Dear Settings,

Welcome back. We hope you are looking forward to the final term of this academic year.

Please read through the newsletter as we have lots of valuable information, training and resources for you.

We look forward to working with you this term.

Useful Links

Please click on the green boxes to open the links

SENCO Essentials – the documents here are intended to support you in your role as setting SENCO

SENCo Essentials

Training – all our key training sessions for the remainder of 2025/26

Training Menu

Useful Websites

Early Years SEND Advisory Team Website

Barnet Local Offer

SENIF Update from Feray Souleiman - Head of SEN

We have listened to and heard the frustrations of many settings, regarding SENIF. We are very sorry that the transition process has not been as smooth as we had hoped.

Therefore, moving forward we will trial monthly SENIF Panels. We have also up dated the letters to include the funding table.

SENIF funding will be awarded for 2 terms unless the child is transitioning or is subject to the issuing of an EHCP.

Settings are to continue sending in their application requests to Senifs@Barnet.gov.uk. These can be sent at any point throughout the year. They will then be allocated to the next SENIF Panel.

We have reviewed the processing of letters after panel and are trialling a new approach. We hope this will resolve some of the frustrations. Please keep us posted.

Feray Souleiman

Head of SEN

SEN Assessment and Placements Team

Barnet Education and Learning Service

2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW

FORMS

You can click on the links below which will take you to the most up to date form.

SENIF Application Form

EHCP Application Form

Intake Referral Form

Important Dates for this half term

Wednesday 1st July 2026

1.15pm - 2.30pm

Understanding Autism for Settings

An exploration into what is Autism. How we can support children and families and the key areas we need to consider.

Please email adviceline@eyit.barnetmail.net to register your interest for this training, including your name, email address and setting name.

Additional Information

Barnet Children's Integrated Therapies (CIT)

Attached is the Universal Summer Term Training Menu for Barnet Children's Integrated Therapies.

If you have any questions about these sessions please email whh-tr.barnetcit@nhs.net

Barnet Children's Centre information

Attached are the Children's Centre activity timetables for the Summer Term.

Service Evaluation Feedback Form

Thank you to everyone who has already filled in the Service Evaluation Feedback Form. For those of you who haven't, we would be extremely grateful if you could click on the link below and fill in the feedback form, so that we can keep improving our service to you.

This shouldn't take too long and it really would be appreciated.

Feedback Form

Your SEND Advisor

Your SEND Advisor linked to your setting will be your main point of contact and will share their details with you. Please note: For main correspondence and any training bookings please use: adviceline@eyit.barnetmail.net

Our contact number is:
020 8361 2456 Ext 1

Email Advice Line