



## **Wargrave House** **'The Autism Specialists'**

# **Special Educational Needs Support in Education**

**On a journey together,  
learning about life!**

**'Wargrave House  
is an exceptional  
school'**

OFSTED 2014

**"The quality and  
consistency of care  
that residential  
pupils receive is  
outstanding"**

OFSTED Residential  
Inspection 2017

**'Students love  
coming to school'**

OFSTED 2014

**"Wargrave House is a service  
that enables some very  
vulnerable young people to  
develop a sense of  
belonging, ownership and  
community that enhances  
their wellbeing and self-  
esteem which results in very  
positive outcomes for  
students and their families."**

NAS Accreditation 2018





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The SENSE Team led by Stuart Jamison, Head of Education, provides support to students, families and colleagues to ensure that individual student needs are responded to in an effective and timely way. The Team is committed to working in partnership with parents / carers, colleagues and agencies to secure the best possible outcomes for children, young people and their families.



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- Arrangement of **school and college visits** for prospective students and advice on **admission** procedures
- Support for students and families with **transition** and preparation for adulthood, career planning and **life beyond Wargrave House**
- Facilitating **opportunities for parents and carers to meet** and share experiences and knowledge - often over a cuppa!
- Assistance with completing **benefit forms, charity applications** and **support letters**
- **Referral and liaison with external agencies** supporting families
- Attendance at all annual reviews and social care meetings



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- Ensuring that school, college and LEAP fulfil duties in relation to the SEND Code of Practice: 0-25 years (2015)
- Convening and chairing annual and interim review meetings for students in school, college and LEAP
- Leading on the review of Education Health and Care (EHC) Plans as required by the SEND Code of Practice: 0-25 years (2015)
- Liaison with parents/carers and professionals regarding issues in relation to the provision identified in student's EHC Plans
- Liaison with parents/carers, Social Care and Health professionals to prepare and plan for student's transitions
- Working in partnership with the Family Liaison Officer and School Health Nurse to ensure that the needs of students in school and college are responded to, in accordance with requirements



## Useful information for parents

[www.autism.org.uk](http://www.autism.org.uk)

[Www.contact.org.uk](http://Www.contact.org.uk)

[www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk)

[www.familyfund.org.uk](http://www.familyfund.org.uk)

[www.ipsea.org.uk](http://www.ipsea.org.uk)

For information about what support and provision is available for families in your local area visit your Local Authority's webpage

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