



Common Acronyms

SEND	Special Educational Needs and Disabilities
EP	Educational Psychologist
SALT	Speech and Language Therapy
PP	Pupil Premium
NASEN	National Association for Special Educational Needs
SpLd	Specific Learning Difficulties. An umbrella term covering a wide range of identifiable difficulties. When these difficulties are clustered together, often more definitive sub-sets are used such as 'dyslexia', 'dyscalculia'.
EHCP	Education, Health and Care Plan. A legally enforceable document that describes the special educational needs of the child and how these needs will be met.
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder A specific learning difficulty typically presenting as exceptionally low concentration span, poor working memory, limited organisational skills with extreme impulsivity.
DCD	Development Co-ordination Difficulty. Also termed Dyspraxia
SEMH	Social, emotional and mental health
MLD	Moderate Learning Difficulties
DDA	Disability Discrimination Act
EHA	Early Help Assessment
APDR	Assess-Plan-Do-Review
ADOS	Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule
PMLD	Profound and multiple learning disability
K	The code use to record children on SEN support to be used in the statutory census (term on term) E is used for EHCP.
ASC	Autistic Spectrum Conditions