# All about Sydney



### Who am I?

My name is Sydney and I'm a Trainee Educational Psychologist. I enjoy spending time with friends, being in the sunshine, swimming, art and watching films. I'm also trying to learn to speak Spanish. My friends describe me as friendly, enthusiastic, caring and creative.

#### What do I do?

I'm learning to be an Educational Psychologist. I talk to children, young people and the adults at home and school. We work together to understand children and young people's strengths, what they find difficult and how they learn best. We try to find ways to support and help make things better.

## What is important to me?

I believe that everyone should be have the support they need to feel safe and learn. When we're working together, it's important to me that you are comfortable. I enjoy working with young people, and I want to make sure I listen and understand their views.

## What to expect when you meet me?

If you are happy to, we might play games or do a few activities and talk about what you like and dislike, what you are good at and how you'd like adults to help you. I might come and see what it's like in your classroom or the playground. I'll talk to the adults who work with you to plan how to help you. Then I'll write a report and send it to home and school so everyone knows what we've planned to do next.

#### How best to contact me?

If you want to know more about me or what we might do together, you (or an adult) can email <a href="mailto:EPSenquiries@swindon.gov.uk">EPSenquiries@swindon.gov.uk</a>. I normally work on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

