



# SEND TERMLY

Your termly newsletter related to Special Educational Needs  
at Hannah Ball School

## TRANSITIONS FOR PUPILS WITH SEND

The class teacher and LSA will support your child closely with their transition to their new class and provide them with extra opportunities to visit their new class and class teacher. A transition booklet is being completed for your child and their current class teacher will complete a 'pupil passport', to help their new teacher learn all about them!

## CAMHS

### Children and Adolescents Mental Health Service

CAMHS help children and young people up to 18 who are finding it hard to cope with everyday life because of difficult feelings, behaviour or relationships.

Most of the time when we are sad, angry, stressed or worried these feelings pass within a few days, but if they go on for a while and stop us enjoying and coping with life, then CAMHS can help.

Just as we go to the doctors when we are physically ill, sometimes we need extra help with our mental health.

#### How can CAMHS help?

CAMHS provide flexible support to suit your needs.

- Initially they will find out more about the difficulties you are having.
- They will discuss the sort of treatment and support that is likely to help and agree a plan with you.
- Sometimes a few sessions will be enough to get you back on track. Sometimes you may need to meet with CAMHS for longer.
- Most importantly you will be fully involved and the plan is agreed together and will be reviewed regularly to make sure it is still helping.

#### What can CAMHS do?

They can work with you in a range of different ways to suit your needs. These are some of the ways they can work with you:

- Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT)
- Dialectical Behavioural Therapy (DBT)
- Family Therapy
- Psychotherapy
- Solution Focused Practice

Self or parent referral;

<https://www.oxfordhealth.nhs.uk/camhs/support/crisis/>

Your SENCO's are Georgina  
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touch if you have any worries or  
concerns about your child in  
relation to SEND  
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# SENDIAS BUCKS

Reach out over the summer holidays, if you are in need of some advice and support  
<https://www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/education/bucks-sendias-service/bucks-sendias/>

**SENDIAS provide free, confidential, impartial information, advice and support on all matters relating to special educational needs and disability for children and young people aged 0 to 25 and their parents/carers.**

**Tel: 01296 383 754**

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## Lego Therapy

Our biggest area of SEND at Hannah Ball School is Speech, Language and Communication. We use a number of different interventions to support pupils who need support with this area, one of those is Lego Therapy. The children love it and it is a great tool in developing communication skills. You can read an article about the benefits of Lego Therapy [here](#).

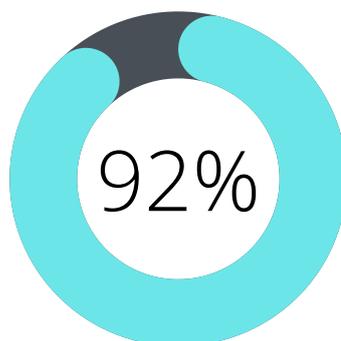
The summer holidays are a time when we are supposed to have fun and spend time as a family, but in reality things like work, time and money come in between us and all of those ideals. More than ever, we are facing some really challenging times!

You may not be aware that Bucks does offer some free holiday club places for those in need! You can read about booking onto these [here!](#)

From Ruby and Georgie (your SEN Coordinators); stay safe and take care and we will see you in September ready to take on the new term!



Our pupils with SEND recently took part in a Pupil Voice survey. We will share the results with you in our next newsletter but in the meantime...



...of pupils with SEND felt happy at Hannah Ball School