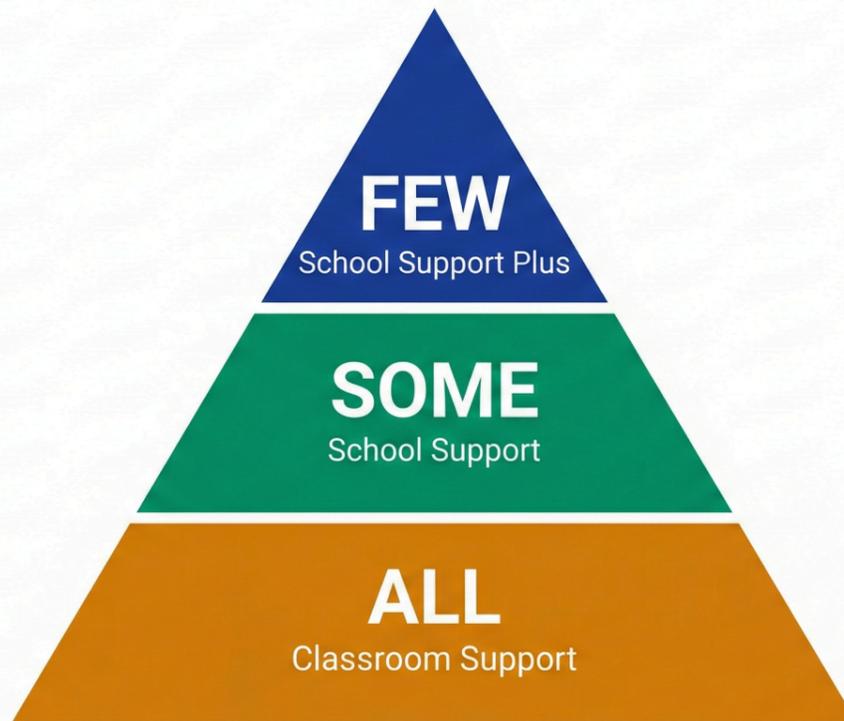


NEPS Continuum of Support

A Framework for Irish Primary Schools



School Support Plus **FEW**

- Intensive, individualised support
- SET + Multi-disciplinary team
- NEPS, SLT, OT involvement
- External professional reports
- Full Student Support File
- Frequent reviews

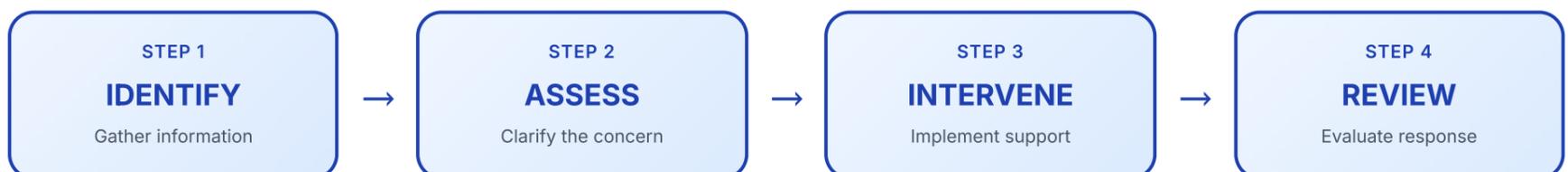
School Support **SOME**

- Targeted teaching by SET
- Small group interventions
- Student Support Plan (SMART)
- Student Support File
- 6-8 week review cycles
- SET and Class Teacher collaborate

Classroom Support **ALL**

- Quality first teaching
- Classroom-based adaptations
- Classroom Support Plan
- Class Teacher leads
- Regular monitoring
- Differentiated instruction

The Problem-Solving Cycle



Continuous cycle: repeat based on student progress

Key Principles

- ✓ Needs-based, not diagnosis-based
- ✓ Children can move between levels
- ✓ Greatest need receives greatest support
- ✓ Review every 6-8 weeks