



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 12 May 2023

OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

The Way Mission

Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life. He is always ready to help and lead you on the right path.

If you have a decision to make, allow Jesus to guide you. Pray about the different options.

As you do, ask yourself "Which choice is Jesus leading me towards? Which way does he want me to go"



PRAYERS FOR YEAR 3

On Saturday 13 May, year 3 will be making their First Holy Communion. This is a very special occasion for all of the children as they continue on their journey of faith.

We hope they all have a wonderful weekend celebrating with their families.



May Jesus come
To bless you



On your First Holy Communion Day.

May you feel his presence
in a very special way.

As you strive to follow in His footsteps

May He bless
your life with

many graces and lasting
happiness.



SCHOOL MASS

Mass on **Tuesday 16 May**

Year 2 and Year 6 pupils will be attending Mass.

Parents/ Grandparents are welcome to join us if they wish to do so.

For those who cannot attend, please join us online:

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/christ-the-king-church-coventry>.



SUNDAY MASS



Saturday 13th May

10am and 12noon – First Holy Communion 9.00am Sunday Mass

**Sunday 11 June 9am-
Year 6 Reading at church**

Children in Years 3 – 6 are welcome to join staff in the choir loft

Children in Reception – Year 3 are welcome to participate in children's liturgy.





This week Year 6 completed the Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs) .
Well done to all of the pupils for their hard work, I know everyone tried their very best.

As a reward for all of their hard work, the children and staff are looking forward to a game of Bowling on Monday!

GOOD LUCK YEAR 2

Next week marks the start of the Statutory testing for Year 2. The children will be completing the tests in smaller groups but will remain in their classrooms or the computer suite as they are familiar to working in those environments. I know that Year 2 have worked very hard this year and have shown great progress. All of the year 2 team will ensure that the children's routine stays as normal as possible and that they will be comforted and reassured just as they have been during previous assessment weeks.



This week, Nursery have been looking at making healthy choices. They made fruit kebabs and decorated pictures using fruit and vegetables.



KEEPING OUR MINDS AND BODIES HEALTHY



This week, Year 5 had a visit from the NHS team to talk about how to stay healthy and about making healthy choices both in mind and body.





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SCIENCE WEEK



Science Week is taking place from the 6th June to the 9th June.

The PTA have kindly agreed to pay for each class to have a visit from Zoolabs

where they will learn about and meet lots of little creatures.

Children will be doing lots of fun science activities throughout the week.



We are also inviting children to come up with their own fun experiment to share with their class if they would like to.

Thank you in advance for your support with gathering resources and practising this at home.

Prizes will be awarded for the best experiment in each class.

Many thanks

Mrs Jackson (Science Lead)





SAFEGUARDING AT CTK!

What Parents and Carers Need to Know about Signal

Signal is a multimedia messaging service (previously known as TextSecure) that provides secure chats between users. It is encrypted, so any intercepted communication cannot be read by attackers. Users can send one-to-one messages or set up group chats. The service is free, has no adverts and doesn't track users' location like many other messaging platforms. The app experienced a popularity boom in early 2021 as large numbers of users left WhatsApp over perceived privacy issues.

In the guide, you'll find tips on avoiding potential risks such as a false sense of security, vulnerability to hackers and disappearing messages.

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Disappearing Messages

Messages on Signal can be set to disappear (from both the sender and the recipient's device) a specified time after they are first opened – potentially as little as five seconds. So it is difficult to monitor the app and see what your child is talking about. Should someone behave inappropriately towards them, unless they record evidence instantly there is no way to prove what has happened – making it difficult to take the proper action.

False Sense of Security

The feeling of total privacy and security within the app can make young people feel like they are invulnerable – and possibly that they could get away with behaving in ways they normally wouldn't. This behaviour could range from the harmful (such as participating in cyber bullying or sharing age-inappropriate images or videos) to the extremely dangerous: perhaps chatting to strangers, who might potentially be predators.

Risk of Screenshots

Because messages can be set to disappear on Signal, some young people assume that nobody else will ever see them and let their guard down as a result. But a recipient could still capture a screenshot of your child's message before it vanishes from their device. This screenshot – which might be of something inappropriate or deeply personal – can then be shared with others or even made public on the internet.

Vulnerability to Hackers

Like virtually any piece of software, Signal has been shown to have flaws in its security. One hacker was able to make a call to a target device using the app and could then listen in on the victim through their phone – without needing them to even answer the call. Afterwards, the hacked user was completely unaware that the eavesdropping had taken place.

Advice for Parents & Carers

Gather Any Evidence Quickly

If your children are old enough to use Signal, they will likely already know how to take a quick screenshot on their phone. It's best to confirm this with them, however, because if they've sent something inappropriate or offensive, they will only have a very short opportunity to screenshot it as evidence of misconduct before the message disappears. Once they've captured the screenshot, they should then come to you or another trusted adult.

Talk about Online Bullying

Before your child downloads Signal, have an open discussion about the potential risks of this app and others like it. Ensure your child is aware of the possibility of bullying or hurtful messages on such platforms. They should understand that the app makes themselves do not help with investigating incidents – and that it may be difficult to prove someone has done something to upset them.

Think before Sending

The messages a young person sends on Signal don't last forever, but the effects of those messages very well might – for your child and for others. You could suggest to your child that, if they're unsure whether to send a particular message, they should ask themselves if they would be comfortable showing the content to you. And if they wouldn't, should they really be sending it at all?

Stay Updated

It's wise to make sure your child knows how to keep their software up to date by downloading the latest version. Developers will often release software updates that (as well as occasionally adding new features or improving functionality, etc.) help to fix any security flaws and stop hackers from exploiting possible weak points in the app.

Consider Online Reputation

Talk to your child about the implications if a message they sent was made public without their consent. Remind them that once an image (for example) is out there, there's no way to control what happens to it or erase every single copy. It's a good way to get young people to start considering how their digital footprint might have repercussions on their future prospects.

Meet Our Expert

Emma Davis is a cyber security expert and former ICT teacher. She delivers cyber awareness training to organisations nationally and has extensive knowledge and experience of managing how children access services and apps online.

National Online Safety

#WakeUpWednesday





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DIARY DATES FOR SUMMER TERM 2023

All Clubs start at 3.30pm and finish at 4.30pm (unless otherwise specified)

Scots Lane:

Monday 15 May

3.30pm Chess Club KS2
3.30pm Girls Football Training

Tuesday 16 May

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4
~~3.30pm Boys Football Training~~ cancelled
due to Girls match
3.30pm Hi5 Training

Wednesday 17 May

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6
12.30pm CL9 Swimming
3.30pm Girl's Football Club

Thursday 18 May

3.30pm Girls Football Training

Friday 19 May

3.30pm Boys Football Club

Westhill Road Site:

Tuesday 16 May

3.15pm Chill Out Club – Mrs Hagyard -
finish 4.15pm

TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 22-23

Friday 30th September 2022
Monday 5th June 2023
Monday 24th July 2023
Tuesday 25th July 2023

ECO MESSAGE



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Dylan H
Orlagh F
William B
Josiah D
Kylo K
Aine S
Ruby S
Sienna T
Darragh S
Kyle W





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MESSAGE FROM THE PTA



Christ the King PTA are very pleased to host Happy's Circus for this exciting one-off extravaganza!

Date: Thursday 6th July 2023

Where: Christ the King school, Scots Lane site

Timings: Gates open at 4pm

Show starts: 6pm

Happy's Big Top will be pitched up on the school field at our Scots Lane Site for a fun filled show which will be hosted by Happy's Ring Mistress and have performances from their Clown, Acrobats, Aerialists and Magician.

Tickets are priced at £10 per ticket or £36 for a family ticket (4 tickets including at least 1 adult)

We expect this to be a sell-out event ***so roll up roll up***, don't delay, and use the link or QR code below to book your tickets today.

Tickets

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/ctkpta>

or



In addition, CTK PTA will be hosting some of your usual favourite stalls prior to the show and food will be available from a selection of Local food vendors. If you are available to help, there will be a volunteer sign up option on link above.

We cannot wait for you to join us at this amazing event.

Any queries should be direct to Christ the King PTA – Email christthekingpta@gmail.com

Many thanks

CTK PTA

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CV6 2DJ

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Phone 02476 335790

Website: www.ctk.coventry.sch.uk



2022 / 2023 PTA EVENTS PLANNER

DATE	EVENT
Fri 14th Oct	Halloween Disco Nursery & Reception 5:30pm - 6:15pm Yrs 1, 2 & 3 - 6:30pm - 7:30pm Yrs 3, 4, 5 & 6 - 7:45pm - 8:45pm
Sat 26th Nov	Christmas Bazaar 12pm - 3pm
Wed 11th Jan	Movies & Munchies 3:15pm - 5pm
Fri 10th Feb	Valentines Disco Nursery & Reception 5:30pm - 6:15pm Yrs 1, 2 & 3 6:30pm - 7:30pm Yrs 4, 5 & 6 7:45pm - 8:45pm
Thur 6th Jul	Happy Circus Timings TBC

Contact Details

Follow us on **Facebook** @ChristTheKingPTA and
Twitter @CTKPTACOV or contact us via
email: Christthekingpta@gmail.com.



YEAR SIX SUMMER TERM CELEBRATIONS

Mon 15th May

Bowling

Sat 10th June

Confirmation

Class 13 - 10am

Class 14 - 12pm

wed 5th July

Transition day for
secondary schools

All day

Thurs 6th July

Bear Grylls end
of year trip

8:15- 3:45

Thurs 13th July

Year 6 play

2pm and 7pm

Friday 14th July

Year 6 leavers
disco

6:30 -8:30pm SL

Thurs 20th July

Y6 coffee morning
and awards

9:30 SL

Fri 21st July

Y6 lead whole school
mass

9:30am

Friday 21st July

Farewell Fizz
WHR after mass

Final Farewell

Wave goodbye!

3:20pm SL





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SUMMER TERM DATES



IT'S SHOWTIME

CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2022-23

Who?	What?	When?
Year 6	End of year Musical	Thursday 13th July @ SL site 2pm and 7pm (x2 tickets per performance per child)
Year 2	Celebration of Learning	July - date TBC

Class Assemblies

Who?	When?	Where?
Class 2	Wednesday 17 th May 9:10am	Westhill Road
Class 11	Wednesday 24 th May 9:00am	Scots Lane
Class 7	Thursday 22 nd May 2:30pm	Scots Lane
Class 8	Thursday 29 th May 2:30pm	Scots Lane
Class 1	Friday 16 th June 9:10am	Westhill Road
Class 3	Friday 23 rd June 2:30pm	Westhill Road





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SUMMER TERM DATES



Christ the King Catholic Primary School
invites you to

Sports Festival Week

Join the fun

Follow your child around the track as they complete a range of sporting events.

Please note that this is an outside event so dates may change due to the weather

Where: **All events will be held at SL site**

Date	Year Group	Time
Monday 26th June	Year 5	9am - 10:30am
	Nursery AM	10:30 - 11:30am (children to be collected from SL site at 11:30am)
	Reception	1:45 - 3:15pm (including Nursery PM pupils) children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm
Tuesday 27th June	Year 4	9am - 10:30am
	Year 2	1:45 - 3:15pm (children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm)
Wednesday 28th June	Year 3	9am - 10:30am
	Year 1	1:45 - 3:15pm (children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm)
Friday 30th June	Year 6	9am - 10:30am





SUMMER TERM DATES

Please be aware of the changes to class PE days during the **second half of the spring term**.



CLASS PE TIMETABLE

Summer TERM one - 2023

CHILDREN ARE TO WEAR THEIR PE KIT TO SCHOOL ON THE DAY OF THEIR LESSON.

Monday

- Year 2
- Year 3
- Year 6

Tuesday

- Year 4

Wednesday

- Nursery
- Year 4
- Year 5

Thursday

- Reception
- Year 5
- Year 6

Friday

- Year 1
- Year 3

CTK PE Uniform

- CTK Navy Sports T-shirt
- CTK Hoodie or Navy/ black plain tracksuit
(No branded sports labels - adidas/Nike etc)
- Sports trainers (not converse/ vans/fashion trainers please)





Who is for: Any adult who wants to know more about First Aid techniques

Where: Meredith Road Baptist Church, CV2 5JH

On: Wednesday 7th June 2023

Time: 6:30-9:00pm

Cost: £25 per adult

To book a place and make payment, please email: Sharon Roberts at cherubsplaygroup@yahoo.co.uk

A True Story

Little Florence - a happy, confident 2 year old. She is also extremely fortunate that her mum and dad learned first aid. When she started choking on her favourite meal, they leapt into action.

Would you know what to do if your child started to choke?

Do you want to learn?





AUTISM & ANXIETY



In partnership with SENDIASS, Coventry Complex Communication Team (CCT) are running a FREE Webinar for Parents and Carers

Wednesday 24th May 2023

10am – 12.30pm

*This session will take place via Microsoft Teams; links will be sent out by email following booking.

Sessions aims & outcomes

- To raise your understanding of how anxiety can impact on your child with Autism or complex communication needs
- To explore how the behaviour we observe in our children can be linked to increased levels of anxiety
- To interpret anxiety 'enforced' behaviours
- To identify a range of strategies that could be used in the management of anxiety experienced by your child with Autism or complex communication needs



**COMPLEX
COMMUNICATION
TEAM**



To book a place please contact SENDIASS and QUOTE: 'CCT'

SEND Information, Advice and Support Service

Tel: 024 7669 4307 or email: iass@coventry.gov.uk





Coventry Rugby Club
Butts Park Arena, Coventry

Family Fun Day

In aid of
 **Mind** Coventry and Warwickshire

Saturday 27th May 2023
12pm – 4pm
Includes a free packed lunch per person

£8 Adults
£7 Children

Scan to buy
your tickets



BOUNCY CASTLES **OUTDOOR GAMES** **DISCO** **CRAFTS**

Coventry Rugby Club – Butts Park Arena, Coventry







Are you worried about a child's hearing?





South Warwickshire University
NHS Foundation Trust

The School Nursing team offers hearing screening for all Reception class pupils.
These are carried out as clinics at different locations in the city.
Parents/carers can get in touch with the School Nursing team on one of our contact numbers or email addresses below to book a test.

When you call or email please provide the following details:
Full name of child
D.O.B of child
School child attends
Preferred clinic location and date

Our upcoming dates and locations are:

Wednesday 17th May 2023 - Mosaic Hub
Tuesday 30th May 2023 - Moat Hub
Wednesday 31st May 2023 - Pathways Hub
Thursday 8th June 2023 - Families For All (Foleshill) Hub
Thursday 22nd June 2023 - Wood Side Hub
Monday 3rd July 2023 - Moat Hub
Friday 21st July 2023 - Aspire Hub

Please note: If you have concerns about an older child/ren's hearing, parents/carers can call the Central Booking number to make an appointment with the Audiology department on:
0300 200 0011.

Contact us:

Moat House School Nurse base:	Charter Avenue School Nurse base:
Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7494	Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7417
Email: Swg-tr.MoatHouseSchoolNursing@nhs.net	Email: Swg-tr.CharterAvenueSchoolNursing@nhs.net

[@CoventrySchoolNursingTeam](https://www.facebook.com/CoventrySchoolNursingTeam)[@covschoolnurses](https://www.instagram.com/covschoolnurses)







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South Warwickshire University
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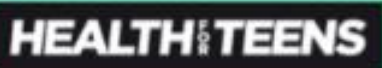
Not sure if your child should have a hearing test?

Below are just a few of the signs that a child may be struggling with their hearing:

- They do not reply when you call them 
- They talk very loudly 
- They ask you to repeat yourself a lot or respond differently / inappropriately to what you have asked 
- They increase the volume on TV/devices etc. 
- They appear to daydream a lot 
- They are slow to learn to talk/unclear when talking 
- They get frustrated/aggressive frequently 

Contact us:

Moat House School Nurse base:	Charter Avenue School Nurse base:
Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7494	Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7417
Email:	Email:
Swg-tr.MoatHouseSchoolNursing@nhs.net	Swg-tr.CharterAvenueSchoolNursing@nhs.net



@CoventrySchoolNursingTeam



@covschoolnurses







Children and Young People's Mental Health Drop-In Event

9:30am – 2pm, 16 May 2023

Council House, Earl Street, Coventry, CV1 5RR

Do you work with Children and Young People in Coventry?

Are you unsure where to get Mental Health support and advice?

Drop-in to our free Mental Health Event to chat to services, network with professionals and listen to a series of presentations introducing their services.

Refreshments (tea / coffee) will be provided so feel free to grab a drink and have a chat with services.

[Sign up here](#)

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Coventry

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Positive Choices
Young People's Substance
Misuse, Relationship and
Sexual Health Service
Coventry

NHS
Coventry and
Warwickshire
Integrated Care Board

mind
Coventry and
Warwickshire



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Safeguarding
Children
PARTNERSHIP



Coventry **SEND**
Support Service
Social, Emotional,
Mental Health and
Learning



www.coventry.gov.uk/mentalhealth





Family Learning Coventry Adult Education Service

Explore With Me (stay and play)

Pathways Family Hub - Radford

These free sessions are for parents/carers with children aged 0 to 5

We will:

- Share ideas to help you to support your child to understand science and nature
- Share resources with you and your child to enjoy during and after the sessions
- Share ideas which will help you to support your child's development
- Address any questions or concerns you may have regarding your child's learning and development

When:-

Thursday 1.00 – 3.00

27th April – 6th July 2023



How to enrol:-

Enquire at the hub or visit the Adult Education website below

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/adulted>

To find out more contact:

kate.steventon@coventry.gov.uk or 024 7697 8730

steve.withers@coventry.gov.uk or 024 7697 1301

Family Learning – programmes that promote strong positive relationships within families; enabling parents and carers to support their children's learning and development.





Period: 2022 to 2023
Courses for Parents and
those Caring for Children



Here is the link to the CWRISE page with some very useful videos for parents whose children may be awaiting diagnosis/assessment of ASD/ADHD or have other difficulties such as sensory processing or emotional regulation difficulties.

<https://cwrise.com/parent-and-carer-resources>

You can also click on the link below to watch parenting seminars on the RISE site.

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/children-families/positive-parenting/3>





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Courses for Parents and
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Courses available online – via Zoom

Understanding and Supporting School Aged Children Who Self-harm – 1 session – Monday 13 th February 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Understanding Sensory Needs in School Aged Children – 1 session – Thursday 16 th March 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Understanding Low Mood in Children and Young People – 1 session – Thursday 30 th March, 10am to 12pm
Understanding and Supporting Children Aged 3-11 Years with Anxiety – 1 session – Monday 8 th May 2023, 10am to 12pm
Understanding and Supporting Children Aged 12+ Years with Anxiety – 1 session – Thursday 18 th May 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Understanding Emotional Regulation in School Aged Children – 1 session – Wednesday 24 th May 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Understanding and Supporting Children and Young People with Emotionally Based School Avoidance – 1 session – Friday 9 th June 2023, 10am to 12pm
Understanding Self-esteem in Children and Young People – 1 session – Monday 12 th June 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Understanding and Supporting School Aged Children Who Self-harm – 1 session – Thursday 22 nd June 2023, 10am to 12pm
Understanding Sensory Needs in School Aged Children – 1 session – Friday 30 th June 2023, 10am to 12pm
Understanding Low Mood in Children and Young People – 1 session – Monday 3 rd July 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm

Our Academy is not a School, College or Academy in the traditional sense of the word, you don't need to be academically minded to attend and there are no tests, exams or assessments. The Academy delivers a learning approach to personal recovery and wellbeing that is offered by a partnership of organisations across Coventry and Warwickshire. We offer a wide range of FREE courses and workshops designed to empower you to become an expert in your own recovery and wellbeing.

For course descriptions and to enrol, please see website below:





INTERNET SAFETY WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS & CARERS

V1.0

FREE ONLINE workshop for parents and carers to help keep their **children safe online**.
Hosted by West Midlands Police in partnership with Coventry City Council's Prevent Team.

We will share **guidance and strategies** on how to make the internet a safer experience for children.

The following topics will be explored:

- Apps and appropriate ages
- Safety settings
- Grooming, sexting, bullying, radicalisation and extremism
- Gaming
- Introducing house rules
- How to approach conversations and what to do if your child is a victim

To view dates and times and to book a place, please [click here](#) or scan the QR code above



West Midlands
POLICE





ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY



Your child's education is a one off opportunity. Make the most of it.

Please do not keep siblings at home if one of your children are ill. Contact school to seek advice.



It is a legal requirement that all children from the age of five are to attend full time education regularly.



Encourage your child to attend school on their birthday. We will enjoy celebrating their special day with them.



Always encourage your child to attend and participate in all areas of school life.

Please contact school if your child is going to be absent, has a medical appointment or is going to arrive late. All pupils that arrive late must report to the main office.



Ensure that your child attends school regularly so that they can achieve their full potential.



Please avoid booking holidays in school time. Every minute of their education counts.



Please contact school if you have any concerns. Keeping communication open is essential to enable your child to enjoy their time at school.

Thank you for your support.





Sept 2022

Learning Mentors help children to overcome barriers to learning



Learning Mentors work in partnership with other adults to help children achieve their potential.

Being available

A Learning Mentor is a person who is available to offer support and guidance to children and their families.



Listening to what your children have to say

A Learning Mentor works in partnership with other adults, professionals & agencies to help identify and remove some of the barriers that children may experience so that they can achieve their best and reach their potential.

SHARING THE LOAD!

A problem shared is a problem halved'



'EVERY CHILD MATTERS'



Mrs Tina Hagyard
Christ the King Catholic
Primary School
Westhill Road &
Scot Lane Site

A Learning Mentor may be able to offer support with the following:-

- ☺ Enable pupils to feel more confident and positive about themselves. Build resilience
- ☺ Support with attendance/ punctuality
- ☺ Support pupils through difficult times both at home or in school
- ☺ Improving relationships with others
- ☺ Support pupil's learning & engagement
- ☺ Encourage pupils to have a voice
- ☺ Enable pupils to understand their emotions & feelings
- ☺ Secondary school /transition support
- ☺ Children in the care system/ LAC
- ☺ Loss/ separation/ migration



Learning Mentor Role Parents/ Carers Guide



Working in partnership

- * Early Help Support for Families
- * Positive Parenting Programme
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- * Thrive Approach Practitioner
- * Personal Centred Counselling Skills
- * Protective Behaviours Work
- * Solution Focused Work

How can pupils receive this additional support?

- Class teacher's may refer a pupil
- The Head/ Senior Leadership Team or SENDCo may refer a pupil
- Your child may refer themselves
- Parents/ Carers could approach the Learning Mentor with a concern about their child.

If your child has been referred to work with the school's Learning Mentor, either on a 1:1 or small group work, you may be informed and invited in to school for a chat to discuss the referral and any thoughts you may have regarding your

