,

DSPL 8 Team – Carole Hassell, Ruth Mason & Ashley Fabray



### SENCo Cluster meetings for Autumn 2023 Term

Please remember to register your attendance for the SENCo Network Clusters meetings, which we are excited to welcome you all back with the opportunity to network with each other. Please find the dates, times and locations below and register your place via [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

SENCo Cluster Network: <u>Hemel Hempstead 1</u>	26/09/2023	13:00-14:30	Gade Community Room, Chaulden Junior School
SENCo Cluster Network: <u>Hemel Hempstead 2</u>	05/10/2023	09:15-10:45	Hobbs Hill Wood School
SENCo Cluster Network: <u>Berkhamsted</u>	27/09/2023	13:00-14:30	Thomas Coram CE School
SENCo Cluster Network: <u>Tring</u>	04/10/2023	13:00-14:30	Tring School
SENCo Cluster Network: <u>Secondary</u>	17/10/2023	09:15-10:45	Kings Langley School

### Woodfield Outreach Training: Autumn 2023 Term

Book Woodfield outreach training via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

Download the full Woodfield Outreach Training offer via: <https://dacorumdspl.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/Woodfield-Outreach-2023-2024.pdf>



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Woodfield Outreach Professionals Training 2023/2024  
Booking link – [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

	Dates	Time	Location
<b>Autumn Term 2023</b>			
Introduction to Supporting Children and Young People with Additional Needs	Wednesday 11th October 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Great Skills for Teaching and Learning Assistants	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Supporting Anxious Children and Young People	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Using Visual Supports	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Positive Behaviour Support for TA's	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Supporting Independent Learning (for primary pupils with SEND)	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2023	1.30 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Understanding and Using the Zones of Regulation Part 1	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	2.00 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL
Understanding and Using the Zones of Regulation Part 2	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December 2023	2.00 – 3.30 pm	Woodfield School HP3 8RL



## Exclusions guidance and advice in relation for young people with autism

Autism Education Trust has with the DfE written guidance and advice in relation to exclusions for young people with autism. This includes advice on reintegration, advice sheets for parents and advice for governing bodies in relation to exclusions. <https://www.autismeducationtrust.org.uk/exclusions>

## Hertfordshire CYPMHS System Newsletter

View the full newsletter via: <https://herts-camhs.tfemagazine.co.uk/julyaugust-2023>

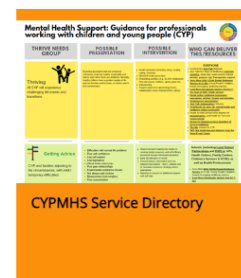
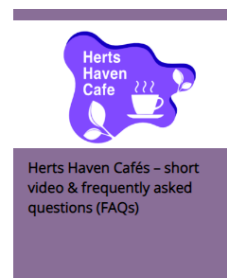
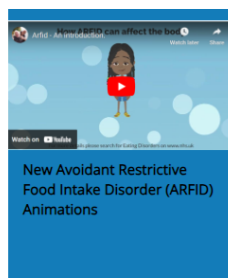


### Hertfordshire CYPMHS system newsletter

Bringing mental health and emotional wellbeing news and information to professionals working with Hertfordshire's children, young people and their parents and carers.



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EVENTS and TRAINING SUBSCRIBE



Welcome to the July/August edition of Hertfordshire's CYPMHS newsletter, for professionals working with the county's children and young people. Find out how to pin the latest CYPMHS newsletter to the home screen of your mobile device, so you can quickly access all the latest news and updates in the [Understanding CYPMHS section here](#).

## 'Introduction to the SEND Local Offer website' – webinar

The Local Offer website lets parents, young people and professionals know what special educational needs and disabilities services are available in Hertfordshire, and who can access them. There is so much more than that, too.

A friendly face from the Local Offer team will take you through what's on the website and how you can use it to find the right services and support.

[www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer)

(For professionals) Tuesday 26 September at 2pm - [Click here to join the meeting](#)

(For professionals) Thursday 28 September at 11am - [Click here to join the meeting](#)

(For professionals AND parent carers) Thursday 28 September at 8pm - [Click here to join the meeting](#)

*A quick note: The Local Offer website is different to Short Breaks (SBLO). We won't be going into detail about SBLO.*



New and updated edition of Hertfordshire SEND Toolkit (5th Edition)

Highlights include:

- updated SEND context poster reflecting the latest English and Hertfordshire data.
- new information from health services including integrated therapies service with a fantastic poster full of links to useful resources.
- new universal/universal+ tools and training for adapting the English and maths curriculum for learning with SEND.
- updated information from the Virtual School and Mental Health services
- links to all the essential local authority SEND tools and templates.

This refreshed resource continues to support professionals to deliver great provision for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

Schools can download a copy at no charge from here:

<https://www.hertsforlearning.co.uk/resources/send-toolkit-fifth-edition>



### The Education Hub

For further information and guidance, to help you support children in your setting that are known to a Social Worker, please also find the link for our New Duty padlet here: [The New Duty: CWSW \(padlet.com\)](https://www.padlet.com/)



## THE EDUCATION HUB

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with a social worker*



### **SUPPORTING CONCERNS AROUND:**

**Education & Attainment**

**Attendance**

**Transition**

**Wellbeing**

**SEND & EHCPs**

**Developmental difficulties**

**Communication needs**

An information and advice service for Social Care  
and Education colleagues for pupils known to  
Children's Services on CP/CiN plans.

**Contact us:**

**[education.hub@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:education.hub@hertfordshire.gov.uk)**





## Autumn Term DSPL8 Professionals Training

The Autumn term training events are now open on Eventbrite for booking via:

<https://dspl8.eventbrite.co.uk/>

The full 2023-24 Training offer is available for downloading via: <https://dacorumspl.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/DSPL8-Professionals-Training-Offer-2023-24.pdf>

(Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite)

## DSPL8 Professionals Training Offer 2023-24

Please find below the training available to DSPL8 Professionals for 2023-24.  
Dates for Autumn, Spring & Summer Term are available overleaf.

### Autism Lead Network Meeting

Autism Lead Forums are sessions for those with autism lead responsibility to hear the latest developments and practice for autistic young people. There is also an opportunity for networking and sharing good practice between schools.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### Primary School Mental Health and Wellbeing (pastoral) Leads network

Mental Health Lead Forums are sessions for those with mental health lead/deputy responsibility to hear latest developments, training and support for those working to improve and support well-being in schools for adults and young people.

\*You do not need to book on Eventbrite, as a Microsoft teams link will follow from Public Health.

### Secondary Emotional Wellbeing & Behaviour Forum (pastoral) Leads network

The Emotional Wellbeing & Behaviour Forum provides an opportunity for Secondary Pastoral Leads to hear the latest initiatives and developments. Whilst providing an opportunity for networking and sharing of good practice.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### HFL Education DSPL8 SEND Briefing

SEND Briefings are designed for all SENCO's to ensure you are up to date with local and national SEND practice. With an hour for a specialist presentation on a SEND related topic and two hours for HFL Education presentation on local/national updates. Slides of presentations are available after the event to those that have attended/registered and we also ensure there is time for networking and catch up over coffee and biscuits.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### SENCo Network Cluster Meetings

SENCo network meetings are an opportunity for SENCO's to share good practice ideas, problem solve together and spend some time with others. From time to time speakers can be arranged and there is an opportunity for issues raised to be highlighted within the DSPL in order to highlight need or seek resolution to common challenges.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### Early Years Leads & SENCo Meetings

Early Years Leads & SENCo meetings are opportunity for Early Year Leads with their school SENCO to explore good practice in early years for SEN children. Update on local early years support and processes. Chance to network with local schools and share challenges.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### Early Years Transition Event

Early Years transition event is a face to face event to enable communications between PVI's, Nurseries and Reception Schools in Dacorum for children moving settings in nursery and reception. Dacorum Family Centres, ISL & Early Years Advisory Teachers will be in attendance at this event.

Bookings will be opened in the Spring Term on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

### V-SEND Training

V-SEND Training sessions are new updated training looking at how V-SEND can be used to document your APDR cycle, how it can support in identifying provision to meet children's needs but will still also include a basic introduction of how to log on and use the system.

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](http://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)



Autumn Term DSPL8 Professionals Training

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**DSPL8 Professionals Training Offer 2023-24**

Please find below the dates and times for training available to DSPL8 Professionals.

Autumn 2023 Term

Autism Lead Network meeting	07/11/2023	13:00-14:30	Online
Early Years & Primary School Mental Health and Wellbeing (pastoral) Leads network	08/11/2023	13:30-15:00	Online (Microsoft teams link will be sent from Public Health)
Secondary Emotional Wellbeing & Behaviour Forum (pastoral) Leads network	12/10/2023	15:30-17:00	The Haven, DESC
HfL Education SEND Briefing	29/11/2023	09:00-13:00	Online: Book via Eventbrite & HfL Education will email the remote links
SENCo Cluster Network: Hemel Hempstead 1	26/09/2023	13:00-14:30	Gade Community Room, Chaulden Junior School
SENCo Cluster Network: Hemel Hempstead 2	05/10/2023	09:15-10:45	Hobbs Hill Wood School
SENCo Cluster Network: Berkhamsted	27/09/2023	13:00-14:30	Thomas Coram CE School
SENCo Cluster Network: Tring	04/10/2023	13:00-14:30	Tring School
SENCo Cluster Network: Secondary	17/10/2023	09:15-10:45	Kings Langley School
EYFS Leads & SENCo Meetings	19/10/2023	15:45-17:00	Heath Lane Nursery School
V-SEND Training	13/09/2023 08/11/2023	10:00-12:00 14:00-16:00	Hobbs Hill Wood School The Haven, DESC
Woodfield Outreach Training:			
Introduction to Supporting Children & Young People with Additional Needs	11/10/2023	13:30-15:30	Venue for all Outreach Training:
Great Skills for Teaching and Learning Assistants	18/10/2023	13:30-15:30	
Supporting Anxious Children and Young People	01/11/2023	13:30-15:30	
Using Visual Supports	08/11/2023	13:30-15:30	
Positive Behaviour Support for TA's	15/11/2023	13:30-15:30	
Supporting Independent Learning (for primary pupils with SEND)	22/11/2023	13:30-15:30	
Understanding and Using the Zones of Regulation: Part 1	29/11/2023	14:00-15:00	
Part 2	06/12/2023	14:00-15:00	

Bookings will be opened termly on Eventbrite. Book via: [www.dspl8.eventbrite.com](https://www.dspl8.eventbrite.com)

Website - [www.dacorumspl.org.uk](http://www.dacorumspl.org.uk)  
Facebook - [www.facebook.com/dspldacorum](https://www.facebook.com/dspldacorum)

Email - [dspl@kls.herts.sch.uk](mailto:dspl@kls.herts.sch.uk)  
Instagram - [https://www.instagram.com/dspl\\_dacorum/](https://www.instagram.com/dspl_dacorum/)



### Local High Needs Funding Panel dates 2023-24

The dates below are for the LHNF panel dates for 2023-24 and application submission dates:

Day	Date	Time	Papers due
Wednesday	20/09/2023	10:00	06/09/2023
Wednesday	18/10/2023	10:00	04/10/2023
Tuesday	21/11/2023	10:00	07/11/2023
Thursday	18/01/2024	10:00	04/01/2024
Wednesday	14/02/2024	10:00	31/01/2024
Thursday	21/03/2024	10:00	07/03/2024
Thursday	09/05/2024	10:00	25/04/2024
Wednesday	12/06/2024	10:00	22/05/2024
Tuesday	02/07/2024	10:00	18/06/2024

Please email password protected application forms to [dspl8lhnfpanel@kls.herts.sch.uk](mailto:dspl8lhnfpanel@kls.herts.sch.uk)

### Educational Psychology Services Schools Phone Lines

Educational  
Psychology  
Service



## Phoneline

A 'quick queries' service for schools and settings

Please call if you would like to speak directly to an Educational Psychologist to discuss meeting the needs of children and young people or related whole school issues.

In the Spring term 2023 the school/setting Phoneline will be available on the following dates:

Date	Time	Area
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup> January	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup> January	2 – 4pm	East 07815 015980
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> January	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043
Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> January	2 – 4pm	East 07815 015980
Thurs 9 <sup>th</sup> February	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> February	2 – 4pm	East 07815 015980
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> March	2 – 4pm	East 07815 015980
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup> March	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> March	2 – 4pm	East 07815 015980
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup> March	2 – 4pm	West 01442 453043

You may wish to call the line in the area of your school/setting, but can use either. More dates will be released at the end of the Spring Term

Visit [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/localoffer) for services for children/ young people with SEND  
Find us on twitter @HertsEPS



Website: [www.dacorumdspl.org.uk](http://www.dacorumdspl.org.uk)



Email: [dspl@kls.herts.sch.uk](mailto:dspl@kls.herts.sch.uk)



Eventbrite: <https://dspl8.eventbrite.co.uk/>



Facebook: [www.facebook.com/dspldacorum](https://www.facebook.com/dspldacorum)



Instagram: [https://www.instagram.com/dspl\\_dacorum/](https://www.instagram.com/dspl_dacorum/)



## ISL SEND Duty and SEND Advice Lines

### Statutory SEND Contacts

**SEND Resolution team contact email;** [SENDResolutions@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:SENDResolutions@hertfordshire.gov.uk) (all emails will be auto-forward)

**Assessment and custom care** [ehcneedsassessment@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:ehcneedsassessment@hertfordshire.gov.uk)

**Review provision, outcomes and placement:**

East Hertfordshire: [annualrevieweast@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:annualrevieweast@hertfordshire.gov.uk)

West Hertfordshire: [annualreviewswest@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:annualreviewswest@hertfordshire.gov.uk)

**General EHCP queries:** [ehcp@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:ehcp@hertfordshire.gov.uk)

**All Teams can be contact on: 01442 453300**

**9am – 5.30pm Monday - Thursday and 9am – 4.30pm Fridays**

### Ask SALI

Telephone: 01438 843 310 8:30am – 5pm from Monday to Friday.

SENCOs can also contact the team via email at [AskSALI@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:AskSALI@hertfordshire.gov.uk)

### Other ISL Contacts

What	When	How
ISL East Herts, Broxbourne, Welwyn and Hatfield	Monday – Friday: 9am – 5pm	<a href="mailto:EHBROX.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk">EHBROX.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk</a>
ISL North Herts and Stevenage	Monday – Friday: 9am – 5pm	<a href="mailto:NHSTEV.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk">NHSTEV.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk</a>
ISL Watford, Three Rivers and Hertsmere	Monday – Friday: 9am – 5pm	<a href="mailto:WAT3RIV.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk">WAT3RIV.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk</a>
ISL St Albans and Dacorum	Monday – Friday: 9am – 5pm	<a href="mailto:STADAC.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk">STADAC.ISLTEAM@hertfordshire.gov.uk</a>
Educational Psychology Service (parents only)	Wednesday: 2pm – 4.30pm	01992 588 574
East Attendance Duty Team (schools only)	Monday – Friday: 9.30am – 4pm	01992 555 261
West Attendance Duty Team (schools only)	Monday – Friday: 9.30am – 4pm	01442 454 778
<b>SEND Specialist Advice and Support Services (term time only)</b>		
Specific Learning Difficulties	Thursday: 9.30am – 12pm	01442 453 920
Speech, Language, Communication and Autism needs	Tuesday and Wednesday: 1.30pm – 4pm	01442 453 920
Early Years	Wednesday: 9.00am – 12pm Thursday: 1.30pm – 4pm	01442 453 920
Physical and Neurological Impairment	Monday: 1.30pm – 4pm	01442 453 920

