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PROGRAMME UPDATE

Keeping stakeholders, parents and carers informed about Dudley's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Improvement Programme.

3) Dudley SEND Strategy Launch: 30 September



On Thursday 30 September Dudley launched its new strategy at a virtual event. More than 100 attendees heard first-hand experiences from young people, parents and carers as well as inspiring presentations from guest speakers in Carrie Grant and Dave Heeley.

Attendees also heard from partners as to how through collaboration we have been able to design the strategy following a comprehensive consultation exercise with a range of stakeholders.

A recording of the virtual event is available on our <u>website</u>, along with accessible versions of the strategy itself.







A huge thank you to everyone who completed our survey following the event. We plan to share the results of the survey in the new year.

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