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PROGRAMME UPDATE

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

4) Inclusion Charter

Dudley's Educational Psychology Service has developed an Inclusion Charter for the borough's schools. The aim is that the Charter will give children, young people and parents confidence and trust in all educational settings to overcome the barriers to meaningful and positive participation in all aspects of education and create equity while valuing diversity in our educational settings - over time, reducing the potential isolation of those with additional needs.

Being an inclusive Dudley school means we meet the needs of our children and young people, regardless of their background, skills or life experiences. In order to achieve this, five core values must be fulfilled:

- All *welcomed*
- All *valued*
- All *safe*
- All *happy*
- All *learning*

To learn more about the Charter and the pilot programme for local schools, watch our [short animation](#). Closed captions are available.

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