SE19 Leaders and Manager in SEND Meeting
Friday 9th October 2026
Broadway House, Tothill Street, London, SW1H 9NQ
9:45am to 3:30pm (Arrival of delegates from 9:15am)

Agenda

Item	Time	Topic	Lead
1	9:45am	Welcome and introductions *Council Chambers*	Deborah Smit Jamie Conran David Griffiths
2	10:00am	**SEND Reform Plans** • Updates from DfE • Discussion including opportunities for local areas to share information and experience	Paul Schofield, Deputy Director and Jasmine Hussain, Regional Lead for SEND Improvement and Intervention SE19 network chairs – Deborah, Jamie and David
11:00am		Refreshment break	
The following part of the agenda, until lunch, will be shared with SE19 Directors of Education Network			
3	11:15am	Overview of the SE RIIA grant activity	Sheelagh Sullivan and Chris Owen
4	`11:25am	Summary of maturity matrix analysis and potential for current and future use	Sylvain Poncet and Gleb Popov, Public Alchemy
5	11:55am	Mainstream Inclusion COP – learning so far and potential next steps, breakout groups and discussion • Experts at Hand – facilitated conversation around overcoming barriers to roll-out. • Parental Confidence, Schools and Co-Production – co-producing a template for communicating with families about proposed SEND reforms. • Next steps - discussion	Marian Cullen and Jude Macdonald, SESLIP
12:45pm		Lunch	
6	1:30pm	Overview of the Cluster Model, including feedback from the SE19 Cluster Community of Practice	Peter Gray, SESLIP
7	2:30pm	SEND legal update including tribunals	Callum Scott, Solicitor, Bevan Brittan LLP
8	3:15pm	Feedback and evaluation	Deborah Smit Jamie Conran David Griffiths
9	3:30pm	Close	Sheelagh Sullivan