

## **Army Families Deployment Guide**

[http://www.army.mod.uk/documents/general/Fam\\_guide\\_Apr\\_09\\_WEB2.pdf](http://www.army.mod.uk/documents/general/Fam_guide_Apr_09_WEB2.pdf)

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### **Local Useful Contact Numbers**

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### **Military Services**

9TLR - Hullavington - Captain Cole - 01666 508 840  
29 Reg RLC - South Cerney - 01285 868 478  
21 Signal Reg - Colerne - Captain Jenkins - 01225 744 048 ext 203  
241 Signal Sqn - Colerne - Mrs Horne - 01225 744 006  
10 Signals Reg - Corsham - Major Duncan (Retired) - 01225 817 659  
CBHQ R Sigs - Corsham - Major Williams - 01225 815 958  
RAF - Brize Norton - Community Office - 01993 895 956  
Shrivenham - Captain Bolton - 01793 314 714

### **Parent / Sponsor Unit**

Lt. Col Suzie Donoghue,  
Commanding Officer  
9 Theatre Logistics Regiment  
Royal Logistics Regiment  
Buckley Barracks  
Stanton St. Quintin  
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### **Service Children Support Network**

Joy O'Neil - [contact@servicechildrensupportnetwork.com](mailto:contact@servicechildrensupportnetwork.com)

### **Other Useful Sites**

**The Children's Education Advisory Service.** [www.bfbs.com](http://www.bfbs.com) (CEAS) was established several years ago to provide Service Families with advice and information about all aspects of children's education in the UK and around the world now forms an integral part of Directorate Children and Young People.

**Service Children's Education.** [www.sce-web.com](http://www.sce-web.com)  
<http://www.sceschools.com/deployment/?submit=Go+to+Site>

(SCE) provides education for the dependent children of armed forces personnel and UK based civilians serving overseas and is the key delivery partner to Directorate Children and Young People. In addition, DCYP works with a broad range of other government departments, in particular the Department for Education, organisations within the MOD and external organisations and charities, to ensure that children wherever they are in the world, are given every opportunity to fulfil their potential. Examples of the organisations and agencies which DCYP work closely with in this respect are listed below:

The **Department for Education (DfE)** [www.education.gov.uk](http://www.education.gov.uk) is responsible for education and children's services in England. The Directorate works in partnership with DfE to ensure that policies for service children and young people are up to date and in line with Government policy. DfE sit on both the MOD Children and Young People's Trust Board and the Safeguarding Children Board.

**Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association (SSAFA)**

<http://www.ssafa.org.uk> offers help and support to serving members of the armed forces and those who used to serve, and care for the families of both. The professional Director of Social Work for SSAFA is a member of both the MOD Children and Young People's Trust Board and the Safeguarding Children Board.

**The Royal British Legion** [www.britishlegion.org.uk](http://www.britishlegion.org.uk) provides welfare to the whole armed forces family - serving, ex-service and their dependants.

**The Children's Society** [www.childrenssociety.org.uk](http://www.childrenssociety.org.uk) wants to create a society where children and young people are valued, respected and happy.

**The Child Bereavement Charity** [www.childbereavement.org.uk](http://www.childbereavement.org.uk) is the UK's leading charity that supports families and educates professionals both when a child dies and when a child is bereaved.

**The Army Families Federation** [www.aff.org.uk](http://www.aff.org.uk) is the independent voice of Army families and works hard to improve the quality of life for Army families worldwide on any aspect that is affected by the Army lifestyle. AFF are represented on the MOD Children and Young People's Trust Board.

**The RAF Families Federation** [www.raf-ff.org.uk](http://www.raf-ff.org.uk)

Represents the views and concerns of RAF personnel and their family members on the issues that affect them as part of a RAF family. It is an independent organisation which operates entirely outside the RAF chain of command. RAF FF are represented on the MOD Children and Young People's Trust Board (links to Deployment info).

**The Naval Families Federation** [www.nff.org.uk](http://www.nff.org.uk)

(NFF) was established in 2003 to give Royal Naval and Royal Marines' families an independent voice. Views and concerns expressed by families may be taken forward by the NFF either through the chain of command or at ministerial level. NFF are represented on the MOD Children and Young People's Trust Board.

### **Army Welfare Service**

Much of the support available to Army personnel and their families is given through the Army Welfare Service (AWS), a professional and confidential welfare support service for servicemen and women and their families, wherever they are located.

The Army Welfare Service has three main tasks: Community Support, Personal Support and HIVE information services.

If you wish to contact the Army Welfare Service please email:

[AWS-Welfareinformationservice@mod.uk](mailto:AWS-Welfareinformationservice@mod.uk) or Telephone on: 01980 615975 or 0800 032 6443.

### **CEAS Moving Pack**



Children's Education Advisory Service is a Tri-Service organisation funded by the MOD. It was established to provide information and support to Service families and eligible MOD civilians on all aspects of the education of their children in the UK and overseas.

CEAS provides information and advice as well as supporting parents at meetings with schools, local authorities, at tribunal etc.

In 2005, CEAS produced, a Moving Schools Pack designed to help smooth the transition of children as they move from one to school to the next. The pack takes the form of three booklets, one for parents, one for pupils and one for schools.

Click on the links below to view a selection of pages from each of the books.

For more information, or to receive a moving pack, contact CEAS at:

Children's Education Advisory Service,  
Address: Building 190 Trenchard Lines,  
Upavon, Pewsey, Wiltshire. SN9 6BE.  
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Telephone: 01980 618244 (civilian); (9)4344 8244 (military)  
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Email: [enquiries@ceas.detsa.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@ceas.detsa.co.uk)

Service Children's Education  
Pupil & Family Services

*This booklet has drawn upon the experiences of children and families, as well as a very wide range of professional staff. Deployment is part of military life and families told us how they learn to deal with the challenges. Their experiences have helped to produce this booklet.*

*Our work to support children and families is ongoing; we are always pleased to receive any comments that may help us improve this material.*

*If you would like to give feedback, or would like further copies please contact us at the address below.*

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