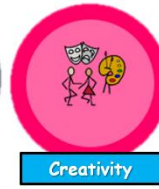
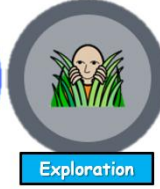


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Discovery Academy
transition and next steps
guide for parents and
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What you can expect from
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What you can do to support your child. 🔊



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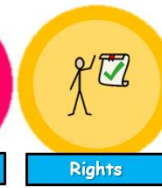
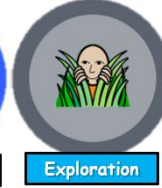
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Who can support and advise me with post 16 transitions in school? 

Mr. A Pleass - Careers Lead

Jenny Hallam - Nexus Multi Academy Trust Careers Advisor, in school once every 2 weeks during term time JHallam@nexusmat.org 07955 287635

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Learning pathways:

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<p>Pathway 1</p> <p>Your child needs a curriculum that is focused on academic study whilst continuing to meet your child's additional needs.</p>	<p>Qualifications:</p> <p>GCSEs</p> <p>BTECs</p>	<p>Next Steps to explore for Post 16:</p> <p>Becton School - Becton & Silverdale Post-16 Specialist Hub</p>
<p>Pathway 2</p> <p>Your child needs a curriculum that is focused on academic study, whilst also incorporating building skills for life and preparing your child for adulthood.</p>	<p>Qualifications:</p> <p>Functional Skills</p> <p>BTECs</p> <p>Entry Levels</p>	<p>Next Steps to explore for Post 16:</p> <p>Kenwood Academy</p> <p>The Sheffield College</p> <p>Nacro</p> <p>Rotherham College</p>
<p>Pathway 3</p> <p>Your child needs a curriculum that is focused on building skills for life and preparing your child for adulthood.</p>	<p>Qualifications:</p> <p>Entry Levels</p>	<p>Next Steps to explore for Post 16:</p> <p>Talbot Specialist School</p> <p>Bents Green</p> <p>Landmarks</p>

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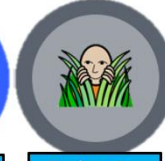
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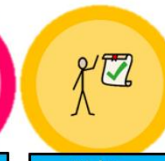
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Timeline for key transitions and planning: 

Year 10 - age 14/15

Year 11 - age 15/16

Parents/carers, members of the public and professionals can refer to the service by contacting Sheffield's Safeguarding Hub on 0114 273 4855.

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How can I find out what placements there are? 

Sheffield	LocalOffer Sheffield
Derbyshire	www.localoffer.derbyshire.gov.uk
Barnsley	Synergy - Enquiry
Rotherham	Rotherham SEND Local Offer – Here you will find help, advice and information about the services available for your child or young person from birth to 25 years with a Special Educational Need or Disability (SEND).

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What information can I gather before I visit a setting?



Visiting a post 16 provision:

Things to look for:

After the visit:

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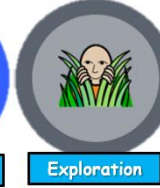
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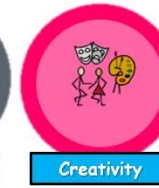
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Attendance and Achievement



Achieving Targets

- Did you know that children who are in school **97%** of the time achieve **all** their targets
- Did you know that children who are in school **95%** of the time achieve **88%** of their targets
- Did you know that children who are in school **90%** of their time achieve **76%** of their targets.

Discovery Attendance

We have looked at the progress our pupils made last year and their attendance. Here is what we found...

Attendance and Qualifications

Did you know specific Functional Skills, BTEC and GCSE content is taught from the end of year 9?

This means if your child has not been attending school they will not have the subject knowledge to meet the qualification testing requirement.

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What's the pattern?

The pattern here is that children who attend the most learn the most.

95% Attendance means...

95% attendance across the school year means your child has not been in school for 9 days!

Make the best start

Half the pupils who miss 2-4 days in September go on to miss nearly a month of school.

National Data

How does school attendance affect a child's learning? ✔ Present for their future

360 school days in a year
190 school days
170 school days

Missing 90% of school days means the child will miss 100% of their learning.

It is not possible to catch up on missed learning.

what would we expect?

We require your child to be in school 95% to 100% of the time to fully achieve and be the best that they can be

Let's Make School Unmissable together

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Sheffield based and neighbouring providers



Post 16 providers	websites	contacts
Sheffield College	Home The Sheffield College	0114 260 2600 info@sheffcol.ac.uk
Sheaf Training	Post 16 course information Lifelong Learning and Skills	0114 403 1007 sheafadmin@sheffield.gov.uk
Nacro	Nacro Education Sheffield Vocational Training Nacro	0114 2722319 studysheffield@nacro.org.uk
Sheffield United Community Foundation College	Sheffield United Community Foundation - Education and Employability	0114 253 7200 Sheffield United Community Foundation, Blades Business Hub John Street, Sheffield, S2 4QX enquiries@sufc-community.co.uk
Sheffield Wednesday Post 16 College	Post-16 Pathways — Sheffield Wednesday FC Community Programme	0114 324 0523 Hillsborough Stadium Sheffield, S6 1SW community@swfc.co.uk
Rotherham College	Rotherham College - RNN Group	01709 362111 Enquires@rnnngroup.ac.uk www.nnc.ac.uk

Post 16 providers	websites	contacts
Communication Specialist College Doncaster	Communication Specialist College Doncaster Doncaster Deaf Trust	01302 386700 enquiries@ddt-deaf.org.uk Leger Way, Doncaster, DN2 6AY
Landmarks Specialist College	info@landmarks.ac.uk There are sites across Sheffield and Rotherham	Landmarks Specialist College 01246 433788 info@landmarks.ac.uk
Offering various pathways; supported internships, vocational, day services		
Chesterfield College	Chesterfield College Group The STEPS Programme - Chesterfield College	Infirmery Road, Chesterfield, S41 7NG 01246 500500 advice@chesterfield.ac.uk

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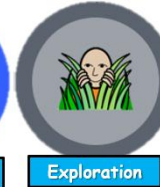
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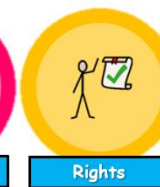
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Post 16 providers	websites	contacts
<p>Kenwood Academy Sixth Form Provision</p> <p>The Kenwood Academy offers full time education for young people with complex social, emotional and mental health needs. They must have a diagnosis or traits of Autism.</p>	<p>Kenwood Academy - Contact Us</p>	<p>kenwood@nexusmat.org</p> <p>0114 2582140 9 Moncrieffe Road Sheffield S7 1HQ</p>
<p>UTC Sheffield</p> <p>Offering A Levels and Technical and combined qualifications</p>	<p>KS5 Curriculum - UTC Sheffield City Centre</p>	<p>adminolp@utcsheffield.org.uk</p> <p>Sheffield City Centre</p> <p>111 Matilda Street, Sheffield, S1 4QF 0114 308 4500</p> <p>2 Old Hall Road, Sheffield, S9 3TU 0114 308 4000</p>

Post 16 providers	websites	contacts
<p>Learning Curve Group Hair, Beauty & Barbering</p>	<p>Learning Curve Group Hair, Beauty and Barbering</p>	<p>2Nd Floor, Orchard House, Leopold Street, Sheffield S1 2GY</p> <p>0114 275 0201</p> <p>training@learningcurvegroup.co.uk</p> <p>SEND@learningcurvegroup.co.uk</p>
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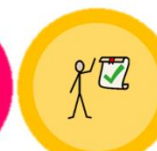
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Day Service providers

<p>The Adventure Service</p> <p>Adventure based day service, trail blazers and short breaks</p>	<p>Chesterfield – 01623 232102</p> <p>Joe Lancashire</p> <p>joe.lancashire@sufc-community.co.uk</p>
<p>The Hive</p> <p>Mild to moderate learning disabilities and Autism</p> <p>Short breaks, holiday clubs, befrienders, residential service</p>	<p>Home The Hive</p> <p>The_hive_sheffield@outlook.com</p> <p>07940007437</p>
<p>The Hub</p> <p>Family-run service provider for adults with autism and learning disabilities in Sheffield.</p>	<p>The Hub S12 - Autism & Learning Disability Support South Yorkshire</p> <p>Unit L, Staniforth Works Main St, Hackenthorpe Sheffield S12 4LB.</p> <p>Email</p> <p>Lis@thehubs12.com</p> <p>0114 698 6060</p>
<p>MENCAP</p> <p>They offer a variety of social activities and youth groups for young people in Sheffield.</p>	<p>Children's Services at Sheffield Mencap & Gateway</p> <p>0114 276 7757</p>
<p>Fairplay</p> <p>We offer support to children and young people, aged 0-25, and to parents and siblings. Fairplay runs play schemes and Saturday clubs for children, youth clubs, activity days, themed groups, and independent living groups for young people, parent support groups and family trips.</p>	<p>Fairplay - Children & Young People With Disabilities - Chesterfield Charity</p> <p>Fairplay Alexandra Road West Chesterfield S40 1NP</p> <p>01246 203963 - office@fair-play.co.uk</p>

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Other services and support:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working Win can provide free support for young people aged 16+ across South Yorkshire for up to 9 months for you to find work or an apprenticeship. 	<p>Working Win - Shaw Trust</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sheffield Futures provide Employment, Careers and Mental Health support. 	<p>www.sheffieldfutures.org.uk 0114 2012800 43 Division Street, Sheffield S1 4GE</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunity Sheffield (Sheffield City Council). • They offer practical support and advice on looking for a job or an apprenticeship including CV-writing, job searching and interview preparation. 	<p>Opportunity Sheffield Sheffield City Council</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Epic Friends <p>Online resources and signposting for young people needing emotional and mental health support.</p>	<p>Home - Epic Friends</p>
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Other services and support:

<p>Preparation for Adulthood (PfA) Team Sheffield</p> <p>Children with Disabilities Team Sheffield</p>	<p>0114 205 7288</p> <p>pfa@sheffield.gov.uk</p> <p>Parents/carers, members of the public and professionals can refer to the service by contacting Sheffield's Safeguarding Hub on 0114 273 4855.</p>
<p>Sheffield SENDIAS</p> <p>Contact — Sheffield SENDIAS</p>	<p>Floor 1, North Wing Howden House, 1 Union Street, Sheffield, S1 2SH 0114 2736009 ssendias@sheffield.gov.uk</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Autism Plus <p>Our aim throughout all our services is to transform potential into reality. Our specialist services support Neurodivergent individuals across the United Kingdom to take confident strides toward paid employment. Through funded regional programs, we are bringing the dream of employment closer to reality. Nationally, we extend our reach through Access to Work, ensuring those already employed receive the support they need to not only keep their jobs but thrive in them.</p>	<p>Programmes Archive - Autism Plus SES</p> <p>The Exchange Brewery, 2 Bridge Street Stret, Sheffield, S3 8NS, 0114 3840300 employmentsupport@autismplus.co.uk</p>

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Other services and support:

<p>Disability Rights UK: information, advice and resources for disabled students</p>	
<p>Talking Futures support for parents and guardians looking to explore education and career options with their child</p>	
<p>Access to Work: help to find or stay in work if you have a physical or mental health condition, including financial support</p>	