Broad areas of SEND needs

There are four broad categories of SEND:

* Cognition and Learning
* Communication and Interaction
* Social, Emotional and Mental Health Issues (SEMH)
* Sensory and/or Physical needs.

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| **Cognition and Learning** | **Communication and Interaction** | **Social, Emotional and Mental health** | **Sensory and/or physical** |
| * **Moderate (MLD)**
* **Severe (SLD)**
* **Profound & Multiple (PMLD)**
* **Specific Developmental Disorder (SpDL)**
* Dyslexia
* Dyspraxia
* Dyscalculia
 | * **Speech, Language & Communication (SLCN)**
* **Autistic Spectrum (ASD)**

  | * **Social & Emotional**
* Withdrawn
* Isolated
* Challenging, disruptive or disturbing behaviour
* **ADD**
* **ADHD**
* **Attachment disorder**
* **Mental Health**
* Anxiety
* Depression
* Self-harming
* Substance misuse
* Eating disorders

Physical symptoms, medically unexplained | * **Sensory impaired**
* **Multi-Sensory Impaired (MSI)**
* **Physical**
* Visual Impaired (VI)
* Hearing Impaired (HI)
* Physical disabled (PD)
* Disfigurement
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