## **STAFF TRAINING**

We strongly believe that staff development allows us to better understand and, therefore, meet the needs of our children. Staff training is an ongoing process.

- The SENDCo is a qualified teacher who holds the National Award for SEND Coordination.
- We have Thrive Approach practitioners and an ELSA.
- The SENDCo attends regular SENDCo update meetings and forums run by the Local Authority and Reach2 relating to the needs of pupils within the school.
- Regular opportunities are given to staff to attend courses on relevant SEND topics.
- Staff training needs are also supported through PD days, peer mentoring and coaching, modelling, observation, working with outside agencies and staff meetings.

