

SEND/Inclusion Staff Supervision Groups

These online groups provided through Oxfordshire's Experts at Hand, offer a supportive space for SEND/Inclusion staff to come together with colleagues from other settings to reflect on practice, discuss challenges, and collaboratively problem-solve SEND and inclusion-related issues.

A problem-solving structure is used to explore and generate solutions to issues brought by members of the group. Topics are work-related but can include any aspect of your role that you would like to discuss. The first meeting will set out how the meetings will run and include an introduction to the problem-solving method that may be used.

Please note that the focus of this work is practice development and not individual children/young people. It cannot be used for or recorded as EP involvement for individuals.

The supervision groups are free of charge for schools and are available across the city, north and south localities.

What are the aims of the supervision group?

- Provide a reflective space for staff.
- Enable staff to think about complex situations, explore different perspectives, and develop greater understanding of pupils, systems and their own practice.
- Support schools to develop sustainable solutions within their own settings.
- Promote wellbeing, peer support and collaboration.

Who is it for?

Educational Psychologists will facilitate each group of up to eight SEND/Inclusion staff from schools within a geographical area: North, South or Central. Groups will be set up for different phases, including primary and secondary schools.

When will the groups take place?

There will be two meetings, each lasting up to two hours, between October and December 2026. Schools can book onto the first meeting through the online portal [Oxfordshire | Education Services](#)

The group will agree the date and time of the second meeting during the first session.

Where will the groups take place?

Meetings will take place online via Microsoft Teams. The Teams link will be provided as part of the booking process.

Will notes be taken or sessions recorded?

Sessions will not be recorded, and no central minutes will be produced. Participants can take their own notes if they wish.