Vision Impairment Newsletter



Who we are?

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What we do?

- We work with the sensory support team to assess and implement activities to support all children in Ashgate school.
- We support all staff to understand vision impairments and if they have any concerns they speak to us and we refer them to sensory support team.
- Keep parents updated.

What is our plan for 2023

To create a vision friendly environment for all children

To support all staff to understand vision impairments and support them if they have any concerns and ensure referrals are made if necessary.

We will support parents to understand visual impairments and provide resources to help children with VI but also support all children to help develop their concentration/ focus skills.

Useful Websites and Apps to support children with visual impairment but also to support all children to concentrate and have a vision friendly fun:



Positive Looking To Go is a comprehensive collection of skills, activities and resources for teachers, teaching assistants and parents to help educate and develop children and young learners with SEND and VI. The App is packed with ideas and information to help in the classroom or at home. If you need any support, please email Mel or Shannon.

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