

Alternative Provision/Intervention Directory

AIM Alternative Provision Limited

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Cost

Price On Application

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

9 – 16 years

Days Available

Mon am/pm, Tue am, Wed am/pm, Thu am

Hours Available

18 hours per week

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Small groups and 1.1 tutoring.

Description

AIM @ Wayside is alternative provision offering equine-assisted learning for Key Stage 2, 3, and 4 provides a unique, hands-on approach to education and emotional support. Our setting integrates interactions with horses to support young people who may struggle in traditional schooling environments due to social, emotional and mental health (SEMH) needs, Speech, Language and Communication (SLCN) needs, ASD and ADHD.

This provision is tailored to individual needs, often incorporating elements of the core curriculum alongside horses to ensure continued educational development. The combination of horsemanship and learning creates a supportive space where students can rebuild confidence, manage emotions effectively, and develop skills that prepare them for future success. We also offer small group and 1.1 tutoring, incorporating traditional curriculum subjects and vocational teaching. We offer ASDAN accreditations and qualifications.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Fully enhanced DBS, Paediatric level 3 First Aid, Team Teach trained, administering medicines trained and fire prevention and safeguarding awareness course, NSPCC safeguarding in schools, academies and collages.

A qualified teacher with QTS and the SENDCo Award and Post Graduate in Pastoral Leadership.

AIM is unique in that we use total communication and language approaches, underpinned by support from a speech and language therapist.

B.E A Warrior Foundation Ltd.

Contact Details

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

There is capacity for group sessions and workshops, or individual one to one based sessions. Depending on the service being delivered sessions are from 1 hour up to contracts delivered over 6 weeks. Sessions can be a combination of different activities.

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

11+

Days Available

Please contact directly to discuss times and days.

Hours Available

9 am to 5pm

Cost

Individual 1 hour sessions are £40.
 More bespoke packages are available dependant on the requirement and the price can be negotiated. As an example a 6 week contract offering 2 x 3 hour sessions per week would be £1,080.

Description

The B.E A Warrior foundation is aimed at providing its services predominantly to teenage males who are at risk of exclusion or offending, those that have already offended, or re engaging those that have fallen out of education, but will work with anyone that we think can benefit from it. This includes those that are becoming withdrawn or isolated and displaying challenging behaviour. The reason for working predominantly with teenage males is that there is currently a large proportion of young men growing up who have little or no contact with positive male role models. This is one of the major contributing factors behind the current epidemic of knife crime in the U.K at the moment.

Research has shown that young men growing up without the guidance of positive male role models are much more likely to end up being involved with crime, taking drugs, suffer from problems such as emotional dysregulation and mental health issues such as depression and are more likely to commit suicide. They are also generally far less successful in their careers and family life.

It is incredibly important for young men growing up to have positive male role models who can guide them through all the obstacles that becoming a man entails so they can develop into physically, mentally and emotionally healthy and successful adults.

The B.E A WARRIOR FOUNDATION is focused on developing emotional intelligence (E.Q) through the sport of boxing. Recent research has shown that E.Q is one of the biggest determining factors of success so therefore is extremely important for a young person to develop.

The main aim of the B.E A Warrior foundation is to develop young people socially and emotionally with a strong emphasis on building and maintaining physical and mental health. A core focus for this will be on building resilience and developing a warrior mindset. The foundation operates in a mentoring type fashion that focuses on:

- Improving physical health and fitness.
- Increasing self confidence, self discipline and self worth.
- Improving self control and emotional regulation.
- Forming healthy personal boundaries.
- Developing social skills.
- Staying safe and self defence.
- Healthy eating.
- Drug awareness.
- Re engagement in education, reduction of exclusions, increased attendance, improved classroom performance, improved relationships with peers and staff members.
- Reducing the risk of exploitation.
- Delivering education and exploring entrepreneurship.
- Identifying the causes and triggers of behaviour.
- Identifying emotional development stages and creating SMART goals using the FAGUS framework.
- Liaising with parents, schools and other professional services to develop solutions for achieving learning and behaviour goals.
- In depth reports to the commissioning body detailing outcomes achieved and further suggested strategies and professional intervention to put in place, helping to develop a multi agency solution.

As an example a typical 6 week contract (ongoing) would involve an initial assessment of the young person's emotional development using the FAGUS framework and creation of SMART goals. This is followed by building the relationship with the young person involving various activities such as boxing coaching, before moving onto re integration to education in the later stages. A typical session may consist of doing some boxing and fitness coaching and other life skills such as cooking, talking about current issues the young person is facing and then some educational work set by the school. However any and every option that can be used to engage a young person will be adopted, dependant on requirement and need. Reports are delivered on a half term basis and re assessment of emotional development milestones every 3 months.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

A fully qualified gym instructor and boxing coach. 15 years+ experience. Fully DBS checked and first aid qualified. I have my created my own online boxing skills, fitness and nutrition course that compliments the training I provide.

I have personal experience of ADHD and of working with young people with ADHD, autism and attachment disorders. I have worked in a number of SEN schools that specialise in learning disabilities, PEX and developmental trauma. I also have experience of re-engagement with education. Within these role's I have completed additional training in areas such as Adverse childhood experiences (ACE), Trauma Informed approaches, Speech and Language training and Safeguarding. I have experience of assisting with learning in Maths, English and Science.

I have worked and a volunteer mentor for the YOT in Maidenhead.

Busy Buttons CORE charity: iSTEM programme

Contact Details

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Age Range

7-15 years

Days Available

Group sessions: Tuesdays & Wednesdays

Hours Available

10:30am – 3:30pm

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

iSTEM group sessions: up to 8 in small
age appropriate groups. Student to staff
ratio is always 2:1 or 1:1 as per needed.

1:1 sessions available on flexible basis.

Cost

iSTEM group sessions: From £175 per
day depending on EHCP and tailored
individual needs.

On boarding & administrative fees apply.

DfE Registered

N

Description

The iSTEM programme is a new inclusive approach to conventional STEM learning with an 'i' for imagination. The programme is developed by charity founders, creative industry professionals and pedagogy pioneers of the 'Experiential Life Learning' curriculum.

Busy Buttons' holistic approach helps the children find acceptance, the opportunity to achieve in their own pace, acquire new skills and nurtures confidence in their own abilities. Children develop self worth, wellbeing, emotional and social skills. This can aid them to return to school, remain in full-time mainstream education with support and excel academically. We also offer tailored interim provision during EHCP assessment periods or transition to special school.

Busy Buttons CORE charity was nationally recognised and awarded 'Best Craft School' by Craft Council UK in 2023 for its holistic and inclusive approach to creative education.

"Staff create space for learners to explore personal approaches, encourage experimentation and support self-reflection of learner's work. Each artist's work is unique and celebrates their individual passions and imagination."

- **Crafts Council UK**

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

- Busy Buttons CORE charity was nationally awarded 'Best Craft School' by Craft Council UK and received the Designer 'Yinka Illori Award' 2023.
- As a Directly Licensed Duke of Edinburgh Centre we offer students aged 13+ all sections of the DofE award as part of the programme.
- Registered Arts Award Centre.
- STEAM and skills based learning
- Student orientated curriculum

Cobras

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Cost

Individual 1:1 sessions are £60ph. More bespoke packages are available for example 1:2, 1:3, outreach sessions, half days or full days. Holiday opportunities are also available.

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

11-16

Days Available

Mon- Fri

Hours Available

9-4pm

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

We have the capacity for 10 students at a time on site; 1:1, 1:2 or small groups. 1:1 or 1:2 off site sports activities.

We can offer a bespoke 12 week school integration or transition plan.

1:1 in school mentoring available.

Description

We are a small, independent AP that offers a nurturing and supportive environment at our venue in Bagshot. We work with young people struggling with mainstream school or at risk of exclusion; whether this is because of SEMH needs, behavioural issues, school refusal or returning from a period of exclusion or home schooling. We can support young people to rebuild self-confidence and social skills, to form strong relationships with supportive adults and to ultimately rediscover a love of learning. Our motto is 'We teach, we support, we inspire.' We work in partnership with Cobras Basketball Club who have a successful record of engaging with young people on and off the basketball court. We use basketball as a tool to encourage healthy eating, physical activity and improved mental wellbeing which in turn helps young people to re-engage with education and learning. Out of school opportunities with Cobras Basketball Club are also available for Cobras AP students.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our team includes qualified teachers, alternative provision specialists, SEN tutors, foster carers and experienced and qualified basketball coaches.

All staff have an enhanced DBS check, safeguarding training and are experienced at working with students in a variety of settings. We can offer a full online timetable via Tute (online live learning platform) as well as 1:1 GCSE or Functional Skills support. We can also offer short non-academic courses via ASDAN as well basketball qualifications in coaching and officiating via Cobras Basketball Club.

EdClass

Contact Details

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Dinnington, Sheffield, S25 3QD

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Cost

1 CYP £26.84 Per Hour this is based on a
Maximum of 10 Hours of learning Per Week.

If you have more than one CYP that requires
more than 10 hours of learning Per Week,
the price reduces to £19.18 Per hour Per CYP
up to 9(CYP).

DfE Registered

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Age Range

11-16 Years

Days Available

Monday-Friday

Hours Available

9.00am -4.00pm

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

N/A

Description

EDClass is a DfE accredited provider of online education.

EDClass operates as an alternative provider to support pupils who have difficulty in attending a physical school. It provides education for children from age 11 to 16 years. While attending EDClass, pupils remain on the register of a physical school. Pupils are either based at their homes or are supported to access the provision from within their registered schools. Leaders at EDClass have established a caring culture, rooted in high expectations and clear ambition for the pupils who attend the online setting. "Ofsted – EDClass Report April 24"

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Education Boutique

Contact Details

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Age Range

3 years to adult

Days Available

Daytime, evening, weekend, holidays

Hours Available

Typically packages of 2-12 hours per week

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Primarily we work with students on a **one to one (1:1)** basis however for school based interventions in English and Maths we work on a **one to three (1:3)** basis

Cost

58.33+VAT per hour

DfE Registered

N

Description

Education Boutique is an **in-person alternative provision tutoring service**, offering support to CYPs across Berkshire and nationally. We hand-select quality, vetted educators from our **talent pool of over 30,000 tutors** before carefully matching them with the needs of our clients. We specialise in supporting funded learners who require an alternative approach to education to re-engage and reintegrate them back into a long-term school placement or educational provision plan.

Please note that students do not need to have an EHCP to receive our support.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

- School/caseworkers receive a written report after every lesson – we can personalise this to embed school values (good for Ofsted)
- Location for the tutoring is flexible in either **school, learning centre or residence of the pupil**
- Fully vetted tutors: school receives vetting docs for each tutor to add to their SCR
- Specialisms: PDA Profile, ASD, ADD/ADHD, EBSA, Chronic Anxiety

Enemy of Boredom Academy Ltd

Contact Details

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Charlotte Honey (referrals)

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Age Range

12-25yrs

Days Available

Mon-Fri

Hours Available

10am-2:30pm

Cost

Available on Request

DfE Registered

N

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Small class sizes/groups

Description

Enemy of Boredom (EOB) is a learning environment where neurodiverse students can flourish and reach their potential. Our environments are designed to be intimate, calm, quiet, with small student numbers to reduce noise and 'clutter'. They are designed with sensory needs in mind so the colours and lighting are tranquil and soothing. We have sites in Bracknell and Letchworth and also run online courses.

Most of our students are neurodivergent and have high anxiety so require greater adult: pupil ratio, calm environments, and strength-based, bespoke learning goals.

Students attend our setting for 1-3 days a week, which is defined through which level they are accessing on the course. All Post-16 students have an education health care plan (EHCP), and the adapted environment allows many EHCP outcomes to progress effectively due to the high staff-to-student ratio, the flexible timetable, and the opportunity to incorporate high preference, student-centred tasks into each learning goal.

The courses run for 39 weeks from the start date, in line with school holidays. The course can be joined at any time.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Working with our SEN students in an inclusive learning environment, whether in-house or online, we aim to rebuild their confidence and encourage their participation in learning. We work closely with SENCOs and Local Authorities, using our young people's voices, to create a bespoke pathway back into mainstream education or to support the student in progressing through our levels, helping them move towards independence in their adult life.

The courses that we offer are Creative Digital Media (Games Design) Level 1,2 & 3. Music Performance Level 1,2 & 3 both RSL Certified and NCFE Enterprise Level 1, NCFE Business start-up Level 2.

'Gone Fishing' Coaching and Mentoring



Contact Details:

Name: Deen Pocock

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Age Range:

11+ (younger students on a 1-2-1 basis) - All abilities welcome

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1/2 day session: 9-12.30pm:

Full Day session: 9-3pm:

(Earlier pick up/drop off can be arranged)

1-2-1 sessions

2-1 sessions

Small group sessions

Days Available:

Monday-Friday

Hours Available:

8.00am – 4.00pm

DfE Registered

N

Further Information:

Sessions include travel, lunch, day tickets to fishing lakes, licences, equipment and bait.

Days Available:

Monday-Friday

Description:

'Gone Fishing' offers a unique and memorable experience designed for young people who are disengaged from education or following an alternative curriculum pathway. This Self-Management programme takes learners out of the traditional classroom and into the great outdoors, using nature as a learning environment to achieve key outcomes:

- **Boosted confidence and self-esteem** – Participants reflect on personal barriers to education, developing transferable skills that support their return to school.
- **Re-engagement with education and curriculum recovery** – Encouraging a renewed interest in learning.
- **Enhanced behaviour management and relationship-building skills** – Equipping pupils with strategies to foster positive interactions.
- **Increased motivation and aspirations** – Inspiring success both in and beyond the school environment.
- **Strong connections to Fundamental Studies, PSHE, and Physical Education** – Aligning with key curriculum areas.
- **Improved teamwork, community engagement, and reduction in anti-social behaviour** – Encouraging collaboration and social responsibility.

Angling has been widely recognized for its physical and mental benefits, teaching patience, respect, and environmental stewardship. 'Gone Fishing' has successfully worked with pupil referral units, young offenders, and young people with diverse learning and physical needs. Each session is tailored to the individual's abilities and needs, ensuring an inclusive experience. All necessary equipment, licences, day tickets, and travel are provided.

Further information:

- Fully Enhanced DBS, First Aid, Team Teach and Child Protection (level 3) trained.
- Open Water Rescue trained.
- Fully Insured, Risk Assessed and Quality Assured by the Local Authority.
- Qualified Teacher status.
- PE Teacher and Qualified Sports Coach.
- Qualified Gym Instructor & Personal Trainer (REP Level 4).
- A wealth of experience gained working within Alternative Education and Youth Services totalling 15 years.
- Additional activities can be arranged as a result of adverse weather conditions including the **'Healthy Futures'** Programme and educational visits to alternative place of work; the Fire Station.

GROVE Neurodivergent Mentoring & Education LTD

Contact Details

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GROVE Neurodivergent Mentoring &
Education LTD

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Cost

Individual Mentoring - £50 per hour

Groups - Approx ' £15 per hour (this varies depending on group focus / staffing)

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

8 -17 (*we can work with younger and are extending to 18-21 soon too*)

Days Available

7 days a week

Hours Available

9-10pm Mon-Fri, 9-5pm weekends

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Our capacity is fluctuating due to working with individuals. Currently, we have space for about 40 more young people to be supported individually but this will significantly increase in April/May as we are recruiting more Mentors.

Description

GROVE's provision supports young people's social, emotional and mental health. We are not intended to be a full AP and should be viewed as complementary. GROVE is a genuinely **neuro-affirming, online** community for **Autistic** young people age 8-17 (we intend to expand to support otherwise neurodivergent young people in time). We are proudly **Autistic staffed** and that makes our organisation unique as we are able to connect with young people through shared lived experience. We are also all specialists with deep knowledge of Autistic experience, current theory and practice and a firm rejection of the medical model framing of autism – our Founder/Director is nearing the end of a MA in autism, and within the team we hold autism qualifications ranging from PGCert up to PhD level with a range of professional experience also. This places us in a unique position whereby we have the depth of knowledge to be able to assist young people in better understanding their experience. Self-understanding is crucial to well-being and well-being is fundamental to positive educational and life outcomes. We are therefore well placed to support young people by enabling opportunities to develop self-understanding, connect with other Autistic people and feel a sense of belonging - all as their authentic selves. A lot of the young people we support are very isolated, unable to engage in life beyond their own family and home and we have been able to offer a safe, consistent person who the young person can learn to trust reducing feelings of loneliness and social isolation. Following a recent group one parent contacted us to say our group was the first their child had ever felt they belonged (more feedback is available on our website/Facebook page).

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

SERVICES: ALL ONLINE

- ~ **Mentoring**: Connect with an Autistic Mentor - a safe person to support and guide.
- ~ **Groups**: Connect with peers and form part of a happy, authentic community.
- ~ **'Autistic Identity' programmes**: Make sense of what it means to be 'Autistic' in a way that is meaningful to the young person.

HALO - Horse Assisted Learning Opportunities

Contact Details

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Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire, HP9 1BT

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Ability to make flexible offerings
depending upon needs.

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

7 - 16

Days Available

Mon - Fri

Hours Available

Flexible within the hours of 9am - 4pm

Cost

Price ranging depending on
circumstances and requirements.

Description

Horse Assisted Learning Opportunities is a programme dedicated to supporting the needs of the individual child, offering them a safe space to learn with horses in a non-judgmental environment. We work with children experiencing ADHD, Autism, Attachment Issues and Trauma. Most of the children we welcome to HALO we have met via referrals from schools, pupil referral units and colleges.

For more information including interviews with parents, current students and previous students please visit our website, where you can also find details on the programme structure, along with our approach and programme results.

Along with HALO, we also offer a range of facilitated programmes that are created to help children who are experiencing difficulty in mainstream education, including drama and individual psychotherapy sessions.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our team collectively hold a variety of qualifications including Teaching, NLP Master Practitioner, Horse Dream Practitioner, Natural Horsemanship and Drama Specialisms. We also work along side associates, including a Child Psychotherapist.

Hands on Play Therapy Therapeutic Alternative Provision

Contact Details

Name Kelly Higgins

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1:1 with potential for small group (up to 4) dependent on cohort suitability.

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

4-18

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

9:00 - 3:30

Cost

Half day (9-12 or 12:30-3:30) £150

Full Day (9-3) £250

One off administration fee - £200

Description

Hands on Play Therapy has devised a Therapeutic Alternative provision incorporating micro adventures, musical mentoring and academic tuition. Each package is bespoke to the individual child and can include a range of activities such as kayaking, rock climbing, mountain biking, hiking, music making etc.

Our tutoring programme is run by a fully qualified SENco with over 20 years of experience.

We also offer a range of therapies:

Play Therapy, SMART (Sensory Motor Arousal Regulation Therapy), AutPlay Therapy, Family Therapy and Therapeutic Life Story Work.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Kelly Higgins is the Proprietor and Head Therapist. She holds an Honours degree in Education and Childhood Studies, a PG Dip in Play Therapy and is also a certified Child and Adolescent Trauma Specialist. All staff are qualified in their field and have extensive experience working with children and young people in a range of settings.

We specialise in autism, ADHD, school refusal, adopted and looked after children and those with specific learning difficulties.

HARMONY ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION LTD

Contact Details

Name: Harmony Alternative Education Ltd
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 Lower Mount Farm, Long Lane,
 Cookham, Berkshire. SL6 9EE

Age Range

UKS1 to post 16

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

Maximum 12 hours per week – SHORT STAY

Cost

£49.50 per hour + VAT (group)
 £66 per hour + VAT (1:1)

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Primary : 2 x Small groups (max 12 children), 1 x "out and about" group (max 9 transport), 1:1 sessions throughout the week.

Secondary : Variety of groups of approx. 6 students in each.

DfE Registered

N

Description

Harmony is a small independent AP that offers education, alongside social and emotional support, to young people who have significant SEMH needs. It offers a small, calm and therapeutic style of learning that gives young people the opportunity to succeed where they have struggled in their previous provision. Harmony aims to be the stepping stone to the next stage in education whether that be college, mainstream or a specialist provision. Both primary and secondary offer a broad and balanced curriculum, consisting of; Maths, English, Science, Art, cookery and life skills. Within primary, there is a half termly topic which is the focus throughout the curriculum. There is the opportunity to participate in 1:1 sessions and small groups focusing upon sensory, nurture, resilience, friendships and social skills.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Qualifications (secondary):

AQA unit awards, GCSE AQA English language, GCSE Edexcel Maths, GCSE AQA Double Science (practicals done through use of video)

Haybrook: Activate

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Centre Capacity: 32
Group size: Class of 8 (two classes in each year group)

DfE Registered

Y

Age Range

Key Stage 4: 14 – 16 (Year 10 and 11)

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

8.45am – 2.30pm (5 ½ hours)

Cost

£17,500 per annum

Description

Activate is one of the Key Stage 4 provisions based in central Slough. We aim to provide a curriculum that will allow learners to achieve a range of qualifications and access to employment, further education or training. Our focus is to support young people in reaching their potential and developing positive attitudes and aspirations for the future.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Curriculum:

Core: GCSE Maths, GCSE English Language, GCSE English Literature, Functional Skills ICT (Level 1 and 2)

Options: Choose one – GCSE Art or GCSE Business Studies or NCFE Music Technology (Level 1 and 2)

Other: Personal Achievement and Development Studies, Fundamental Studies, Sport, Enrichment

Haybrook: Apollo

Contact Details

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Age Range

14 – 16 years

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

9.00am – 2.15pm

Cost

£17,500 per annum

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Maximum number of students: 10
 Students form one group
 Years 10, 11

DfE Registered

Y

Description

Aim: to develop self-confidence in chronically withdrawn young people in Years 10 and 11, whose difficulties make it impossible for them to attend mainstream school. The programme consists of two strands, both leading to externally accredited qualifications:-

1. Academic strand: core subjects for GCSE (English, Maths and Science) are delivered through online lessons provided by Academy21.
2. Confidence building strand: activities include Art, Motor Mechanics, Cookery, Music, Sport, Personal Development, Work Experience, Careers and visits to places of interest.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Students who commit to the programme and make a positive contribution to community life at Apollo find they increase their confidence, resilience and self-esteem. Most go on to college or work placements when they leave us at the end of Year 11: many achieve goals which they and others had not thought possible.

Haybrook College: The Gateway

Contact Details

Name: Louise Payne/Sarah Oakes

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Slough

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Age Range

16-18 without EHCPs also a 16-24 age range with EHCPs, details to be

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

0900 - 1500

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

10 pupils per group.

DfE Registered

Y

Cost

EHCP – provision map charges.
No other charges apply.

Description

The Haybrook College Trust has The Gateway as its own post 16 provision. The Gateway continues to support the most at risk of being Not in Education Employment or Training (NEET) or who have been NEET for a significant period of time. We also support those for whom a place in a mainstream post 16 provision is too big a step or those who have attended a local FE College and dropped out. Our referrals come from Slough's SEND department, the Integrated Youth Services or from other local authorities. All our young people have complex social emotional, and mental health issues; many with additional difficulties such as substance misuse, offending behaviour or a range of safeguarding concerns. There are no entry requirements or barriers to enrolling at The Gateway. Slough is described as having a large proportion of its children living in poverty and almost all learners have significant issues, with mental health, learning needs and/or witnessed or involved in violence.

Whilst offering learners personalised teaching and learning pathways that will allow them to achieve both academically and socially, we want them to be and feel like valued members of society and to gain access to further education courses of study and secure employment that matches their needs and skill sets. The most important aim for the College is that it equips all learners with the qualifications and skills needed to progress in their education and/or gain employment upon leaving the College.

- a continued drive on improving teaching and learning across the school in order to raise standards and student progress. The '3 L Approach' enables a focus to encourage and to become independent learners, independent leaders and to show independent behaviours.
- a commitment to developing a curriculum that best serves the needs of our learners being creative, flexible and proactive.
- strong partnerships with local colleges, secondary schools, alternative education providers and business.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our Curriculum: Entry 1 to GCSE all taught in the Gateway Hub – English, Maths, Business, ICT, PSD, Statistics and vocational options – Motor Vehicle studies, Construction and Catering.

In addition to achieving qualifications, the aim is always to prepare the young people for the world of work and empowering them with the skills required to maintain a place at an FE college or in employment.



Haybrook: HYPE (Helping Young People Engage)

Contact Details

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

10 pupils Maximum group size
9am – 2pm

DfE Registered

Y

Age Range

11-14

Days Available

60 days (12 weeks)

Hours Available

5 Hours a day

Cost

£6,120

Description

The HYPE Course is a 12 weeks self-management programme designed to provide KS3 pupils with an opportunity to develop their skills and capacity to manage more successfully within mainstream school. The programme challenges pupils to engage positively, make better choices and improve their motivation. The HYPE Course aims to develop the attitude of pupils by enabling them to identify their negative behaviour traits and help provide them with strategies to increase confidence and improve social skills and communication at home, within the community and at school.

The first six weeks focuses on self-awareness, strategies and skill development, the second six weeks will prepare the pupils to return to school; with a gradual reintegration plan from week 6.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

1:1 ELSA; ELSA sessions take place in our very own 'ELSA room' which provides a calm, safe space for the child to feel supported and nurtured. Our ELSAs help students identify antecedents with person centred resolutions and restoratives.

Act 2 Improve; Act 2 Improve are behavioural consultants who incorporate performing arts and creative learning into interactive and enjoyable sessions. This promotes confidence, self-esteem, performance and creative skills

Haybrook: Interim

Contact Details

Name Sanchia Morgan

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Email

sanchiamorgan@haybrookcollege.co.uk

Age Range

11-14

Days Available

5 days

Hours Available

5 Hours a day

Cost

£17,500 per annum

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

9am – 2pm

DfE Registered

Y

Description

Our programme is centred around enabling key stage 3 pupils to re-engage in the process of education and learning; offering a full-time education for pupils who, for a variety of reasons, have found mainstream environment challenging. We strive to engage pupils in learning which will enable them to recover and return back into a mainstream environment with more tools to be successful.

In addition, for those who require an added level of support, Interim offers the opportunity for students to access tailored sessions including individual literacy/numeracy intervention and emotional literacy support.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

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Haybrook: Springboard

Contact Details

Name: Springboard

Tel: 01628 696066

Address:

Haybrook College

112 Burnham Lane

Slough

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Springboard capacity: 7 groups of 8 students. Organised as separate Year 10 and Year 11 classes. Each class has two adults – the teacher and a support member of staff.

DfE Registered

Y

Age Range

14-16

Days Available

Monday- Friday

Hours Available

9.00am – 2.15pm

Cost

£17,500 per annum

Description

Springboard is part of Haybrook College. It provides an alternative full-time education for KS4 pupils who have been referred from mainstream schools and are at risk of/or have been permanently excluded.

"Our aim is for every young person to gain the qualifications, skills and experiences to fulfil their individual potential."

As with all Haybrook provisions, we have a strong CEIAG offer and support learners to successfully transition to post-16 education, training and/or apprenticeships.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

The expectation is for pupils to study a minimum 5 GCSE (or the equivalent). They are given a very high level of support in lessons, working with experts to gain recognised qualifications. These include English, Maths, Science with access to the College's vocational courses.

Healthy Futures: Behaviour Management Programme

Contact Details

Name: Deen Pocock

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Email: deenpocock@hotmail.co.uk

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1/2 day session: 9-12pm 12-3pm:
Full Day session: 9-3pm:
(Earlier pick up/drop off can be arranged)
1-2-1 sessions
1:2 sessions
Small group sessions
Prices available upon request

Target audience:

Primary and secondary school students (ages 11–19).

Pupils disengaged from education or at risk of behavioural issues

Students in need of social, emotional, and mental health (SEMH) support.

Days/Hours Available

Monday - Friday (9-4pm)

DfE Registered

N

Programme Overview:

The **Healthy Futures Programme** is designed to support students in developing positive lifestyle habits that promote physical, mental, and emotional well-being. Through engaging activities, discussions, and goal-setting, students will learn self-management strategies to enhance their health and behaviour in school and beyond.

Aims & Objectives

The programme will:

- Encourage healthy eating, physical activity, and mental well-being.
- Teach self-regulation, resilience, and positive behaviour strategies.
- Reduce disruptive behaviour and improve focus in school.
- Foster teamwork, social skills, and emotional intelligence.
- Promote long-term healthy lifestyle choices.
- Re-engagement with education and curriculum recovery

Programme Structure:

1. Initial Assessment & Goal-Setting: Baseline assessment of students' health habits and behaviour.
2. Nutrition & Healthy Eating: Interactive workshops on balanced diets and mindfulness.
3. Physical Activity & Well-Being: Understanding the link between movement and mental health.
4. Emotional Resilience & Self-Regulation: Managing emotions and developing positive coping strategies.
5. Positive Behaviour & Social Skills: Developing empathy, respect, teamwork and confidence building.
6. Reflection & Future Planning: Creating personal action plans and continued lifestyle changes

Further information:

- Fully Enhanced DBS, First Aid, Team Teach and Child Protection (level 3) trained.
- Fully Insured, Risk Assessed and Quality Assured by the Local Authority.
- Qualified Teacher status.
- PE Teacher and Qualified Sports Coach.
- Qualified Instructor & Personal Trainer (REP Level 4).
- A wealth of experience gained working within Alternative Education and Youth Services totalling 15 years

HEROES BERKSHIRE

Contact Details

Heroes Berkshire
Tel 01628783107

Bartletts Lane,
Holyport
Bartletts Lane,
Holyport
SL6 2JD

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1 to 1 or small group sessions of up to 5

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

5 - 18

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

10.00 – 12.00 or 1.00 – 3.00

Cost

From £125.00 per session

Description

Heroes Berkshire is a Therapeutic farm where young people can attend and learn about animals. They can work in small groups or on a one to one basis with a young leader. They get involved in the handling of animals, cleaning them, grooming, exercising and petting.

Whilst being on the farm the young people get involved in group activities, life and social skills, and learn lots of others skills, like communication, patience, listening, following through on tasks, body language. Heroes is a small community which promotes healthy living though, being outside, exercising and being in nature with the animals.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

We work with young people who are school refusers, home-educated young people, students with learning difficulties, Autism, depression, mental health issues.

Kickstart Learning

Contact Details

Name – Kerry Lound

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Address – 15 The Broadway, Penn Road, Beaconsfield, Bucks, HP9 2PD

Email – kerry@kickstartlearning.co.uk

Website – www.kickstartlearning.co.uk

Session costs include

Insurances; session administration; staff planning, preparation, assessment and feedback time; use of our Hub and all resources; staff training and meetings; use of LearnTrek MIS, fuel and travel costs, low-cost activities and entrance fees off-site, daily lunch budget (for Y4-Y7 small group).

DfE Registered

N

Age, days, hours, size, cost

1-to-1

Year 1 to Year 7 tutoring with a qualified teacher - £80 per hour

Year R to Year 9 mentoring with a neurodivergent mentor - £70 per hour

Small group

Year 1 to Year 3 (max. 8 children with 2:1 adult to child ratio) curriculum-based activities – Mondays and Tuesdays 9:30-11:30am - £120 per session

Year 4 to Year 7 (max. 10 children with 2:1 adult to child ratio) curriculum-based activities, trips and self-directed project work – Mondays and Tuesdays 12:30-3:30pm and Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 9:30am-12:30pm - £135 per session

One-off initial admin fee (includes home visit, Hub visit, registration process and Learning Plan creation) - £250

Description

Kickstart Learning was set up in 2017 by our founder, Kerry Lound. We are a neurodiversity affirming organisation providing education, support and advice to neurodivergent children, their families and their schools. We empower neurodivergent children to feel understood and accepted and equip them with the skills, knowledge and confidence to thrive.

We subscribe to Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs and understand that learning can't take place until a child's body and sensory needs are being met; they feel safe and trust the people around them; and they feel accepted and respected. Our approaches are all trauma-informed, child-centred and neurodiversity affirming. Most of our staff are neurodivergent themselves and so have an innate understanding of what learning and school can be like for neurodivergent children.

We specialise in working with children who are highly verbal, academically able and who experience EBSA, high anxiety levels and/or demand avoidance. Many of our students have PDA and our setting is fully low-demand and child-led.

Our Hub is based in Beaconsfield and is where most of our sessions take place (although if a child is unable to access the Hub, sessions can take place at their home or online with the aim of transitioning to the Hub once they are ready).

We have three main rooms which are all multi-purpose including a Lego area, gaming area, art area and gym. We have two sensory tents which can be used whenever a child needs and also a sensory swing, trampoline and punch bag.

KickStart: Soccer

Contact Details

Name Kevin Cox
 Tel 0777 1927 040
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 Email kevin.cox@kickstartsoccer.org.uk
www.kickstartsoccer.org.uk/sen/

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Dependent on level of need. 1-2-1 or small group sessions. Football and Sports coaching and mentoring to help engage or re-engage
 Bespoke courses-Predominately outdoors.

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

6-16

Days Available

Mon - Fri

Hours Available

9.00am – 3.00pm

Cost

£30-£40 per hour dependent on group need and size.

Description

FA Qualified Football Coaching, Mentoring and Sports Therapy for young people aged 2-18
 KickStart's Sports Therapy and Mentoring programme is designed to improve pupil's attention and listening skills, social competency, and cognitive functions.
 Implementing our triangular approach to learning, we aim to provide a life-skills development approach which posits that the Psycho-social, physical, and cognitive skills that young children utilise to succeed in sports can be translated across other settings such as school, home, or their community.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Kevin – BA (hons) Sports Industry Management. L1/L2 & UEFA B in coaching Football. FA Youth Award L3 in coaching football. Disabled footballers coaching award in football. L2 in coaching Cricket. Autism in schools L1. Safeguarding in schools L3 – DSL. 12 years' experience in SEN. Coaching, mentoring, intervention and safeguarding. Team teach – FA Child Protection and Emergency aid.
 Michael – BSC Coaching and Sports Science. PGCE Primary Education. FA Level 1 in coaching football. 4 Years' experience of teaching in primary schools. 3 years' experience of working with children with SEND. 1-2-1 maths tutoring.

Lands End Equestrian Centre & TACK

Contact Details

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Whistley Mill Lane
Twyford
RG10 0RA

Email: suzy@landsendec.com

Age Range

A.P.: 14yrs – 25yrs

T.A.C.K.: 5yrs

Days Available

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

Hours Available

8am – 4pm

Cost

TACK Support prices start from £40
(depending on group sizes and length of session)

Alternative Provision Prices start from
£90

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Most of our TACK support sessions run 1-1 or in small groups 1-4 however depending on the needs and requirements larger groups can be accommodated.

For our Alternative Provision group are no bigger than 10.

DfE Registered

N

Description

www.landsendec.com

With many difficulties and giving them a focus / aim. So, we founded TACK (Turn Around Care Konnections). This is suitable for people of any age to attend our centre to learn how to build confidence, resilience, Communication, patience, listening skills, building fine and gross motor skills and understanding body language. We spend our time learning how to care for the horses from grooming to exercise, training and mucking out to games and activities.

As our TACK sessions are so popular we wanted to expand to offer students the opportunity to gain a recognised qualification while attending our centre. Our Qualifications can begin from 14yrs of age and students can attend our centre between 1-3 days per week. This can help students have a sense of belonging and purpose and help them realise their capabilities and in turn grow in confidence. All our tests / exams are run in-house and can be set up in several ways to help students feel confident and relaxed.

Our aim is to create a safe, fun, inclusive and supportive provision to encourage student engagement and build confidence and resilience.

Our sessions can also include functional skills maths and English

Currently we work with students that have a range of mental health difficulties, Autism, ADHD, ADD, PDA, OCD, Trauma, Addiction, School avoidance, Depression, Global Delay, Stress, Grief, Tourette's and many physical disabilities.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our centre can offer,

- our own in-house certificates
- Pony Club badges (membership required)
- Level 1, 2 and 3 Work based animal care (City and Guilds)
- Level 1, 2 and 3 Work based Equine Care (City and Guilds)
- Level 1 Personal Progress (City and Guilds)

Our staff are fully DBS Checked, safeguard trained, and First aid trained as well as having a range of qualifications

- Level 3 Equine Management
- RDA Coaches
- Pony Club Coaches
- Up to BHS stage 4 BHS AI
- Level 3 Award in education and Training
- BSc (Hons) in Sports Horse Performance

All our sessions are set up to suit individual needs and requirements.

The Link (Primary provision)

Contact Details

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Manor Green School, Elizabeth Hawkes Way,
Maidenhead SL6 3EQ

Email: mary.keenan@manorgreenschool.co.uk

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

2 classes split into Lower (R-3) and Upper (4-6).
Maximum of 8 students per class with approximate
staff : student ratio of 1:2

DfE Registered

Y

Age Range

4 – 11 (Reception to Year 6)

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

9.30am to 2.30pm

Cost

£27,000 per academic year

Description

The Link is a short-term therapeutic unit for primary school children, aged 4- 11 years, who are currently experiencing difficulties in the mainstream environment. Our main focus is to help children to develop social and emotional skills. The improvement of these skills has been known not only to improve wellbeing for students, but also the ability to achieve academically.

We believe every child deserves the right to succeed in all areas of life. We offer a safe, therapeutic and non-judgemental environment in which children are able to begin to access their emotions and develop positive and real relationships with others. We help children to develop self-awareness and provide suitable boundaries enabling children to flourish without fear. By following the principles of nurture, we provide a caring and inclusive programme. We understand the individual needs of each child and we support them in developing essential skills for life. We work closely with schools, parents and children to provide a holistic partnership.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

We can offer several packages based on the needs of the child:

- Short Term package (12 weeks +), with full time placement. This can be pending or during an EHCP assessment process.
- Bespoke partnership package, with a part-time placement in The Primary Link alongside the child's mainstream provision (e.g. 2 days with us 3 days in school per week).
- Outreach package, which includes an observation and suggested next steps / resources for a child within their current setting.
- A Qualified SENCO, a Speech and Language Therapist, an Occupational Therapist and 3 full time qualified councillors make up part of this team along with 3 qualified SEN teachers and teaching assistants.

The Link (Secondary provision)

Contact Details

Name: Mary Keenan**Tel:** 01628 513800 x 2013 / 07377
800291**Address:**Manor Green School, Elizabeth Hawkes
Way, Maidenhead SL6 3EQ**Email:**

mary.keenan@manorgreenschool.co.uk

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Maximum capacity is 22 depending on needs of cohort. Staff –student ratio is approximately 1:6.

DfE Registered

Y

Age Range

11-16 (Years 7-11)

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

9.30am to 2.30pm

Cost

£27,000 per academic year

Description

The Link is a therapeutic educational service for secondary aged students who are unable to access mainstream education due to medical vulnerability. We specialise in supporting young people suffering from anxiety, depression and other mental health needs. The aim of The Link is to achieve the best outcomes for young people. Often our support is around building self-esteem to allow the young person to return to their mainstream setting, if deemed appropriate or preparation for post-16 placements.

We successfully engage students who have not attended mainstream settings for long periods of time. We have a highly qualified team of staff who cater for the educational and mental health needs of vulnerable learners including specialist subject teachers and three counsellors available to work with the students, for weekly 1:1 sessions or small group therapeutic work. Independent careers support and guidance, plus intensive working with the family, ensure that strong transitional arrangements on to college placements or into other educational settings are very successful.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

A curriculum offer that includes GCSE and Functional Skills qualifications in English and Maths, ASDAN personal development, Science, PSHE, PE, Bronze and Silver Arts Award, Level 2 ICT and cooking for life skills. Students have access to on line learning for any GCSE or KS3 course. Half-termly progress reports shared with mainstream school and parents. Regular review meetings to ensure the support is always appropriate.

Medically vulnerable students can often struggle with on-line learning, especially those students with ADHD and ASD. We believe that face-to-face teaching is far better as interacting with students and their families ensures an holistic approach and offers more positive reinforcement and support for highly anxious students.

Magpies – Maidenhead United FC

Contact Details

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York Road

Maidenhead

SL6 1SF

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Cater to each school

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

5-12

Days Available

Monday - Friday

Hours Available

40

Cost

Available on Request

Description

Magpies in the Community can provide PPA cover, Lunchtime & After School Clubs in a variety of sports from Dance to football and everything in between. Our fully qualified, CRC checked staff have experience helping nurture children aged between 5-12 years able to adapt, plan and deliver sessions to children following the school's direction or independently organise, plan and deliver sessions aimed at inclusion, development and fun. We also host holiday camps for children locally and help create more specialised football coaching at Maidenhead United FC whilst engaging with the local community.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our FA qualified staff are all CRC checked and first aid trained in safeguarding children

Nudge Education

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Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1:1 or 2:1

Bespoke Interventions

Age Range

5-18/25 with EHCP

Days Available

Weekdays 9-5

Hours Available

3 hr minimum sessions

Cost - Please use hyperlink below

Nudge Education [Commissioner's Guide](#)
Read the Nudge Minds [Commissioner's Guide](#)

DfE Registered

N

Description

**Eradicating chronic disengagement, one child at a time, for a #LifeWorthLiving
Bespoke academic and therapeutic interventions to facilitate a successful transition back
into education.**

Here at [Nudge](#) we work with schools, local authorities and parents to re-engage chronically disengaged young people who have been excluded or don't attend school for a variety of reasons.

We've supported more than 1600 young people across the UK to have a Life Worth Living through our academic and therapeutic interventions. We have helped reduce exclusion rates, persistent absenteeism and raise attainment levels by working together with our partners.

We work 1:1 or 2:1 with the hardest-to-reach, those in care and young people with additional needs to prepare them for their bespoke transition goal, whether that be reintegration into school, preparation for exams, a specialist setting, post-16 options or the world of work. We do this through building relationships and delivering personalised programmes of learning.

We also offer a [Nudge Minds](#) service, which focuses solely on therapeutic intervention, allowing young people to reintegrate with life and other services, not just education.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

1:1 and 2:1 bespoke interventions designed around the needs of the young person. Nudge offers support to any young person who is chronically disengaged from education.

We strive to do whatever it takes to make sure no child is left behind. Although each student and intervention is unique, they do share one thing in common: the right to education and to finding their path in life.

These are some examples of the challenges facing the young people we work with.

- Chronically Disengaged
- Looked After Children
- SEMH Needs
- SEND
- Complex Needs
- Post 16
- FASD

PAWS - People and Animal Wellbeing Services CIC

Contact Details

Name **People and Animal Wellbeing Services CIC (PAWS)**

Tel **0330 229 2079**

Address

6 Brunswick; Bracknell; RG12 7YY

Email **info@pawswellbeing.org**

Age Range

4 to 25+

Days Available

Weekdays

Hours Available

School Hours

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

PAWS outreach support is provided on a 1:1 basis and can be provided in school and in the home.

Cost

Programmes Range from £60 - £80 per hour and travel costs involved in some cases

DfE Registered

N

Description

People and Animal Wellbeing Services CIC are a not for profit providing educational and therapeutic wellbeing sessions for children and young people through Animal Assisted Interventions (AAI). We believe that everyone should receive equal access to the Mental Health support they deserve. We recognise that often poor behaviour and disengaging from education can be a cry for help, using the only form of communication the young person understands and we can help.

Our programmes aim to re-engage young people in their education and provide them with opportunities to learn new skills and understand their own emotions and needs.

As an outreach alternative provision we are able to visit the home environment, schools, community spaces or any other location the young person feels safe and will engage in. Our dogs all have public liability insurance and are able to participate in community outreach work helping young people to engage with the community.

Recognising the diverse needs of young individuals, PAWS Wellbeing excels in tailoring sessions to accommodate sensory needs, trauma, poor mental health, neurodivergence, or learning needs. Our goal is to create a safe and inclusive space where every individual can engage and thrive in therapeutic or educational activities.

PAWS Wellbeing takes pride in the unique role of certified therapy dogs as bridges between young persons and professionals. These remarkable animals assist in building trust and fostering an environment conducive to learning and growth. Engaging with a therapy dog has been scientifically proven to improve overall well being, reducing stress and increasing levels of key neurotransmitters. Allowing the client to co-regulate with the dog and engage in the activity pushing them to work towards goals that perhaps they would not have been able to do otherwise.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

While the therapy dog plays a vital role, our practitioners, having undergone extensive training through PAWS Therapy Dog Training Ltd, possess the knowledge and skills to actively engage both the dog and the young person, strategically working towards therapeutic or educational goals. Our dedicated team, composed of 19 practitioners holding qualifications in education, special educational needs (SEN), counselling and therapies, work collaboratively with certified therapy dogs to create a supportive and enriching environment. The individual specialities of our practitioners and the nature of their own specific dog means that we work hard to match a team that is best placed in the skill-set to meet the needs of the individual client or the setting they are working in.

All PAWS Wellbeing dogs and practitioners undergo rigorous training through our sister company, PAWS Therapy Dog Training Ltd. This CPD accredited course covers dog handling, body language, behaviour, legislation, policies, and effective AAI session delivery.

Regular reassessments ensure the ongoing suitability and welfare of therapy dogs, while practitioners engage in theory assessments to validate their knowledge.

Working Closely with Parents, Carers, Health social and educational professionals we work toward individual goals and aspirations for each young person that we support creating transformative experiences that empower individuals to build confidence, self-esteem, and a brighter future.

PC BEN

This intervention is delivered by Thames Valley Police force on site and therefore does not need Quality

Contact Details

Russ Massie

Tel 07717653741

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Email

Russell.Massie@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

Age Range

Key Stage 1

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

0800hrs to 1600hrs

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

For a class

DfE Registered

N

Cost

Free

Description

The Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit (VRU) has helped create a new recruit for the local police, helping neighbourhood officers engage with young people. PC Ben leaps off the page of a new storybook as he helps the force engage with children across the force area.

The illustrated book tells the story of PC Ben, a neighbourhood police officer who has a busy day looking after his local community. He is friendly and takes his time to speak to people, is kind and knows how to help as he comes across various situations. A member of their local neighbourhood policing team will arrange with the school to make a visit, reading the short story with children and leading a short lesson, taking questions and explaining who the police are and how they help keep communities safe.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

To register on the TV VRU website [Home - Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit \(tvru.co.uk\)](http://tvru.co.uk)

[PC Ben – story book character joins Thames Valley Police's ranks - Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit \(tvru.co.uk\)](#)

Prospero Teaching (and Mentoring)

Contact Details

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Cost

£52 per hour

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

Early years onwards.

Days Available

Monday - Sunday

Hours Available

Flexible. Support available during and outside of school times.

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

We offer 1:1 tuition and mentoring in a way that best suits each young person. Sessions can take place in the community, at school, at home, or online through our safeguarded portal. For group sessions, we recommend a maximum of four students to ensure that everyone receives the attention and support they need to succeed. Our goal is to create a **safe, supportive, and engaging** learning environment where every young person can thrive.

Description

Prospero CES provide education services for children from KS1 to KS4 and post-16 who are unable to access mainstream education, require additional support, or who have been excluded and require continued education provision, with the view to transitioning back into mainstream schooling.

Our CES team have been providing Alternative Provision services for more than 8 years. In that time, we have worked with over 60 different councils and LEAs across England. We have extensive experience in supporting local authorities and schools to engage pupils, develop strategies through providing high impact intervention services, and deliver specific programmes that address barriers to the young person's educational engagement and progression.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

At Prospero Teaching, we provide experienced tutors and mentors across the country, ensuring high-quality support wherever it's needed. We strive to arrange referrals within 48 hours of receiving them, so young people can access help quickly. Our dedicated tutors and mentors provide weekly progress reports and daily attendance updates to keep everyone informed. Additionally, our fully trained SEND specialists have extensive experience working with children with additional learning needs, ensuring tailored support for every student.

PSHE Drugs

This intervention is delivered by Thames Valley Police force on site and therefore does not need Quality Assurance.

Contact Details

Russ Massie
Tel 07717653741
Force Tactical Lead for Child Centred Policing, Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit, Didcot Fire Station, Oxfordshire, OX11 8RX
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Age Range

Year 9

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

0800hrs to 1600hrs

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Lesson plan for a class.

Cost

Free

DfE Registered

N

Description

Thames Valley VRU, NPCC and the PSHE Association have produced quality assured PSHE lesson resources for secondary schools on key topics such as serious violence including knife crime. These are jointly delivered by trained officers in the classroom to enhance trust and legitimacy in the police as well as increase student knowledge. PSHE - Thames Valley VRU

To access register on the TV VRU website [Home - Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit \(tvvru.co.uk\)](http://www.tvvru.co.uk)

[Early Intervention & Prevention - Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit \(tvvru.co.uk\)](http://www.tvvru.co.uk)

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

[Thames Valley Police 'Drug Education' lesson pack, year 9 | www.pshe-association.org.uk](http://www.pshe-association.org.uk)

PSHE Violence

This intervention is delivered by Thames Valley Police force on site and therefore does not need Quality Assurance.

Contact Details

Russ Massie
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Force Tactical Lead for Child Centred Policing, Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit, Didcot Fire Station, Oxfordshire, OX11 8RX
Email Russell.Massie@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

Age Range

Years 7, 8 and 9

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

0800hrs to 1600hrs

Cost

Free

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Lesson plan for a class.

DfE Registered

N

Description

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[Early Intervention & Prevention - Thames Valley Violence Reduction Unit \(tvvru.co.uk\)](http://tvvru.co.uk)

<https://pshe-association.org.uk/tpviolenceprevention>

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Randstad Tuition Services

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Website <https://www.randstad.co.uk/employers/areas-of-expertise/education/tuition-services-intervention/>

Age Range

Ages 0 - 18

Days Available

Monday to Sunday

Hours Available

08.00 - 20.00

Cost

£55 online - per hour

£60 face to face - per hour

DfE Registered

No

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Tuition can be delivered **face to face or online, 1:1 or group basis**. Sessions are available **all year, during summer and half term periods, delivered in 30 minutes to 1 hour sessions (can be adapted to 45 minutes) during the day, evenings or weekends**. How and when tuition is delivered is based on parent/carers/pupil preferences and any special educational needs or barriers to engagement. As part of the Randstad referral process, we encourage referrers, parent/carers and pupils to share how best to support a pupil with the Randstad Team (RT) at multiple points; for example if a pupil struggles with anxiety or meeting new stakeholders, tuition may start online and move to face to face as a pupils confidence with the pupil/Tutor relationship improves, additionally if a pupil has been diagnosed with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, sessions may be delivered face to face in the pupils home/care setting with frequent movement breaks outside to maintain engagement.

Description

Randstad has been providing educational support to children and young people across **primary, secondary and further & higher education for 30+ years**. As a **DfE registered and quality assured tuition provider**, we specialise in provision of **subject specific tuition** (including English and Maths) and **non academic intervention (including mentoring, enrichment, counselling and alternative provision) for pupils from year 1-13**. Working with 145+ local authorities (LA), we support pupils referred for support from LA teams in **virtual schools, school improvement, 16+, SENDART, children missing in education and young offenders**, this list is not exhaustive. Last year we also supported 4500 schools and 118 Universities with provision of Teachers, Teaching Assistants, Mental Health Practitioners, Tutors, Mentors and SEND specialists delivering 700,000 hours of support in the last 2 years.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

As the world's leading partner for talent, we help people secure meaningful roles, develop relevant skills and find purpose and belonging in their workplace. Our specialist consultants across the UK are experts in their local markets. Working across over 70 branches in England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland our teams are focused on matching the right candidate with the right workplace. Our core values, established in the company's early days, guide our behaviour and represent the foundation of our culture. They help us develop, grow and better service our clients, candidates and other stakeholders. To know, to serve, to trust and striving for perfection. For example our Randstad TLC packages, which are part of Randstad Care who have been providing social care professionals for over 60 years, are tailored care packages designed to provide stability for vulnerable individuals until a registered provider can be secured.

Restorative Justice Service

This intervention is delivered by Thames Valley Police force on site and therefore does not need Quality Assurance.

Contact Details

Thames Valley Restorative Justice Service
 Tel 01844 487 980
 The Coach House
 Manor Farm
 Aston Sandford
 Aylesbury
 Buckinghamshire
 HP17 8JB
 Email rjenquiries@tvrjs.org.uk (for general enquiries or self-referrals)
 or rj.enquiries@tvrjs.cjsm.net (secure email for agency use).

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

10 to 18 years

Days Available

See website

Hours Available

See website

Cost

Free

Description

Thames Valley RJS are now able to support schools with a fast time Restorative Justice response to any appropriate incidents and can be referred simply via the Safer Schools Officers.
[Thames Valley Restorative Justice Service | \(tvrjs.org.uk\)](http://tvrjs.org.uk)

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

SATRO Alternative Provision

Contact Details

Name Mo Forgan
mo.forgan@satro.org.uk

Tel 01483 688 070

Address: Surrey Technology Centre,
40 Occam Road,
Surrey Research Park. Guildford.
GU2 7YG

Cost

£1,800 for 6-week course

DfE Registered

No

Age Range

13-16

Days Available

Tuesdays am/pm, Thursdays pm, Fridays pm

Hours Available

9-4 (see above)

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Group size of up to 6 students with 1 2 1 possible

Description

A supportive programme that can reach those students who are disengaging with education and school. Our qualified tutors will deliver a 6-week AQA course in a construction module for those students who may struggle to see the value of formal education. The tutors are independent from the school which is often helpful for students who may have a hostile attitude to traditional teaching. As practical skills are taught there is an opportunity to achieve real results which speak to those students who struggle academically. Mentoring the students is embedded in this, as is discussion about employment and skills.

This AP offer is aimed to provide a stepping stone for those students who are disengaged from mainstream education. It would lead to the student achieving an AQA in one of the construction units and for some it may be their first academic achievement. The courses offer extra-curricular learning which for some students has a relevance that academic learning cannot reach – one student at the end of the 2024 academic year wrote:

"SATRO has made me come in on days I didn't want to and now I really want to go to college".

Teacher feedback: *"The support and training SATRO offers to children who are keen to learn a trade (of which there are many) is of great value. One boy that I work with at [school name] has responded very positively to Kevin's teaching style; Kevin, he has shared, is his 'favourite' teacher".*

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Construction skills level 1 BTEC and AQA accreditation.

Stable Futures

Contact Details

Name Emily Clayton

Tel 07795 342004

Address: **Stable Futures**

Simms Farm, Simms Lane, Mortimer
Common, Reading RG7 2JP

Email stablefutures@amegreencs.co.uk

Age Range

6 years to 17 years

Days Available

Monday to Friday (Term time only)

Hours Available

10am-2pm Monday to Friday

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Across Simms Farm site we can have 10 learners per day. Forest Provision we can have 10 learners per day. Sully Farm (new site) 10 learners per day.

Peer group ratio of no more than 4-1 (session delivery from adult- ie. Lead tutor/ learning mentor/ bush craft lead/ Equine Specialist).

DfE Registered

N

Cost

£320 per day – this includes all activities/ equine engagement and breakfast/ snacks and a hot lunch each day. Minimum of a Terms booking We have flexibility to start before 10am if needed, (9am), to be discussed on referral.

Description

Stable Futures is based on a 32-acre farm, with horses, small animals and horticulture and nature activities as well as forest and bushcraft skills. Activities can be bespoke to your needs. Stable Futures offer a great addition to your school curriculum. We are offering enrichment, personal development and evidence for your British Values and SMSC. We are able to evidence parts of social skills development or communication skills in outcomes for EHCPs.

Stable Futures can also offer next steps to students unable to access a full curriculum. With this offer tailored Numeracy and Literacy skills, accessing our IDL platform.

We are known to local authorities such as Brighter Futures, West Berkshire, Wokingham, Bracknell and Oxfordshire. We are Quality assured regularly and as an AP we are known to Ofsted.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Accreditation routes for learners are via AQA certificates. We submit a weekly update tracker with narrative and pictures, to ensure the referral partner and carer are kept up to date with engagement and progress. We have staff qualified as RDA group coach, Level 3 Certificate in Supporting Teaching and Learning bushcraft lead, Animal Lead Tutor, Equine specialists, Nurture Group Practitioner, Education lead, Governance chair, Bachelor of Education, NPQH, qualified Psychotherapist, LEAP Registered Practitioner.

Storyy Group

Contact Details

Name- - Natalie Lee

Tel- Phone:07901137379

Office: 01344860868

Address- The Courtyard, White Horse Lane, Finchampstead, RG40 4LW

Email- Natalie.lee@storyy.group

Age Range

5- post 16

Days Available

Monday-Friday

Hours Available

8.45am-3.15pm. After school hours can be accommodated with outreach.

Cost

Standard rate- £55.00 per hour- however negotiable for block bookings. Further information upon request
1:1 or Outreach- £100 per hour

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Primary site- Storyybrook
Secondary provision
Birch Hill- Sports provision
Finchampstead- Creative Arts provision
Trades- construction provision

DfE Registered

N

Description

SEMH Alternative provision-what we do:

Partnerships: We work with local authorities, schools, teachers, parents, and social-care institutes to create the right pathways for young people.

Engagement: We connect with children through their interests using tailored programmes to help them engage and learn.

Assemblies: We provide in-school assemblies to educate on knife crime, anti-bullying, LGBTQIA+ sexual health and other topics.

Group Projects: We create customized projects like dance workshops, group boxing, 1:1 boxing, and teacher workshops.

Mentoring: We provide mentoring at our venues in Bracknell and Wokingham area or through outreach sessions, available for individual students in the morning and afternoons.

Assessment: We evaluate each student's needs and assign them to mentor packages: 12-Week Reintegration, Awaiting Placement, Training & Qualification Pathway, SEMH Placement, Outreach & Respite.

End goal: We want to equip students with new skills to help them transition back to mainstream schooling.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

We have high staffing rations and are able to support a wide range of needs including SEND, SEMH, neurodiversity and medical needs. We offer a range of therapeutic approaches through ELSA, PAWS, and more.

Our qualified tutors are also able to provide functional skills tutoring in Maths and English alongside an SEMH provision.

For more information, please visit <https://storyy.group/about/>

To refer please see: <https://storyy.group/referral/>

Troopers Community Equestrian Centre

Contact Details

Name: Miss M Khokar

Tel: 01753 852894

Address: Alexander First School,
Kenneally, Oakley Green, Windsor, SL4
4XP

Email: officeadmin@alexanderfirst.co.uk

Cost

£250 per session

Price may increase depending on child's
1:1 needs.

DfE Registered

Yes

Age Range

6-14 Years

Days Available

Monday-Friday

Hours Available

Mon to Fri 9am-1pm (breakfast and a
hot lunch provided)

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

Group sessions of up to 6 children with
a high adult to pupil ratio depending on
individual needs.

Description

Troopers Equestrian Centre is a sanctuary of healing and growth in which we harness the extraordinary bond between humans and horses to support pupils' social, emotional and mental health needs (SEMH). We are more than just a riding school or therapy centre; we are a community united in the belief that horses can help write stories of hope, resilience, and renewal. Through equine therapy, we bridge divides, build connections, and empower people to overcome obstacles.

Pupils will take part in practical lessons as well as developing their understanding of horse and stable care. During these sessions young people will develop the following Personal, Social and Emotional (PSHE) skills:

- Building confidence and self-esteem
- Improving communication skills
- Encouraging emotional regulation
- Developing trust and responsibility
- Reducing anxiety and stress
- Improving focus and discipline
- Fostering social skills and teamwork

Our team has experience of supporting children with a range of complex needs such as ERSA, Autism, PDA, Non-Verbal, ADHD, Anxiety and OCD. We use our own assessment criteria to track the children's progress during their time with us.

Any Other Info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Troopers Equestrian has a number of experienced educational practitioners:

- Equine Specialist and Coach
- Nurture Practitioner
- Qualified SENDCO
- SEMH lead
- Qualified teachers
- Designated Safeguarding Lead
- ELSA support assistants
- Filial therapist

Unique Inclusion

Contact Details

Name:

Michelle Underwood, Unique Inclusion

<https://uniqueinclusion.wixsite.com/website-1>

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Age Range

2-25

Days Available

Weekdays and school holidays as required

Hours Available

8am to 5.30pm

Cost

Price per referral from £300

Prices from £62.50 per hour when bought on bulk

DfE Registered

Y/ N

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

In school outreach support, to include observation, assessment, intervention planning, staff training, staff modelling and staff consultation.

Home based support funded by schools or LA is also available

Description

- Support for schools and families to understand underlying reasons for their young person's difficulties.
- Individualised strategies introduced to allow pupils to access educational, social or community settings safely and consistently.
- Positive, proactive and preventative strategies introduced that meet needs of pupils reducing episodes of distress and behaviours of concern.
- In person, fast response with minimal referral documentation required
- All areas of SEND and SEMH supported. No requirement for diagnosis, or EHCP status
- Individual pupil referrals, school-wide provisions and staff training and consultancy available
- Assessment and summary reports available upon request

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Board certified behaviour analyst, and PSA registered UKBA (cert). MSc in behaviour analysis, qualified in functional behaviour assessment and positive behaviour support. 25 years experience in the field.

uSports

Contact Details

Name - uSports

Tel - 0118 449 2641

Address – Provision On School Site

Email – info@u-sports.co.uk

Age Range

4 – 16 Years

Days Available

Monday to Friday

Hours Available

Before, During & After School Provision

Cost

1:1 Support – Starting From £25.27 Per Hour

Alternative Provision - Starting From £30.47
Per Hour

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

1:1 Support – Mentors can support for
single sessions away from the classroom, for
the full day in the class or a combination.

Alternative Provision – Small group
interventions for up to 6-8 children outside
the typical classroom on school site.

DfE Registered

N

Description

Supporting Success Through Active Interventions: uSports offers targeted support within schools for vulnerable, disengaged, and SEND learners.

1:1 Support – Our dedicated mentors act as a positive role model and provide support across the whole curriculum to support learners to engage in school life.

Alternative Provision – Our bespoke uFirst programme provides purposeful and directed support for small group to actively develop core life skills through sport using the Zones of Regulation framework.

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

If you are interested in uSports supporting learners in your setting, we are pleased to offer a **no obligation free trial** for both our 1:1 support and alternative provision programmes. Get in touch with us today to arrange your free trial.

Wacky Woods Alternative Provision Based at TVAP. Formally Evergreen.

Contact Details

Name Vicki Egarr

Tel 07879 726466

Address

Thames Valley Adventure Playground
Bath Road,
Taplow,
Maidenhead,
SL6 0PR

Cost

£150 Per Day

DfE Registered

N

Age Range

Reception to Year 8

Days Available

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Hours Available

9am-3pm

Capacity, Group Size, Structure

10 – 12 places available
No EHCP Necessary to access
intervention

Description

Originally known as Evergreen AP, we have successfully supported children that struggle to access school on a full-time basis at Little Muddy Me Bray Lake for the past year. Due to our growth, we have decided to expand our provision to TVAP with the new name of Wacky Woods while continuing our home education services at Evergreen.

Our unique setting allows children to thrive outside, away from the confines of traditional classrooms. This open space encourages freedom and exploration, with a mix of planned and self-directed activities tailored to each child's interests. We focus on emotional literacy, risk awareness, physical growth, executive functioning skills, and overall wellbeing.

At Wacky Woods, we don't follow the National Curriculum. Instead, we support each child's unique targets through a cross-curricular approach, providing a rich learning environment that caters to their specific needs. Our aim is to promote emotional and social growth, building self-esteem and preparing children to face challenges confidently.

Through diverse activities, trips, and hands-on learning, we aim to broaden their horizons and increase cultural capital.

Additionally, our provision includes access to a farm where children can interact with animals and grow vegetables, enhancing their connection to nature and responsibility.

Children do not have to have an EHCP to join our provision. We have recognised that it is harder for EHCP's to be issued and we don't want any child to miss out on education because of that.

Any questions please get in touch

Any other info (qualifications, structure, specialisms etc.)

Our Provision Head is Level 5, level 2 Behaviour support, Forest School Lead, DSL and SENCo, supported by 2 coach/mentors with a wealth of experience with children with behavioural and disability needs. All staff are Paediatric First Aid, Mental Health First Aid, Team Teach and have completed safeguarding training.