

THE ENGAGEMENT MODEL

The Engagement Model is an assessment tool that helps schools meet their duties in supporting pupils who are working significantly below the level of the National Curriculum and who are not engaged in subject specific study at Key Stage 1 or 2.

The model has 5 areas:

Initiation

Persistence

Exploration

Anticipation

Realisation

Pupils assessed using the Engagement Model are usually described as having severe or profound and multiple learning difficulties. This means they have serious cognitive impairments and learning difficulties, which leads to delays in reaching developmental milestones. They operate at very early stages of cognitive, physical, social and emotional development.

We closely link up the child's Education Health Care Plan Section F and expected outcomes to the five Engagement Model areas creating small, achievable targets within a bespoke, heavily supported provision.