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### Tuesday 17th October 2017

### 9.30am until 12.30pm

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### Riverside Centre

### The Quay, Newport, Isle of Wight. PO30 2EF

**WHAT IS SEN SUPPORT ?**

When a child or young person has been identified as having special educational needs, schools should take action to remove barriers to learning and put effective special educational provision in place called SEN Support.

*(Isle of Wight Local Offer Glossary)*

Parents

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IW SEND

Team

Discuss

SEN SUPPORT

IN SCHOOL

**Are you the parent or carer of a child or young person age 0-25 with special educational need and/or a disability (SEND)?**

**Parents Voice IW, the Island’s Parent Carer Forum would like to invite you to come along to meet members of the team of Local Authority professionals working in SEND on the IW.**



Come along and join in our Question and Answer session, plus the chance to have conversations with:

* Kate Symes - SEN Service Manager
* Heidi Carden - Team Lead for SEN Assessment and Review Team
* Petra Robinson - Team Lead for Specialist Teachers
* Anita Pitman - Team Lead for Early Years SEN
* Fran Bamford - Schools Speech and Language Support Team
* Andrew Briggs - Post 16 Commissioning and Finance Manager

Our focus for this meeting is around SEN Support in schools.

Best of all, meet other parents and carers who know and understand the challenges you can face every day!



**If you would like to find out more please contact Jo on 01983 823898 ext 2838 or email** **Joanne@peoplematteriw.org**



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