Sensory & Physical - Vision		
	What will you see? (Barriers)	What can help?
_	CYP may	(Strategies and provision)
	Hold reading materials very close or at an unusual angle	• Joint working between school and family to discuss CYP's vision impairment
	Adopt a poor or unusual posture when reading	Curriculum differentiation that takes account of individual visual needs
	 Do not respond to non-verbal instructions such as facial expressions 	• Enlarging of class resources e.g. larger text on worksheets
	 Lose their place when reading, skip lines or struggle to find text on a page 	Use of matte laminates to reduce glare
	Lack of confidence in group activities	Removing unnecessary text on worksheets
	Are hesitant when walking or bump/knock into things	Ensuring good overall glare-free levels of light
	Walk with an unusual gait	 Following medical advice about the wearing of glasses and/or occlusion (patching)
	Have difficulty finding dropped items	Making applications for Exam Access Arrangements as required.
	Have a short attention span when reading or writing	Accessing and using e-books
	• Tilt their head excessively to one side, up or down	• Awareness and risk assessment of impact of vision impairment for safety e.g. PE lessons, fire practice, offsite or unfamiliar visits
	Use excessive head movements when reading	• Follow tips and strategies for creating an accessible environment.
		• Follow tips for working with children with a visual impairment
	The CYP may:	· Access training and events from Vision Support Team
	• squint or frown when looking at the board	
	• struggle to copy information from the board or from a peer next to them	
	have poor hand/eye co-ordination	