



Red Marsh School

learn care challenge share

Glossary of SEND Acronyms and abbreviations.

ADD	Attention deficit disorder
ADHD	Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder
ASD	Autistic spectrum disorder
BESD	Behavioural, emotional and social difficulties
CAF	Common assessment framework
CAMHS	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services
CIN	Child in Need
CoP	Code of Practice
CP	Child Protection
CYP	Children and young people
EAL	English as an additional language
EHCP	Education Health Care Plan
EP	Educational Psychologist
EYFS	Early years Foundation stage
FE	Further education Years 12,13,14 (16 - 19 year olds)
FSM	Free school meals
GLD	Global learning delay
HI	Hearing impaired
IEP	Individual education plan (at Thorndown we use PLP)
INSET	In service Education and Training
IT	Information Technology
KS	Key stage
KS1	Key stage 1 Years 1-2 (5 - 7 year olds)
KS2	Key stage 2 Years 3-6 (8 - 11 year olds)

KS3	Key stage 3 Years 7-9 (12 - 14 year olds)
KS4	Key stage 4 Years 10 - 11 (14 - 16 year olds)
LAC	Looked after children
LDD	Learning difficulties and disabilities
LO	Local offer
LSCB	Local safeguarding children board
MLD	Moderate learning difficulties
OT	Occupational Therapist
PEP	Personal education plan (for looked after children)
PMLD	Profound and multiple learning difficulties
PP	Pupil premium
PSHE	Personal, social and health education
SALT	Speech and language therapy
SEAL	Social and emotional aspect of learning
SEND	Special educational needs and disabilities
SENCo	Special educational needs coordinator
SLCN	Speech, language and communication needs
SLD	Severe learning difficulty
SLT	School leadership team
SpLD	Specific learning difficulty
SPDs	Sensory processing disorders
TA	Teaching assistant
TAC	Team around the child
TAF	Team around the family (when CAF is about while family)