

The Reintegration Service

An overview of information (full document of effectiveness is available, including case studies)

Number of students supported by the team

13/14 – 31

14/15 – 68

15/16 – estimated numbers for terms 1 and 2 are 60

Breakdown of pupil numbers in 14/15

Girls	21	
Boys	47	
Primary	14	(started Spring term 2015)
Secondary	54	KS3 62%
SEND (EHC/K)	44%	
Pupil Premium	44%	FSM 22%,
Destinations	76% mainstream schools	

Support Available

Individual and group support for both primary and secondary pupils.

Early intervention and reintegration following PRU intervention, including transition support for KS2-3 and 3-4.

Specific support for LAC pupils, both at risk of exclusion and resilience intervention as identified either by schools and/or the LACES team.

Examples of an individually tailored curriculum

Social skills, emotional literacy, mental health including anxiety, specialised counselling, ELSA, anger management, literacy and numeracy, nurture, resilience......

For pupils who have spent time in a Reintegration Service unit, a range of assessments are completed and are shared on return to school, enabling schools to provide identified interventions. Assessments for other pupils can be carried out on request.

Information is shared with the school following every outreach session and outreach workers are available to attend meetings such as reintegration, PEPs and reviews...

The Outreach team keep in contact with parents and can help with communications between families and schools.

Success in Schools

This is a free to schools, early intervention package, run by the Outreach team for a group of pupils. This has been successful at secondary level, mainly for year 8 pupils. So far in 15/16, three secondary schools have either had or requested the groups. Similar primary groups will be offered from Spring 2016.

Budget Information (financial year)

2014/15 £197,000 LA

This included 6 weeks of free reintegration support for schools, free KS2/3 and 2/4 transition, free early intervention secondary groups, free LAC support in schools for those at risk of exclusion.

2015/16 £117,000 LA (£80,000 pressure savings agreed)

Now includes 3 weeks of free reintegration support for schools, free KS2/3 and 2/4 transition, free early intervention secondary groups, free LAC support in schools for those at risk of exclusion.

Schools are now able to request additional support and early intervention support for any pupil, including looked after children. ELSA and counselling requests have particularly increased this year. These areas have has shown an increase in income for The Outreach team from £2800 in the 14/15 financial year to a predicted £12,000 for the 15/16 financial year. Remaining costs are being absorbed into The Reintegration Service budget.

Staffing

1fte Outreach Co-ordinator

1 primary teacher (3 days)

6 outreach workers (level 4) equivalent to 3fte

1 counsellor (2 days)