



SEND Snapshot



STAY UP TO DATE WITH OUR SCHOOL OFFER AND THE SURREY LOCAL OFFER

SUMMER TERM

Welcome to our second edition of our SEND Newsletter.

Bringing you all the most up to date happenings in school, as well as useful information from the Local Community offer.



COFFEE MORNINGS

Please continue to join us for tea, coffee and biscuits in The Hub at the James Road Site from 8.45-9.30:

Wednesday 20th May:

Supporting children with anxiety and masking

Wednesday 10th June:

Transition: supporting your child as they move to secondary school

Wednesday 15th July:

Transition: moving from the Early Years into Year 1

Details can be found below



COMING UP

As the final term is upon us, we are starting to think about transitions for your children.

Whether your child is moving to a different site or up to the next year group, we're working hard behind the scenes to ensure their transition is as successful and smooth as possible. We know that change can be hard for some of our children. We work very closely with each other, between year groups, between sites, and with you to make sure it is right for your child.

If you have any questions or concerns around this, please don't hesitate to reach out to your teacher.



BREAKFAST CLUB

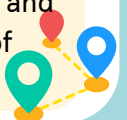
We offer a **free** breakfast club! No need to sign up, just bring your child from 8.15-8.30 to enjoy a softer start to their school day.



SEND STRATEGY

With change upon us, helping children navigate change can be tricky. Here are some important things to remember when supporting your child with their challenges when things change:

- Create a safe space for them to share their fears, worries, and excitement about the upcoming changes.
- Acknowledge and validate their feelings: Let them know it's okay to feel sad, scared, or angry about the change, and validate their emotions.
- Maintain routine and structure: Keep routines as consistent as possible. This can provide a sense of security and predictability.
- Use visual aids: Draw pictures, use maps, or create timelines to help children visualize the changes.
- Model Positive Coping: Show them how you handle change. Share your own experiences with change and demonstrate healthy coping mechanisms.
- Reassure them that change is normal: Help them understand that change is a natural part of life and can be a good thing. Encourage them to embrace the experience and see the positive aspects of the change.



Surrey Local Offer

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SURREY LOCAL OFFER

The Surrey Local Offer website has lots of support that can be accessed by you as parents/carers.

They offer information and support on education, supporting your child with additional needs, health, finance, safety and lots more.

Please [click here](#) to have a look.

HELP AND SUPPORT

If your child has additional needs, you're not alone—there's support available to help you every step of the way. The Surrey Local Offer from Surrey County Council is a free, easy-to-use website designed especially for parents and carers. It brings together helpful information about education, health services, and family support all in one place. Whether you're looking for advice, local services, or just want to understand what help your child can access, the Local Offer is a great place to start.

[Click here](#) to have a look at what support is on offer.

BANARDOS

Families also get support from Barnardo's in Camberley. They offer friendly, practical advice and a listening ear for families with children who have additional needs. You can pop along to their drop-in sessions at the Family Centre on Thursday afternoons—no appointment needed—making it easy to get help, ask questions, or simply talk things through.. [Click here](#) for more information about this.



SIGN UP

To stay up to date with the latest support, events, and helpful information, parents and carers can [sign up here](#) to the Surrey Local newsletters from Surrey County Council. It's a simple way to receive regular updates straight to your inbox, helping you keep informed about services and opportunities available for children with additional needs.

SIGN UP NOW

FAMILY SUPPORT

Surrey have a wide variety of parenting support that you are able to access for free. Some of the courses offered are:

Parenting Puzzle Workshops: courses that support parents and carers to enjoy bringing up children and get the best out of family life. They offer positive, practical ways of guiding children, so they learn to handle both their feelings and their behaviour.

Barnardo's Surrey Positive Parenting Service - ADHD: a programme offering advice and support for parents of children aged 6 to 18 years old who have been diagnosed with, or are awaiting a diagnosis of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD).

Stepping up for autism is an 8-week course for parents and carers in Surrey of children and young people who are autistic or have similar needs.

Please [click here](#) to see what is on offer.



Here are some resources you may wish to use with your child(ren) to support with any worries they have around change

How I am feeling about this change:



1

Glitch

This is just a glitch! I can fix this myself.



2

Little Problem

This is a little problem, I can make this change with a little reminder.



3

Medium Problem

This is feeling like a bit of a bigger change. I may need a little bit of help with this.



4

Big Problem

I think I will need a lot of help to make this change.



5

Emergency

This is a really big change or problem and I will definitely need some help from a grown up!!

What Is Worrying Me?

I am worried ...

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How Can I Cope?

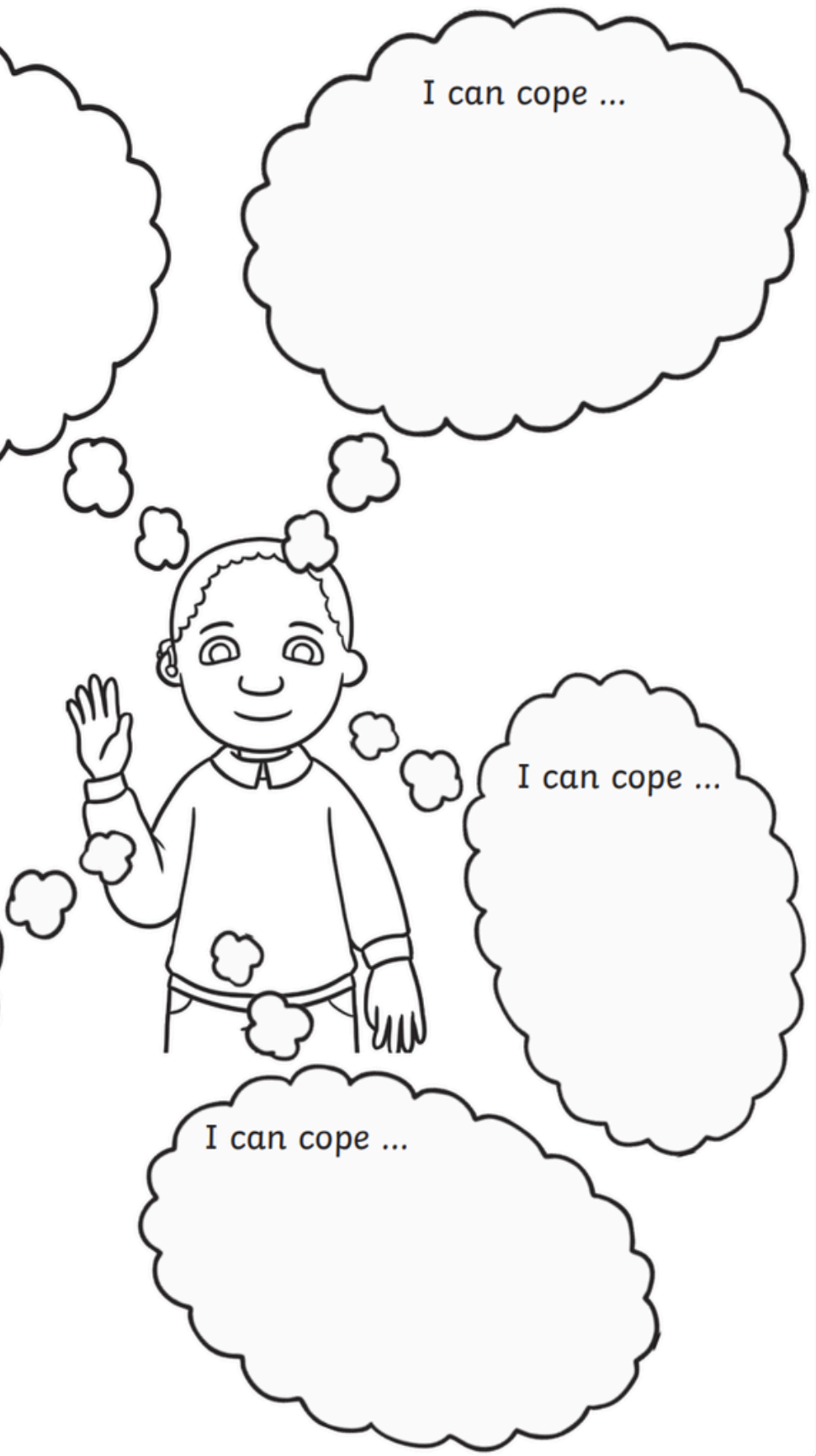
I can cope ...

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Supporting your child with anxiety and masking

Find Peace Within



Do you have an anxious child?
Is your child masking their difficulties?
Need some support...

**Come and join our
SENCo's for this
workshop**

Wednesday 20th May

2.00 - 2.45

James Road



SUPPORT YOUR CHILD
WITH THEIR MOVE

TO

SECONDARY SCHOOL



MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM

WEDNESDAY 10TH JUNE

9.00 - 9.45

Junior Site





MOVING FROM RECEPTION TO YEAR 1



Join Mrs Kurzberg and Mrs Keir on how to support your child moving from the Early Years to Year 1



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15th July



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JAMES ROAD SITE

