



Valley Primary School

GROWING AND LEARNING TOGETHER TO BE THE BEST WE CAN BE !

ASPIRE...ENJOY...ACHIEVE...CHALLENGE !

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Old Lode Lane, Solihull, B92 8LW
Upper Phases (Y4, Y5, Y6)
Middle Phase (Y2, Y3)

Fallowfield Road, Solihull, B92 9HQ
Lower Phase (Nurs, Rec, Y1)

Summer 2026

Parents please follow this link to find out more information about what support/clubs etc are on offer over the summer..

<https://www.solihull.gov.uk/here2help-summer>

Useful numbers

Solar Crisis Team	0121 301 2750/ 0121 301 5500 (out of hours)
Solihull Mash	0121 788 4300
Women's Aid	0808 800 0028
Birmingham Mind	0121 608 8001
Foodbank contact	0121 704 8001
Birmingham Children's Services	0121 303 1888
Childline	0800 1111
Refuge National Domestic Abuse Helpline	0808 2000 247
SIAS (Solihull Integrated Addiction Services)	0121 301 4141
Citizens Advice	0800 144 8848

In addition please see July timetable for the Hatchford Family hub on Old Lode Lane

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Timetable

July-August



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Elmwood, 37 Burtons Way, B36 0UG	Evergreen, 42 Kingshurst Way, B37 6DX	Hatchford Brook, Old Lode Lane, B92 8JE	Riverside, 289 Bosworth Drive, B37 5DP
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Wherever you live in Solihull, we're here to support you

Best Start Family Hubs in Solihull are local centres where children, young people, and families can access support and take part in fun activities! Our friendly staff and service providers work in partnership with you and your community to access the information and support that's needed. Some services offer drop-in sessions, whilst others require booked appointments. The Hubs are a safe space for you and your loved ones.

July					
Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays	Saturdays
Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 27 July – Career day To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Pre-loved uniform pop-up at Elmwood – 12:00-15:00 27 July Particularly for schools local to the Hub. No booking required.	Movie morning at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 21 July Come and watch Zootropolis 2 (2025)! No booking required. Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 21 July – Pirates 28 July – Harry Potter To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 28 July	Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 22 July – Career day 29 July – Superheroes To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Decorate a planter at Elmwood – 13:00-15:00 29 July Decorate a planter using your favourite colours and designs. Suitable for ages 5-12 years. 14 spaces available. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 29 July	Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 23 July – Space To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Super SEN painting bird houses and making bird food at Riverside – 12:00-14:00 23 July To book, email supersenc@gmail.com Teddy-tastic party at Elmwood – 13:30-15:30 23 July Create your own teddy bear! Followed by party games and a disco. 12 spaces available. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700. Teddy-tastic party at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 30 July Create your own teddy bear! Followed by party games and a disco. 10 spaces available. To book, call Riverside on 0121 779 1750.	Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 24 July – Minecraft 31 July – Fantasy land To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Rock painting at Elmwood – 10:30-12:30 24 July Get creative by decorating some natural stones. No booking required. Moo-Fest at Elmwood 31 July All ages – 09:45-10:45 Non-walkers – 11:15-12:15 Songs, crafts, playtime, and refreshments! £3 per child. To book, contact 0795 093 4194 or kally.moo.music@gmail.com. Superhero party at Hatchford – 11:00-13:00 31 July Suit up in your favourite superhero costume for a fun-filled family party with games, music, and activities for children aged 3-12 years. For more info and to book, call Hatchford on 0121 704 6943.	OVOS summer BBQ at Hatchford – 10:00-16:00 25 July Join Our Voice Our Services (OVOS), Solihull's Children in Care Council, for a summer barbeque! Suitable for care experienced children and young people and their families. To book, call Hatchford on 0121 704 6943.

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August			
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Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 3 August – Up & away 10 August – Minecraft To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Under the Same Sky at Elmwood – 10:00-12:00 17 August Creative workshop. School uniform swap shop at Elmwood – 10:00-13:00 17 August New and used uniforms available. Provided by Merstone and Forest Oak schools. No booking required. Under the Same Sky at Riverside, 10:00-12:00 24 August Creative workshop.	Clay workshop at Elmwood – 09:30-11:30 and 13:00-15:00 4 August Create a clay sculpture to take home, air dry, and decorate! To book, complete the form or email community.projects@solihull.ac.uk. Grass heads and wind chimes at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 4 August Make a grass head to take home and a wind chime to decorate our new garden space. To book, call Riverside on 0121 779 1750. Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 4 August – Space. 11 August – Fantasy land. Book online. MakaTots at Riverside 11 August! Toddlers – 09:30. Babies – 10:30. FREE taster session of signing activities. To book, call 0734 894 4317 or email. Community fun day at Riverside – 12:30-14:30 11 August Magic, music, and games alongside activities delivered by local services. No booking required. Movie afternoon at Elmwood – 14:30-16:30 11 August Come and watch Toy Story! No booking required. Movie morning at Riverside – 10:00-12:00 18 August Come and watch Dolly (2020)! No booking required. School uniform swap shop at Elmwood – 10:00-13:00 25 August New and used uniforms available. Provided by Merstone and Forest Oak schools. No booking required. Community fun day at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 25 August Magic, music, and games alongside a SEND session and activities delivered by local services. No booking required. Scales and Tails at Riverside, 12:00-14:00 25 August Discover fascinating animals and learn interesting facts about them. To book, call Riverside on 0121 779 1750. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 4, 11, 18, and 25 August	Indoor gardening at Elmwood – 10:00-12:00 5 August Plant your succulents and flowers to take home! Ordinary Magic HAF at Hatchford – 10:00-14:00 5 August – Circus 12 August – Up & away. To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Scales and Tails at Elmwood – 13:30-15:30 5 August Discover fascinating animals and learn interesting facts about them. To book, call Elmwood on 0121 779 1700. Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 12 August Clay workshop at: Riverside – 12 and 19 August, 09:30-11:30 Elmwood – 12 August, 13:00-15:00 Evergreen – 19 August, 13:00-15:00 Create a clay sculpture to take home, air dry, and decorate! To book, complete the form or email community.projects@solihull.ac.uk. Education Participation Advisory Service (EPAS) at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 19 August Support and advice to address barriers to education. No booking required.	Clay workshop at Hatchford – 09:30-11:30 & 13:00-15:00 7 August! Create a sculpture to take home & decorate! To book, complete the form or email. Ordinary Magic HAF at Elmwood – 10:00-14:00 7 August – Pirates. 14 August – Harry Potter. To book, visit https://ordinary-magic.classforkids.io/camps. Makatots taster session at Hatchford – 09:00-13:00 14 August! Introducing families to Makaton signing through songs, stories, and activities. EPAS at Hatchford – 09:30-12:30 21 August Support and advice to address barriers to education. No booking. Community fun day at Hatchford – 09:30-12:30 21 August Discover family activities, friendly local services, and everything your Hub has to offer! Solihull College sensory crafts at Elmwood – 12:30-14:30 21 and 28 August Scales and Tails at Hatchford – 12:00-14:00 28 August Discover fascinating animals and learn interesting facts about them. To book, call Hatchford on 0121 704 6943.
Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays			
- Super SEN teddy bear picnic at Riverside – 12:00-14:00 Thurs 6 August To book, email supersenc@gmail.com. - Family fun at Evergreen – 13:00-15:00 Thurs 6 and 27 August - Mak-a-Moo at Riverside – 09:45-14:15 Thurs 13 August Join us for our first ever collaboration between Moo Music and MakaTots! To book, call 0795 093 4194 or email kally.moo.music@gmail.com. - Alive Wellness at Hatchford – 09:00-13:00 Sat 1, 8, 15, and 22 August Activities, sports, and games for ages 5+. - Super SEN summer fair at Hatchford – 12:00-15:00 Sun 16 August For children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) and their families. - Blossom and Belong fundraiser at Hatchford – 13:00- 16:00 Sun 23 August A community fundraising event supporting Blossom and Belong.			

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Solihull Map

My Solihull Map connects you to your local community, where you can find places to go, things to do, and to actively engage in the vibrant services your local community provides.

Our map highlights several activities and services: free and low-cost, all-age group, under-18, disability-focused, mental health focused, faith groups, and sports and physical activities.

Visit My Solihull Maps at - <https://www.solihull.gov.uk/communities/my-solihull-map>

MENTAL HEALTH & Well-being WEDNESDAY

What is Mental Health?

Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social well-being. It affects how we think, feel, and act.

Importance of Mental Health

Good mental health is essential for overall well-being, enabling us to handle stress, relate to others, and make healthy choices.

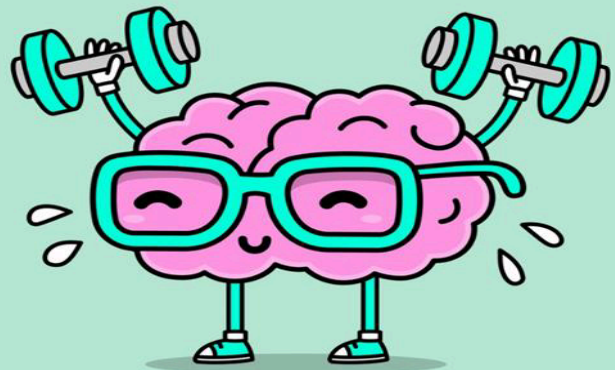
Resources and Support

Use the links below to find out more information

- [SOLAR - CAMHS Duty line - 0121 3012750](#)
- [SOLAR crisis support](#)
- [Ordinary Magic](#)
- [Liberty Circle - Group for anxious girls](#)
- [Healing Young Minds](#)
- [Oasis Mental Health support](#)
- [SHOUT - Text helpline - Text 85258](#)
- [The Purple House Clinic](#)
- [Samaritans - 116123](#)

Remember we are here to support however we can, contact if you need any help.

Be kind to yourself!



SUPPORTING MENTAL HEALTH

• Self-Care

Regular exercise, balanced diet, adequate sleep.

• Seek Professional Help

Therapists, counsellors, and support groups.

• Be There

Offer support and listen without judgment.

CONTACT DETAILS



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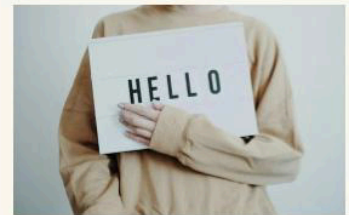




SAFE SPACE SOLIHULL SEN SUPPORT GROUP

01 WHO ARE WE?

Hello,
Safe Space Solihull is a SEN support group. We are a team of five SEND parents: Emma, Gina, Steph, Keeley, and Kelly. We all have different backgrounds, lived experiences and skill sets, meaning we can offer more than ever before.



02 WHO ARE WE HERE TO HELP?

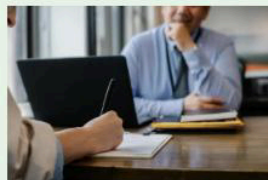
We are here to help parents, families, young people, and adults with SEND navigate the world of SEND here in Solihull. We offer support, guidance, advice, signposting, and so much more...



03 WHAT CAN WE HELP YOU WITH

- ♥ EHCP advice
 - ♥ Benefit forms and advice (DLA, PIP, UC)
 - ♥ Disability Student Allowance
 - ♥ Family fund application
 - ♥ General SEN support advice
 - ♥ Information and signposting
- plus much more....**

For support with benefit forms, this will include a suggested donation to the group of £25, this will help us build on what support we can offer and enable more training opportunities.



04 WHAT ARE WE TRYING TO ACHIEVE

We want to help and support as many families as possible. There are lots of groups in Solihull, all doing amazing work and really supporting families to not feel alone on their journey. Although there are lots of crossovers, all groups have their unique offers as well; this gives families multiple groups and events from which they can receive support. This year we looked at how we can help even more, and so we have started offering a wider range of services, bringing on board a bigger team with different areas of experience.



05 UPCOMING EVENTS

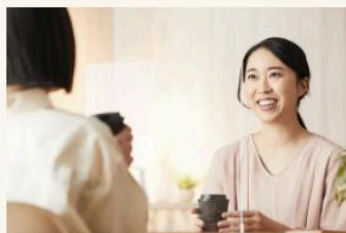
We are trying to offer different days, different times of day, and different locations. We are currently working on our upcoming dates, and a separate poster will follow shortly.

- ♥ Hatchford Brook Family hub - Last Wednesday of every month. Next one will be **WEDNESDAY 25th JUNE 10am-12pm**
- ♥ Evening meet ups at Smithtons 6.30-8pm - TBC
- ♥ Breakfast 9.30- 11.30 TBC
- ♥ Lunchtime meet up 12pm - 2pm TBC
- ♥ Evening social Events TBC



06 FEEDBACK

Feedback is really important to us, and we also appreciate suggestions for what else you would like to see, so please don't hesitate to contact us on Facebook or by email to let us know. Remember, we are here to help!



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