

SE19 SEND Forum
Wednesday 30th September 2026
12noon to 1:00pm

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Chair: Sheelagh Sullivan, Regional SEND Programme Lead, SESLIP

Agenda

Item	Time	Topic	Lead
1	12noon	Welcome and introductions	Sheelagh Sullivan
2	12:05pm	Cluster funding developments: regional and national picture	Peter Gray, SESLIP
3	12:20pm	DfE Updates	Kate Dethridge, Regional Director SE Regions Group and Paul Schofield, Deputy Director SE Regions Group
4	12:35pm	Experts at Hand Survey and next steps	Marian Cullen, SESLIP Emma Stone, SESLIP
5	12:45pm	A brief introduction the development of an OAP approach specific to Post-16 created through collaboration across the SE19 region	Simon Brown, Chichester College
6	1:00pm	Dates of upcoming SEND forum meetings Wednesday 9 th December 2026, 12noon to 1:00pm Wednesday 3 rd February 2027, 12noon to 1:00pm Wednesday 21 st April 2027, 12noon to 1:00pm Wednesday 7 th July 2027, 12noon to 1:00pm Dates of upcoming SEND forum plus meetings Wednesday 4 th November 2026, 11:00am to 1:00pm– Dame Christine Lenehan Chris Baird Jude MacDonald	Sheelagh Sullivan