



Websites to support home learning for children with Special Educational Needs

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Speech Language and communication and interaction

- <https://classroom.thenational.academy/specialist/subjects/communication-and-language> Oak academy communication and language lessons
- <https://en.commtap.org/primary> A directory of activities and resources to support development of specific speech, language and communication needs, Searchable by age phase, subject, target and level of attainment.
- <https://www.thecommunicationtrust.org.uk/resources/resources/resources-for-parents/> A range of resources to help parents develop children speech and language needs.
- <https://ican.org.uk/a-message-to-our-supporters-on-coronavirus/activities-to-develop-speaking-and-listening-skills/> games and activities to support speech and language needs.
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/android-apps-for-complex-communication-support-needs/> a guide to android apps to support complex communication needs
- <https://pecs-unitedkingdom.com/support-at-home/> activities to support children and parents using PECS (picture Exchange)

Social, Emotional and mental health

- <https://www.elsa-support.co.uk/category/free-resources/> A range of resources, games etc. to support different areas of mental health; anxiety, anger, emotions, mindfulness etc.
- <https://managing-change.middletownautism.com/> resources aimed at autistic pupils, but could be used with others to support change, particularly around COVID 19.
- <https://www.autismlittlelearners.com/search/label/My%20Freebies?updated-max=2020-07-05T17:59:00-07:00&max-results=20&start=20&by-date=false> A range of social stories and resources around a lot of different life issues, including COVID 19, that can be used to support children's understanding.
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ipad-apps-for-complex-communication-support-needs/> iPad Apps for Complex Communication Support Needs
- <https://www.bookofbeasties.com/> Create a free account to access certain activities and resources to support mindfulness and well-being.
- <https://www.understood.org/en/school-learning/learning-at-home/games-skillbuilders/social-emotional-activities-for-children> a selection of games to play to build children's social and emotional awareness
- <https://lemonlimeadventures.com/lego-calm-down-jar/> Calm Jars: create a resource with your child to reduce anxiety

Cognition and learning

Maths

- <https://classroom.thenational.academy/specialist/subjects/numeracy> Oak academy lessons to support children with additional needs in specific areas of maths.



- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ipad-apps-for-learners-with-dyscalculianumeracy-difficulties/> iPad Apps for Learners with Dyscalculia/Numeracy Difficulties
- <https://www.easyreadtimeteacher.com/teacher-classroom-resources/> resources to support teaching to tell the time
- <https://www.weareteachers.com/active-math-games/> active games to support maths learning
- <https://www.didax.com/math/virtual-manipulatives.html> virtual physical resources to help children understand maths, cubes, tens frames, number lines, bead strings, and many more!

English

- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/android-apps-for-learners-with-dyslexia/> Android Apps for Learners with Dyslexia / Reading and Writing Difficulties
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/powerpoint-books-for-young-readers/> Free Powerpoint Books for Young Readers
- https://www.booksfortopics.com/dyslexic-readers?fbclid=IwAR1_cTqfjigl-KkzG9UVxUq_cwmZfBJ9yIvdA6R5utt-Jbxer7Xy6xLaolY List of Dyslexia friendly books
- <https://www.rhymingmultisensorystories.com/> multisensory stories for downloading using signs, props, movement etc. to engage children with special needs.
- <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/free-ebooks/> free e-book library, select by age group

General

- <https://dekkocomics.com/topic-guide> Comic books that can be downloaded and support learning in different areas of the curriculum, aimed at KS2
- <https://classroom.thenational.academy/specialist/subjects/early-development-learning> Early develop lesson for pupils working below year 1 level.
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ict-to-support-learners-with-dyslexia/> Ways to use technology to Support Learners with Dyslexia
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/inclusive-learning-resources/> Resources to support SEND learning
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ipad-apps-for-learners-with-complex-additional-support-needs/> iPad Apps for Learners with Complex Additional Support Needs
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/ipad-apps-for-learners-with-dyslexia/> iPad Apps for Learners with Dyslexia
- <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zn5RLhNWocRG9KyoHu4boFigo5G8Zc3lxDkgJw-uBGQ/edit?fbclid=IwAR1-h3BvteNDDHTcqbStqz7YECBpgfifaW58D2E8NHS2EmiOfqwuSHfDYSU> A list of free or cheap apps for developing a range of learning skills
- <https://vimeo.com/457320105?fbclid=IwAR3m1100UbrduVvNCqW6eN7OVUZdXO38APRka-cObxntllwNoh34AXjb7P8> Funky feet dance and movement videos
- <https://do2learn.com/> Downloadable resources, activity and lesson ideas for literacy, numeracy, behaviour and social skills of needs including social skills.
- <https://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/> accessible learning games for English, maths, memory and typing skills



- <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/ioe/news/2020/mar/resources-available-support-homeschooling> Resources available to support homeschooling
- <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpkztoFHlgP4jPDKWNWaHA> ways to learn through play

Sensory and/or physical needs

- <https://classroom.thenational.academy/specialist/subjects/physical-development> Oak academy lesson to support children with additional in in their physical development
- <https://sensory-processing.middletownautism.com/> support for autistic learners with sensory processing, ideas for activities, resources and guidance for those supporting them
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/using-the-ipad-to-support-learners-with-physical-difficulties/> A guide to using the iPad to Support Learners with Physical Difficulties
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/using-the-ipad-to-support-learners-with-visual-difficulties/> Using the iPad to Support Learners with Visual Difficulties
- <https://www.callscotland.org.uk/downloads/posters-and-leaflets/using-windows-10-accessibility-tools-to-support-learners-with-visual-difficulties/> Using Windows 10 'Accessibility' Tools to Support Learners with Visual Difficulties
- <https://www.griffinot.com/developing-childrens-fine-motor-skills/fine-motor-activities-with-kim-griffinot/> 10 weeks worth of videos with activities to develop children fine motor skills
- <https://www.rhymingmultisensorystories.com/> multisensory stories for downloading using signs, props, movement etc. to engage children with special needs.
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zf2f9j6/articles/z3c6tfr> dance mat typing to develop typing skills, different levels of challenge.
- https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC_ah-07GtU9ou18fXpkcZSQ Learn British sign language fun videos

Self-help and independence

- <https://classroom.thenational.academy/specialist/subjects/independent-living> Oak academy lesson developing life skills such as dressing, personal care etc.
- <https://life-skills.middletownautism.com/> Resources aimed at support children with autism develop essential life skills such as personal hygiene, self-care, safety, managing work and leisure activities.