



RIVERVIEW JUNIOR SCHOOL

SEN Newsletter

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**Just a
reminder...**



SEN Review Meetings

Keep an eye out for letters coming home today about appointment times for SEN review meetings. This will be with teachers to discuss progress and provision for your child in school. I will also be available if you want to discuss anything in more detail. There is a slip to return so individual appointments can be issued. Or alternatively, simply email the information on the reply slip to: senco@riverview-junior.kent.sch.uk

Parent courses in Term 4 & 5 at the Smile Centre

Starting the Autism Journey - 20th Feb
Basics for Behaviour - 17th April
ASD Parent Support Group—19th April
To book a place phone 01474 536324 or
download a booking form on the Ifield
website: www.ifieldschool.com.

Thank You

As we reach the mid-point of the school year,
we wanted to say a big thank you for all your
on-going support.

Have a wonderful half term break with your
children.

Best wishes

K. Ward

Mrs K Ward

SENCO

SEN Glossary

MLD: Moderate Learning Difficulties

ODD: Oppositional defiant disorder

PD: Physical disability

PLP: Personalised learning plan

SEN: Special educational needs— the tier
above AEN, for pupils who need additional
intervention in order to make progress.

SLCN: Speech, language and
communication needs

Local ASD Parent Support Group Information

SMILE- Ifield School

ASD Parent Support Groups held at the Smile Centre, Gravesend - 9.30 -11.45 led by Claudia Goodman. For more information or a booking form please contact CHall@ifield.kent.sch.uk

There are also parent courses at Ifield Smile - details available on our website or contact CHall@ifield.kent.sch.uk for more information or to request a brochure.

Cygnets Course for Parents

Supporting parents of children with a diagnosis of Autism.

For further information about the course and to apply for a place please contact Early Help admin on GraveshamGroups@kent.gov.uk

National Autistic Society Dartford & Gravesham

Emmanuel Baptist Church, Gravesend. DA12 1BB Friday Mornings 10.00-11.30pm (term time)

Autism Café Greenhithe DA9 9ND - Wednesdays 1.00-2.30pm (term time)

mandy.garford@nas.org.uk

Sainsbury's Pepper Hill Gravesend DA11 8JH 10.00 -1.00pm advice stand

Helen Allison - tim.cook@nas.org.uk

www.facebook.com/NAS Dartford & Gravesham group

Multi Agency Autism Group (MAAG) - St Mary's School Stone DA9 1EF 6.45-8.45pm

Monthly evening talks

Book via lois.spearing@nhs.net

Medway Autism Group and Information Centre (MAGIC)

Group based in Cliffe Woods - Friday mornings 09.30 - 11.30 admin@medway-magic.org

Helen Allison School Community Outreach Events/talks - Meopham DA13 0EW

Play dates

Evening talks

Contact - tim.cook@nas.org.uk

Further Sources

Kent Autistic Trust - <https://www.kentautistic.com>

BEAMs - <https://wearebeams.org.uk>

Early Help - <https://www.kelsi.org.uk/support-for-children-and-young-people/early-help-and-preventative-services>