

Parent Information, Support and Advice

At Manston Primary School, we want our parents and carers to know that there are several agencies and services to offer advice and support if you need it.

If you want to know more about what information and support is available, please scan the QR codes next to a service's logo to be taken directly to their website where there is a whole host of further advice and avenues of support.

MindMate SPA



MindMate Single Point of Access (SPA) is a service run by the NHS that helps children and young people in Leeds find support with their mental health.



Leeds SEND Local Offer

The Leeds Local Offer provides information for parents/carers in one place.



SENSAP



The local authority's Special Educational Needs Statutory Assessment and Provision Team.



Leeds SENDIASS



A statutory-based service offering information, advice and support relating to all things SEND.



IPSEA



Independent Provider of Special Education Advice; an organisation helping children and young people get the education they are entitled to by law.



Early Help



Early help is our approach to providing support to children, young people and their families as soon as necessary.



Leeds Mencap



An independent charity for those with learning disabilities.



MindMate Support Team



The MindMate Support Team is an early intervention Mental Health Support Team.



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Your Key Staff

At Manston Primary School, if your child is identified as having special educational needs or a disability (SEND), you will be invited to talk to the class teacher, the Special Needs Co-ordinator (SENDCo) and Safeguarding and Welfare Officer (SGWO) also.

You may also have your own concerns regarding your child's progress or wellbeing, and this should first be discussed with your child's class teacher.

You may also wish to contact our SENDCo or SGWO. Arrangements will be made for a meeting where school will listen carefully to concerns and put appropriate actions in place. Please see their details below.

Mrs Laura Twohey

SENDCo

Hi, I'm Laura Twohey, your new SENDCO at Manston Primary School from September. I have been a primary school teacher for over 15 years and a SENDCO for 4 years. I'm also a specialist dyslexia teacher and assessor. I believe that just like our pupils, as a teacher, I should always be trying to learn new things and improve my skills. I have three of my own primary-aged children, a husband and three guinea pigs. In my spare time, I play netball, go running and listen to audiobooks.



Miss Kirsty Thorpe

SGWO

Hello! I'm Kirsty Thorpe and I'm the Safeguarding and Welfare Officer here at Manston Primary School. I have worked in schools for over 12 years and have worked at Manston since September 2020. I wear a lot of hats at Manston, including being a designated safeguarding lead, key contact for improving attendance, supporting pupils with behaviour and supporting the SENDCo after completing the qualification in July 2023. I have a passion for making sure that every pupil and their family has every opportunity to succeed and reach their full potential!



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