Education Inclusion Family Advisor Newsletter September 2024

A Message From Me

Those of you who have been with the school a while will probably know who I am, but to our new Reception parents, hello! I'm Emily, your school's Education Inclusion Family Advisor. My role is to offer advice, signposting & support around issues that might be affecting your child & family, for example sibling rivalry, challenging behaviour, worries, sleep issues. All you need to do is get in touch via the contact details below & we can set up a phone call, Microsoft Teams meeting or in person conversation at school.

Workshop Dates

We are running a variety of workshops this term, both face to face and online.

Please click the link below or scan the QR code to see the list of workshops available and book your place.

https://forms.office.com/e/h94eNKzz00

Activity Idea - Mindfulness Jar



Overview: A good visual aid for children to help them understand how calming activities can help our emotions.

Time: 20-30 minutes.

Equipment required: A jar, water, glitter glue. **Benefits:** Helps explain emotions in a visual, easy to-understand way. It can encourage children to take moments of calmness when overwhelmed and watching the glitter swirl can be calming in itself.

<u>The-Mindfulness-Jar.pdf (premiereducation.com)</u>

Online Parenting Courses Available!

Parents and carers sometimes need extra support or information to help with parenting and to build a strong and positive family life.

That's why Cambridgeshire County Council have partnered with **In Our Place** to offer free courses to help you understand how best to support your child.

In order to access this course, please click the link below and use the code **PARENT24.**

Online Learning (heiapply.com)

Does your child have, or potentially have, an additional need or disability? Pinpoint (www.pinpoint-cambs.org.uk) have lots of information, advice and tips. For Cambridgeshire's Local Offer go to www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/local-offer