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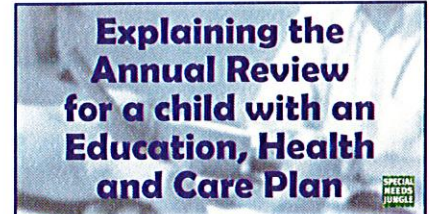
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Dear Parents/Carers

At Heron's Dale Primary School, alongside some other West Sussex Special schools, we have decided to pilot a new scheme in the delivery and administration of Annual Reviews. This is primarily to ensure best outcomes for our pupils over the course of a year, streamlining the process for teachers, co-ordinating target setting, increasing Senior Management Team presence and raising the profile of EHCP's as a whole.



Parental input into Annual Reviews is essential and we hope by introducing this new process that we can maximise parent/school engagement within the ECHP review.

Children in the Reception year will have 2 reviews. One in the Autumn term which will be a MAP and the other in the Summer Term which will be an Annual Review of their EHCP. A MAP (Making Action Plans) is a creative way of planning a shared vision for individuals and their families focusing on their individual story, unique strengths and interests

Children in Year 6 will have a PATH review in the Spring term (Planning Alternative Tomorrows with Hopes). At this PATH review, your child will be invited to participate and join with family and professionals to create a positive vision of their future beyond Heron's Dale and to make plans and set actions to get there

For all other children, all reviews will now take place in the Summer term. You will very shortly be sent an invitation to your child's review. The date and time of this meeting will be held from the week commencing 29th May 2019. When this date has been established it will be immovable, other than in very exceptional circumstances, as it will form part of an intensive review timetable for all Heron's Dale pupils.

This is a pilot year for this process. It has been run successfully by other schools in other counties and we are sure it will be positive for Heron's Dale.

Any questions please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your support

Yours sincerely

Isabel Robson
Headteacher

