

Children's Integrated Speech and Language Therapy Service for Hackney and the City

**Woodberry Down Community Primary School
Woodberry Grove, London, N4 1SY**

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Dear Parents/carers

We are writing to inform you that the Speech and Language Therapist who will now be working with Woodberry Down Community Primary School will be Annslin Maria Lukose.

What is Speech and Language Therapy?

Speech and Language Therapists (SaLTs) support children with their communication and with eating, drinking and swallowing (EDS). This includes helping children understand and use language, interact with others, build friendships, and develop clear speech.

SaLTs also work with parents, teachers and other professionals to create inclusive learning environments, ensuring that all children can access and participate fully in school life.

The SaLT works with the SaLT Teaching Assistant (TA) and the SENCo to monitor and adjust the interventions as needed, and to carry out specific pieces of work to support children's speech, language and communication skills. This includes:

- Carrying out assessments and updating reports and targets as required.
- Supporting the TA to deliver specific interventions.
- Providing training and support to TAs and/or teachers.

How to access this support?

If you have any concerns about your child's speech, language and communication skills, please speak to the SENCo, Mr Shayne Davids, or your child's class teacher in the first instance.

Looking forward to working together with your child's school.

Annslin Maria Lukose
Specialist Speech and Language Therapist
Days in school: Thursdays and Fridays