## St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

## ACCESSIBILITY PLAN 2017 - 2020

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| AREA  | TARGETS  | STRATEGY   | LEAD PERSON            | TIME SCALE       | PROGRESS AGAINST TARGET AT REVIEW DATE  |
| Participation<br>Admissions and<br>exclusions | Improve induction<br>process for pupils with<br>disabilities | Extra provision to be arranged for children with disabilities, eg. Extra visits to school, home visits, educational setting visits, New parents meetings and information booklets, to ensure they have the best possible introduction to the school. | Inclusion Leader       | On-going         | Nursery visits completed. Informal transition taking place currently. New parents meetings arranged. Extra transition visits plans for SEND children. Booklets prepared for ASD children. Time for staff to transfer information about children to new teacher.           |
| Education and associated services             | Access to school<br>facilities<br>School trips               | Provide INSET for staff on the<br>needs of children with behaviour<br>problems and specific conditions, e.g.<br>ASD, Attachment disorder, ADHD,<br>Team Teach, Speech and Language,<br>Dyslexia  | Inclusion Leader       | On- going        | Team Teach reviewed every 2 years Jan: 2016 AET tier 1 ASD training provided Autumn 2016. Opportunities for individual staff to attend specific training in relation to children in their class. Additional arrangements, including extra support, made for school trips. |
| New SEND Code of<br>Practice 2014             | Access to school curriculum                                  | Four-part cycle in place for SEND provision. Pupil profile in place, regularly monitored. Education, Health and Care plans in place where necessary. Plans for transfer of statements in place   | Inclusion Leader       | On- going        | To be reviewed each term  |
| Equality Act 2010                             | Equality Scheme in place                                     | Equality information and objectives policy in place  | Head Teacher           | Review Sept 2017 | In place to be reviewed yearly in September   |
| Physical Access                               | External ramps and steps<br>provided                         | Ramps provided in and out of school entrance/ playground. Disabled access provided at rear of Reception classroom. Provision made for children with restricted mobility to remain in downstairs classrooms if necessary.                             | Head Teacher           | July 2018        | Accessibility survey completed by City services completed 2015 - 3 yearly   |
|   | Accessibility up Year 5<br>stairs                            | Highlight nosings to assist partially sighted.   | Health and Safety Lead | October 2017     | To be completed   |
|   | Disabled door/entrance                                       | 3 Year inspection as part of accessibility survey  | Coventry City Council  | Inspection 2017  | Health and Safety Inspection  |

|             | SEND children - physical<br>disability | Good communication between SENCo,<br>parents, class teacher, support<br>staff, specialist staff.  | SENCo                                | Ongoing      | Staff make provision for children whose needs differ from the rest of the class e.g. seating position, behaviour support differentiation of tasks   |
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| Information | Improve communication<br>to parents    | Identify if any parents would benefit from enlarged text and how school newsletter is best accessed, e.g. website, paper, on tape. Information to be collected. | Inclusion Leader                     | On going     | Newsletter on school website. Also distributed on paper copy. On- going building of relationships with parents and families especially in the mornings with mentoring staff and members of SLT on gate duty. Important information is translated into Polish by Bi-lingual assistant. |
|             |  | Training for new staff on<br>Use of EMAS software to<br>communicate with parents who have<br>English as a second language.                                      | Clerical Staff                       | October 2017 | Use of bi-lingual staff to communicate with parents if necessary. Bi-lingual staff have provided EAL classes  |
|             |  | Involvement of the community and pupils- parent workshops etc.  | Inclusion Leader/<br>Learning Mentor | On-going     | Community events at regular intervals 4 x per term to involve more parents in the school. Regular open invitations to find out information about learning e.g. observing guided reading sessions, phonics information session, Nursery family crafts session.                         |
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