- ### Gifts and hospitality

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  The schools financial procedures provides maintained schools with guidance on a range of financial management processes that are set out as individual sections.The purpose of this guidance note is to advise shools on Ealing LA's policy on the...

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- ### Raising SEN support expectations

  Last updated: August 2023

  Leaders know the educational outcomes of schools in the local area particularly well. They carry out a detailed analysis and identify those schools where outcomes are not good enough. This includes pupils' progress in writing, which by the end of...

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- ### Roles and responsibilities

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  Principles for all professionals working with children and young people who have SENDAlongside the expectations of all teachers identified within the DFE teacher standards, the DFE also sets out the following principles that will be observed by all...

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- ### Quality first teaching

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  High quality teaching is the foundation for progress for all learners. It is believed that the difference between poor teaching and highly effective teaching equates to just under half a year's extra progress for most learners. The effects of...

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- ### Broad area of needs

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  Cognition and learningCommunication and interactionSocial, emotional and mental health (SEMH)Sensory and physical needsDescriptors of SEN support provision in the four broad areas of SEND (pdf)Cognition and learningDescription of what this...

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- ### Interventions and approaches

  Last updated: August 2023

  In this section the SENCo will find ideas, approaches and strategies to use when quality first teaching needs to be supplemented with something more to remove a barrier to learning or to ensure that progress towards agreed targets can be made by the...

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- ### Useful SEND web links

  Last updated: August 2023

  SEND DirectorySpecial school and alternative provision offer Special educational needs and disability code of practice: 0 to 25 years DfEEaling family directories SEN support: research evidence on effective approaches and examples of current...

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- ### Glossary of SEND terms

  Last updated: August 2023

  Here is a glossary of special education needs and disability (SEND) termsAbbreviationMeaningASD/ASCAutistic spectrum disorder - no longer used by some professional due to the connotations of disorder. Some professionals e.g. speech and language...

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- ### Flexi schooling

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  Information for headteachers to dissemnate to governors, parents and carers.There is no explicit guidance on flexi-schooling. The following information is taken from guidance papers where flexi-schooling is referenced. These include...

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ECIRS referral guide

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ECIRS acts as a single 'front door' for all enquiries and referrals into Ealing Children's Services from professionals and the public, where there are concerns about the welfare or safety of a child (pre-birth to aged 18 years)....

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