

Magdalen Gates Preschool – Local offer for Special Educational Needs and Disabilities

1. What is the name of your service?

Magdalen Gates Preschool

2. What is your service?

Preschool offering all day or sessional care and education for 3-4 year olds, mornings and afternoons, 15 hours per week funded providing spaces available. We also accept 30 hour funding for eligible families.

3. Where is your service located, what geographic area(s) does it cover? How is it delivered? (Clinic, outreach, school, community centre etc)?

NR3 area north city of Norwich, close to local amenities.

4. What needs does your service aim to meet for children and young people with SEND and their families?

Families with 3-4 year old children. Experiences and activities planned to individual children's needs and interests, following the EYFS

5. What outcomes does your service aim to achieve for children and young people with SEND and their families?

To achieve the child's best outcome through rich learning experiences. Individual educational plans. Transitions to school. Families are supported in conjunction with any other outside agencies if required.

6. How can children & young people with SEND and their families start to use your service?

Direct contact with setting. Apply for waiting list. Waiting list in date of birth order. If space is available and the setting and key person is suitably trained to care for the

child's needs or requirements (medically or physically) eg autism spectrum training

7. How is your service fully accessible to children, young people with SEND and their families eg: facilities, support from staff?

Wheelchair accessible, trained staff in a range of different needs

8. How do you communicate with children, young people with SEND and their families?

Daily verbal communication. Sharing online learning journals on Tapestry

9. Are you a registered service and if so who is your regulatory body?

Ofsted Registration Number 544324

10. What training have your staff and/or volunteers received to support children and young people with SEND and their families?

All staff at least level 2 child care education trained. Three at level 3. Various individual staff trained in autism spectrum, EAL, early talk speech and language courses etc.

11. Who can I contact for further information about your service?

See www.magdalengatespreschool.com for further details. Paula Watts, manager, 01603 665783 office@magdalengatespreschool.com

12. Who can I contact if I have a compliment, concern or complaint about your service?

You can contact us by email: office@magdalengatespreschool.com, telephone: 01603 665783 or via the contact form on our website: www.magdalengatesprecshool.com.

Ofsted via telephone: 0300 123 1231

13.What future plans do you have for developing your service?

Developing music and movement sessions, music wall in the garden, developing partnerships with parents around speech, language and communication in the family, developing communication friendly spaces in the garden.

14.Are you able to accept Direct Payments? If so what is the cost of your service? (specify whether hourly, unit rate, day rate etc)

Usually spaces filled with 3-4 year funded children

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