



How do we identify whether a child has a speech, language and communication need, requiring speech and language therapy?

Cause for concern

A cause for concern is identified through:

- Parental concerns
- Identified through health services
- Staff concerns using the Chatterbug Referral Guidelines (to be updated)



Parent Concerns	Health Services	Teacher Concerns
<p>Concerns are logged on CPOMS under SALT and Short Note.</p>	<p>School work closely with health services</p> <p>Children may have been identified through health services</p>	<p>Concerns are logged on CPOMS under SALT and Short Note.</p> <p>Staff should speak to parents about their concerns and gain consent for any referrals.</p>

Speech, Language and Communication Support

Our Speech, Language and Communication support is detailed in our whole school provision map and our tiers of SLCN support.



Seaside SALT	NHS SALT	SEND Support
<p>A referral can be made to Seaside SaLT Speech and Language Therapy.</p> <p>Details of the concern and background information will be submitted before the child is seen by a Speech and Language Therapist.</p> <p>The child may receive targeted SALT therapy.</p>	<p>A referral can be made by school or health services.</p> <p>The child may be seen by an NHS Therapist.</p> <p>A NHS therapy plan may be delivered in school.</p>	<p>A child may be or may be placed on the SEND register.</p> <p>They will receive targeted support through and Individual Provision Map (see SEND policy)</p>