

Are you Vision Aware?



Classroom and corridors

Organised? Clutter free?



UnderstandingChecked?



LightingControllable?

Working? Reduced glare?



Glasses

On? Clean? Correct fit?



Resources

Modified?
Good quality?
Clear and clutter free?
Good level of
colour contrast?



Seating

Optimal position?
Able to see the board?
Not facing a window?



Physical Difficulties - Inclusion in the Classroom

Children and Young People's (CYP's) Voice - Are they being heard and listened to?



Independence

Can the CYP access their lessons?
Use the toilet?
Be with their peers?



Recording Work

Can the CYP record their work how they want?
Handwriting, scribe, typing, voice input.



Practical Lessons

Can the CYP access PE?
School trips?
ICT or technology lessons?



Timetable

Are the CYP supported by staff?
Timetabled rest breaks?
Can all staff and CYP use and understand appropriate communication strategies?
Talkers, signing, symbols.



Equipment

Can all staff help the CYP to use the equipment? Is it always available?

Have staff completed Moving and Handling training and is the paperwork in place?



Are you Multi-Sensory Aware?



Access

Equipment: On? Clean? Working? Charged?

Environment: Think lights, noise, clutter, layout.

Resources:

Are they familiar, accessible, and individual?



Communication

Remember ALL behaviour is communication.

Use a Total Communication approach (BSL, AAC, symbols, touch, verbal).

Know how likes, dislikes and preferences are communicated.



Time

To experience. To process and respond. To follow a familiar routine.



Are you Deaf Aware?



Have you repeated other pupil contributions?

Are you standing still?

Are you using visual support?

Are new or key words on the board?

Can I see your face - is the light on your face?

Is it quiet?

Is one person talking at a time?