

# Overleigh St Mary's CE Primary School

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## What support will there be for my child's overall wellbeing?

We recognise that some children have extra emotional and social needs, which may sometimes require additional support or intervention. These needs can manifest themselves in a number of ways, including behavioural difficulties, anxiety, and being uncommunicative.

All classes include PSHCE (Personal, Social, Health and Citizenship education) in their curriculum to support this development. However, for those children who need additional help we offer:

- Social Skills / Nurture Groups
- SOS Listening Ear Sessions
- ELSA resources and support materials
- Learning Mentor
- Play Therapist (limited places for those most in need of support)

If your child still needs extra support, with the parents'/carers' permission, the SENCo may access further support through the TAF process (Team around the Family) or by involving an appropriate outside agency professional, such as CAMHS. (Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service).

Members of staff have been trained in 'Mental Health First Aid' and in supporting children with anxiety and depression.