

## Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND) Contacts and Responsibilities

This document should be viewed in conjunction with the Academy SEND policy found [here](#).

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Academy roles		
Role	Designated person	Contact Details
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SEN Manager	Mrs Maria Sothern	<a href="mailto:M.Sothern@ob-ac.co.uk">M.Sothern@ob-ac.co.uk</a>
External agencies		
Role	Information	Contact Details
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Local SEND Information & Support Services	SEND local offer for Halton	<a href="https://localoffer.haltonchildrenstrust.co.uk/">https://localoffer.haltonchildrenstrust.co.uk/</a>
Local Authority SEN Team	Halton SEND Partnership	<a href="mailto:SENDPARTNERSHIP@Halton.gov.uk">SENDPARTNERSHIP@Halton.gov.uk</a> 0151 511 7733
Behaviour Support Team	Halton Behaviour Support Service (HBSS)	<a href="mailto:hbss@halton.gov.uk">hbss@halton.gov.uk</a>
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IPSEA	Independent Provider of Special education Advice	<a href="https://www.ipsea.org.uk/">https://www.ipsea.org.uk/</a>
Council for Disabled Children	Advice & resources for professionals and parents	<a href="https://councilfordisabledchildren.org.uk/">https://councilfordisabledchildren.org.uk/</a>