

## Children learn what they live:

If children live with criticism they learn to condemn.

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If children live with hostility they learn to fight.

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If children live with ridicule they learn to be shy.

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If children live with shame they learn to feel guilty.

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If children live with tolerance they learn to be patient.

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If children live with encouragement they learn confidence.

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If children live with appreciation they learn to appreciate.

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If children live with fairness they learn justice.

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If children live with security they learn to have faith.

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If children live with approval they learn to like themselves.

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If children live with acceptance and friendship they learn to find love.

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## How do I contact the Home School Link Worker?

Parents/carers, schools and children can ask us to become involved. With your consent we will explore the difficulties your child is experiencing and identify the best way forward.

Fill in the HSLW message form enclosed and hand into the school office in an envelope For the Attention of the Home School Link Worker, marked "Private" OR email/telephone your school's HSLW. (See front of leaflet for contact details).

## What can I expect?

Your HSLW will fill in a referral form with you. Before starting to work with children we will obtain your consent. We are able to offer a confidential service regarding personal issues. If necessary we would seek your permission to share the information with staff at the school or with other agencies. Should a Child Protection issue be identified we are legally bound to follow Government Guidelines.



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## HOME SCHOOL LINK WORKER

Working to support  
children and families within  
our schools

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## Home School Link Workers

- Offering support in school
- Supporting parents/carers and families
- Improving attendance and punctuality
- Promoting positive behaviour

During term time we will work in partnership with parents/carers, schools and other agencies to support families, aiming to reduce current issues and prevent future difficulties.

Our aim is to ensure that all children enjoy school and are happy and secure.

### We can help by providing...

- One to one support and advice
- Therapeutic sessions with children and families
- Signposting to other agencies
- Support Groups for Parents/Carers

## Who can we help?

- Children who are withdrawn or anxious.
- Parents/Carers experiencing difficulties in managing their child's behaviour.
- Parents/Carers whose children are not attending school or who have been excluded.
- Parents/Carers and children who are reacting to change, such as parental separation or bereavement.
- Parents/carers who may need support on a wide range of issues impacting on their family life e.g. illness, separation, domestic violence, bereavement.

Parents/carers who would like help and advice with filling in forms such as school admissions, free school meals, special educational needs, housing, benefits etc

## HSLW Message Form

Telephone/email OR hand this form into the school office in an envelope marked "Private" addressed to your HSLW.

I would like to speak to the Home School Link Worker.

Name:

Telephone:

School:

Child's Name:

When:

Message:

(Please note the HSLW will not pick up messages every day but will contact you in the next 10 days).