

A Proposal for a Special Free School

Supporting Pupils with Social, Emotional and Mental Health Needs

School can be tough going for children and young people with social, emotional, behavioural or mental health needs; **BUT it doesn't have to be.**

We are looking to develop a new school which would help those children and young people manage in a school setting and be supported in a way that **will enable them to SUCCEED.**

We would welcome your views as a parent please access our survey [HERE](#)

Being Entrepreneurs

working together and being part of the community. We want our pupils to learn valuable work skills from an early age. We plan to have two enterprise opportunities - **a flower farm and a digital fabrication lab**. Through these, pupils will get an opportunity to learn new skills, create business opportunities and build links with the local community. This element of the curriculum will also lead to a range of qualifications for our older pupils and support the learning of our younger pupils



A Bespoke Curriculum:

- Academic
- Therapeutic
- Social
- Enterprise



Our Therapeutic support:

For many children learning is much harder to access. Our therapeutic offer will support pupils to fill development gaps, help them to become more self-aware and help to address any difficult experiences they might have been through. Positive relationships will be central to the work we do so our pupils feel safe and secure in school. Our school will be 'attachment' aware and 'trauma' informed with all staff trained in the impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences and what this can mean for children.



To find out more information about our school vision please access: [HERE](#)

