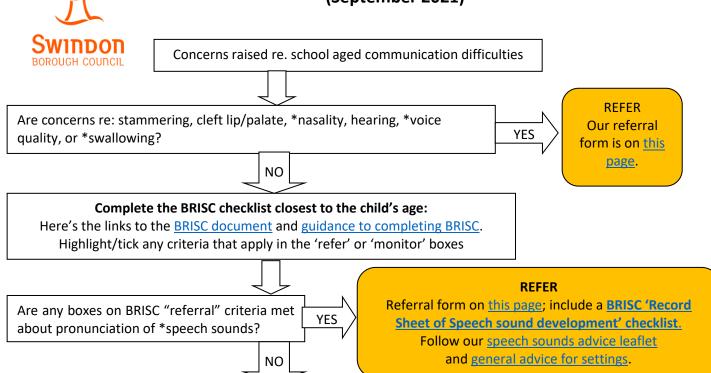


4 – 7 year olds Speech & Language Therapy referral pathway (September 2021)



Graduated Response: Are the concerns about use or understanding of language or social communication? Complete 2 half-terms/3 months of strategies / interventions and record any progress made. Keep a record of this, as it will be required as your evidence of a graduated response. Examples:

- SBC Core Standards
- Visual Supports

Signalong

- Strategies/resources from our website
- EY Practitioner Toolkit for a Graduated Response in Speech, Language and Communication Support.
- NELI/Nuffield Early Language Intervention (If Reception age) national programme from Sept 2021
- Talk Boost / Early Talkboost training available via https://hubforeducation.swindon.gov.uk/Training
- WellComm (some settings have signed up to this via. Swindon Borough Council).

NO



Repeat the BRISC checklist – are any of the referral criteria met? Here's the links to the <u>BRISC document</u> and <u>guidance to</u> completing BRISC.

Highlight/tick any criteria that apply in the 'refer' or 'monitor'



REFER

Our referral form is on this page. Attach information and evidence of the graduated response you have put in place.

*GLOSSARY

Nasality – some of the speech is coming from the nose.

Voice quality – e.g. do they have a husky or hoarse voice?

Swallowing e.g. regularly coughing/choking when eating or drinking? Food coming down the

Speech sounds – do you or others understand the words they say? Are they clear?