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What the IDK service does

Factual description of IDK's service

Rational

Emotional

Educates families

Informs educators & other stakeholders

Including child in class / at college and in workplace

Step-by-step advice for parents + pupils/students

Current best practice

Real experiences

Telling life stories

Promotes social inclusion

Builds public understanding

Role Modeling

Visible person

Case Study

Demystifies fear

Lived Example

Inclusion Educational Acceptance

Friendly

Knowledgeable

Thought leader

Approachable

Educational

Ability is seen

Moulds broken

Talents seen

Fear Factor Drops

Relief

Mindset Change

Fun

Tech solutions

Precedents

Encouraged

Problem-solving

Learning styles

Diversity

Training tips

Networking potential

Higher expectations

Knowledge acquisition

Person-first view

Comforted

Supported

Professional

Empowered

Inspired

Quality

IDK's benefit to parents + children

Benefit to educators + employers

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