

# **Sharing Inclusive Practice: Rosebank Inclusion Hub**

## Thursday 21st September 1:30pm - 3:30pm

A session to share the rationale and development journey of Rosebank's Inclusion Hub and consider how the concept could be adapted to fit the needs of individual schools.

Rosebank Inclusion Hub is primarily a drop-in emotional regulation space, with zones and activities tailored to a range of sensory needs.

#### **Benefits:**

We have found that the creation of the hub has led to:

- Greater support for staff working with children with SEN and provided some opportunity for the reduction in the number of 1:1 staff needed through school
- Improving behaviour throughout school
- Improving attendance
- Calmer lunchtimes

Children love coming to the hub and knowing that it is there when they need it. In our Ofsted in December 2023, provision for children with SEMH and targeted support for children with high needs was considered a strength. We are now a beacon school for Health and Well Being.

### How it works:

It is staffed full-time, including lunchtimes, but the aim is to support and promote the inclusion of learners with SEND and SEMH needs in their own classrooms, aiming to minimise time learners spend away from their peers.

Observation and reflection by the Inclusion Hub Leader during drop-ins feeds into timetabled SEMH interventions in the Inclusion Hub and developing personalised strategies that individual children can use back in the classroom.

Children with ASC also use the space for sensory breaks and intensive interaction, either with the Inclusion Hub Leader or classroom staff. Observations during these sessions feed into professional dialogue, guidance, and support for staff in tailoring classroom provision to meet the needs of the learners alongside their peers.

The Inclusion Hub is also used for other targeted 1:1 intervention, such as physiotherapy and PECS sessions, and as an alternative space to the dinner hall or playground for children who find these spaces overwhelming at lunchtime.

#### Interested? Come along!

We still have a lot to learn and would love to develop a group to share good practice. If you would like to attend Rosebank to find out more and look at ways of working together, please come and meet the Inclusion hub leader, SENCO and Headteacher

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