



# Statement of Purpose



**Location Address:**

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## Organisational Overview

The Cambian Group is one of the largest providers of specialist behavioural services in the UK. We care for both adults and children including those with challenging behaviours and complex needs. We offer specialist education, residential, mental health and fostering services, ensuring that each person in our care achieves their personal best. At Cambian Group we provide tailored care programmes, therapeutic environments and highly dedicated and experienced staff members to empower individuals to progress towards a better life and prepare them for independent living. We provide services for more than 2,400 individuals in 286 services. We work with over 140 public authorities and employ more than 6,000 people.

Cambian's mission statement is as follows:

Everyone has a personal best  
Everyone can find something to aim for  
Everyone can achieve something special  
And everyone should have the opportunity to strive for it.

Everyone  
No matter what their situation  
No matter what specific challenges they might be facing  
We will actively enable the people in our care to achieve their personal best.

## Provider and Location

Provider's name and legal status	
Full name <sup>1</sup>	Cambian Whinfell School Limited
CQC provider ID	1-898315437
Legal status <sup>1</sup>	Organisation

Provider's address, including for service of notices and other documents	
Business address <sup>2</sup>	Metropolitan House 3 Darkes Lane
Town/city	Potters Bar
County	Hertfordshire
Post code	EN6 1AG
Business telephone	020 8735 6150
Website	<a href="https://www.cambiangroup.com/specialist-education/">https://www.cambiangroup.com/specialist-education/</a>

Name of location	Cambian Lufton Manor College
Address	Lufton Yeovil Somerset
Postcode	BA22 8ST
Telephone	01935 403120
Website address	<a href="https://www.cambiangroup.com/specialist-education/our-colleges/cambian-lufton-college/">https://www.cambiangroup.com/specialist-education/our-colleges/cambian-lufton-college/</a>
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Regulated activity(ies) carried on at this location
Personal care
Registered Manager(s) for this regulated activity: Ms Sophia Ann Cursons
Accommodation for persons who require nursing or personal care
Registered Manager(s) for this regulated activity: Ms Sophia Ann Cursons

## Service Overview

Cambian Lufton College is a residential special educational needs college located on the outskirts of Yeovil in Somerset.

Cambian Lufton College is registered and regulated by the Care Quality Commission for its residential and personal care provision, which is located across three sites. Cambian Lufton College is registered to accommodate a maximum of 40 students. The college is regulated for its educational provision by Ofsted.

The college provides day and residential packages of support to young people and adults between the ages of 16 and 25 who have an education, health and care plan. The college creates personalised plans for each student whilst at the college to prepare them for adulthood, support their educational and vocational ambitions and provide 24 hour support with a focus and objective to support each young person to develop their independence. This incorporates a range of daily living skills such as personal care, understanding finances, social skills, looking after their home, cooking, safety for themselves and others as well as supporting emotional wellbeing through meaningful occupation.

We support young people and adults with a diagnosis of Autism or a moderate to severe learning disability who may also have a range of complex emotional or health needs. The college also provide young people and adults with therapeutic support delivered by specially trained staff members and our clinical team, as well as working with other professionals and stakeholders in the community to support emotional and mental wellbeing.

Our homes on our college sites are a mixture of flats, bungalows, houses and apartments with both single and multiple occupancies. All homes are decorated and personalised depending on the young people and adults who live here. We also support students to live within the community, in a supported living style setting to support their transition from College to their next steps in their own community.

The college have invested in the BILD positive behavioural support approaches, with our teams being trained as practitioners, functional assessors and coaches, to embed and support a culture of positive behavioural support. A college wide ethos and understanding of behaviours always having a meaning, will shape the young person or adults plan of support.

The college at present has a Head of College who is also the Registered Manager for both regulatory activities. The Registered Manager is based at Lufton College at the registered location address.

## Aims and Objectives

- To provide residential education and care appropriate to the age, ability, aptitude and special educational needs of each student;
- To prepare our students to prepare for adulthood, through a bespoke and personalised timetable and review process from referral, assessment, transition to completion of their college journey;
- To provide a stable, safe and caring environment for students to develop educationally, socially, emotionally and spiritually;
- To ensure that all students are treated as individuals at all times including through planning and review procedures. This includes the involvement of the student in decision-making processes, and the use of accessible communication tools and resources to support their inclusion and contributions;
- To ensure a robust safeguarding process and college wide ability of understanding the process and importance reporting of concerns, the whistleblowing procedure and duty of care, in line with our safeguarding policy and local authority processes.
- To promote the partnership working between students, parents, placing authority, local authority, stakeholders and the college teams;
- To be attentive to the student's individual needs and rights in relation to age, gender, race, sexuality and disability and to meet the resident's specific cultural and religious needs.
- To provide up to 52-week residential care and education packages in a variety of settings, in an environment where the priority is given to the establishment of safe, secure and nurturing relationships between students and members of staff;
- To work holistically to develop a waking hour learning environment which includes education, therapy and personal development, based around each student's education health and care plan, Positive Behavioural Support Plan and other documents used to support the care, education and therapeutic need of the student throughout their time at the college.
- To provide a truly multi-sensory and therapeutic approach to learning that recognises the diversity of ways in which young people and adults live and learn;
- To create a supportive and positive environment in which students can refine and develop skills in all areas that will prepare them for life beyond College.

