



Ask SALI – Graduated Response Team

SEND IMPLEMENTATION AND SUPPORT OFFICERS (SISOs) are available to all of our schools across Hertfordshire and are ready to support settings in ensuring that our children and young people across the county access the *right support in the right place at the right time*. SISOs are ready to support schools and families by providing a collective wealth of knowledge and experience which is easily accessible – early.

What is a PrISM (Pro-active Implementation and Support Meeting)? SISOs can facilitate an early help meeting to ensure that all stakeholders are accessing what is available to them and walk beside our families and schools on what can be a tricky journey - sharing knowledge and collaboratively establishing a way forward together, to empower CYP and families.

Our team of SISOs available to schools keep the child or young person (CYP) and the family at the very centre and positively promote seeking the CYP and family voice being mindful of the “tell us once” approach.



Early Support... SISOs are able to underpin the Code of Practice 2015 – 6.36 onward, which informs on special educational provision in schools, the graduated approach, when to involve specialists and when to request assessment. SISOs are happy to visit settings and discuss process with you and your team. Knowledge ensures timely and appropriate support.

“SISO was very knowledgeable and was very helpful. It was great to have someone to talk to and have timely advice given that can make a direct difference to both the focus pupils and practice generally. Thank you.”

GET IN TOUCH! Your SISOs are ready to open up conversations and facilitate PrISMs

Early support promotes better outcomes for our CYP and families.

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