

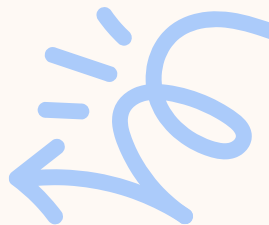
ADDITIONAL LEARNING SUPPORT WEBPAGE

Scan the QR code below which will take you directly to our webpage. This shows all the additional needs we support, our ALS teams and the transition to college. There is also a section on 'meet the team' where you can put faces to names for our teams!



<https://mkcollege.ac.uk/student-info/additional-learning-support/>

YOUR TRANSITION TO COLLEGE!



We understand that transitioning into college from school can be a challenge. At Milton Keynes College, we're here to support you every step of the way.

We will work closely with your school and local council as part of a standard process. This ensures we can meet your needs and that your time here is positive for both you and others.

If you are accepted onto a course here at Milton Keynes College, you will then have a initial assessment with a member of the team. This isn't a test, but a meeting for us to better understand your needs and how we can support you here at college.



At Milton Keynes College we offer support and information so we can create more inclusive spaces.

Our team is dedicated to creating an LGBTQIA+ safe space, making spaces where every student feels welcomed and supported. Our lead Autism Specialist Mentor takes pride in serving as the Chair of the LGBTQIA+ Network here!



MILTON KEYNES COLLEGE SEND & ALS TEAM



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ABOUT COLLEGE LIFE WHILST BEING NEURODIVERGENT

ALS = Additional Learning Support

At Milton Keynes College we recognise that students with ALS can experience college life differently. These students bring all types of strengths, views, and talents to the campus.

We aim to make an inclusive space where students with ALS are not only supported, but celebrated!

With the right support these students can make the most of their college life. They will achieve success both inside and outside the classroom.

WHY WHAT WE DO MATTERS?

Making sure our space includes everyone helps students be their best. If everyone feels supported, we boost their ambition to do well and improve their self esteem.

OUR OFFER TO YOU..

- ★ Quality First Teaching
- ★ Open door policy for students to all ALS staff
- ★ Initial Assessment (Chat with ALS staff so we can understand your needs better)
- ★ Out of class support (1+1 or small group academic interventions with our SEND Support Coaches)
- ★ Assessments for Exam Access Arrangements
- ★ Laptop banks (as well as long-term laptop loans where possible)
- ★ Assistive Technology to support reading and writing
- ★ Access to reader pens
- ★ Access to coloured overlays
- ★ Colorveil software on all laptops (digital coloured overlays)
- ★ Access to colour tinted note pads

- ★ Green room access and 1+1 with our Autism Team
- ★ Time out cards
- ★ Access to wellbeing support
- ★ Access to our college counsellors
- ★ Curriculum led parents' evenings
- ★ Support to apply for an EHCP
- ★ Graduated response if need to escalate support
- ★ Visits from Hearing Impairment and Visual Impairment specialist teacher teams
- ★ PEEPS (Personal Emergency Evacuation Plans) and Risk Assessments
- ★ Lift passes
- ★ Familiarisation visit (upon request)
- ★ SENDCO & Head of ALS are part of quality team inspections of learning areas

EHCP – Funded
All the above and in class support

EHCP - Unfunded
All the above and EHCP review scheduled or upon request