



1:1 Support

There are some children who, for a variety of reasons benefit from additional 1:1 support. This could be for any individual reason such as: working towards age expectations in 1 or more core area, having areas to catch up due to absence or moving schools, needing support to develop positive learning behaviours, having an identified Special Educational Need such as speech and language, communication, cognition and learning, sensory/physical or a social, emotional mental health need or are preparing for specific examinations such as 11+.

Support

We have trained staff who work alongside the class teacher to deliver high quality individualised support in line with the school learning approaches. They communicate with the teacher and SENDCO to identify gaps, targets and strategies that best support the child. These are then applied in slots of 30 minutes or more which can take place supported in the classroom or separately in our hub depending on what is most beneficial to each child's progress. We ensure that children are not removed from the lesson they require support for, so that they do not miss any teacher input.

Communication

Staff working with the 1:1 child communicate regularly with parents about the support they provide, explaining the activities, progress and next steps for the child. Targets are continually reviewed, adapted when met and re-visited to ensure each child is making good progress. We will formally review the Individual Education Plan (IEP) once a term – usually in the first two weeks after half term. This involves a parent and child meeting with the SENDCO and, where appropriate, the 1:1 support staff.

Cost

½ hour session	£22.00
1-4 hours per week	£40.00
5-9 hours per week	£28.00
Over 10 hours per week	£22.00 per hour session

If you feel your child would benefit from 1:1 sessions, please contact our Inclusion Leader, Mrs Davies, via the school office using the office@stmartinmillhill.co.uk e-mail.