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Find us at: www.thebridgesfederation.org.uk

Newsletter 17th October 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very excited for the activities that are planned for International Week next week where our theme is Voices of the World: Power and Pride. Parents we are looking forward to you joining us for stay and learn sessions and International Week performances. All dates are in the dates for your diary box. Please can your child plan the costume/outfit they will wear on the day of the International Week performance.

Halloween and Firework safety tips

Halloween can be an exciting time of year for children, dressing up and going out after dark. The [Child Accident Prevention Trust](#) some top safety tips.

Did you know sparklers can burn 16 times hotter than a kettle? Or how easy it is to buy powerful rockets unsuited to family gardens. With Bonfire Night and Diwali quickly approaching, please click on the link for [Firework safety advice](#).

Please check that the Arbor App is working on your phone, we are now taking payments on Arbor. Please go to the school shop on the App. You can make the £5 contribution towards outings for your child for the year. We may occasionally ask for a further contribution to one outing a year.

Pupil Review Meetings: Bookings are open on the Arbor App until Monday 27/10/2025 at 3:30pm for the parent teacher meetings which take place on 12/11/2025.

Breakfast club: From 3rd November breakfast club will now cost £2 per child and we will no longer be offering a discount for siblings.

Have a lovely weekend. Gates open at 8:45am on Monday.

Parents of Children in Year 6

If your child is in Year 6 you will need to complete the e-Admissions online application and make your 6 choices. Please speak to a member of the leadership team if you need further support. The e-Admissions deadline 31/10/25 is in half term. We advise you to complete the application before the half term break.

Please click on the link: [eAdmissions](#)

Dates For Your Diary

Tower Bridge

20th - 24th October - International Week and Curriculum Cafes at 9:00am - 20/10 - Year 2; 21/10 - Year 5; 22/10 - Year 1 and Year 6; 23/10 - Year 4; 24/10 - Reception

Wednesday 22nd October - International Week

Performance for parents 3pm

Friday 24th October - Breakup Half term 3.30pm

Wednesday 12th November - Parent Teacher Meetings

Friday 14th November - Children in Need Fundraising Day

Robert Browning

20th - 24th October - International Week stay and learn sessions for parents 8.45am - 9.15am, 20/10: Y2, 21/10: Y4 & Rainbow@ 3pm, 22/10: Y1, Y3 & Y6

Thursday 23rd October - International Week

Performance for parents at 2.45pm

Friday 24th October - Breakup for Half Term@3.30pm

Wednesday 12th November Parent Teacher Meetings

Snowsfields

20th - 24th October - International Week stay and learn sessions for parents 8:45-9:15 am 20/10: Green class, 21/10 Red class, 22/10: Sunshine & Blue class, 23/10: Orange & Purple class, 24/10: Rainbow & Yellow class

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Friday 24th October - Breakup Half term 3.30pm

Wednesday 12th November Parent Teacher Meetings

Term Dates 2025-2026 are on the Federation website

[Term Dates - The Bridges Federation](#)

Term time holidays will not be authorised.

Other important dates for this year can also be found on the school website here:

[Diary - The Bridges Federation](#)



SPORTS NEWS



Some of the girls from Blue and Purple Class went to the Oval this week to take part in a cricket workshop.



As part of International Week next week, each class are inviting parents to join in with some learning related to the theme of *'The beauty and strength of global voices'*. Each session will start at 9am and last for around 30 minutes. Look below to see which day your child's class are running their cafes.

- Monday 20th October - **Orange Class**
- Tuesday 21st October - **Blue Class**
- Wednesday 22nd October - **Red Class**
- Wednesday 22nd October - **Purple Class**
- Thursday 23rd October - **Green Class**
- Friday 24th October - **Sunshine Class**



Thank you to all the parents from Yellow Class who were able to attend the Curriculum Cafe this week. It was lovely to see so many of you working with your children.

Year 1 and Year 2 went to the Unicorn Theatre this week to watch a relaxed showing of "The Three Little Pigs".



THE UK'S THEATRE FOR YOUNG AUDIENCES

They said it made them laugh and feel scared all at the same time, especially the Big Bad Wolf.



This year, School Council have chosen to support Children In Need as their charity. Look out for more information in next week's newsletter about what we plan to do on Friday 14th November.



be the best
you can be -
believe!

[value of the week]
TOWER BRIDGE

CURRICULUM

CAFES

History



The children in year one explored a range of objects, sorting them into 'past' and 'present' They discussed what each item was used for and compared them to modern day alternatives.



Festival of Sports

Some of our pupils took part in this week's Festival of Sports - a fun inclusive event full of teamwork, enthusiasm and smiles!



Autumn Fundraising Event

This will be on Wednesday 22nd October at 3.30pm. There will be lots of yummy cakes, warm food and other autumnal treats!

Donations of food needed and volunteers to help with setting up and selling items that will be on sale. All proceeds raised will go to cooking club with Shanaz on a Wednesday.

DANCE

Pioneer Dance Half Term Workshop @Snowsfields Pioneer Dance, led by Chantal our dance specialist is running a half term workshop at Snowsfields Primary School. Also open to Robert Browning children in Year 1 - 6 to attend.

Lots of DANCE, FUN and ACTIVE activities! Monday 27th October 2025, 9am - 4pm

Limited Spaces

Payment Link:

<https://pioneerdance.bigcartel.com/product/pioneer-dance-half-term-workshop-south-london-1-day>

Reading Buddies



Year 3 and year 6 had a brilliant reading buddy session this week. The children were fully engaged and really enjoyed reading their books.

Snowsfields Primary School



The children in Sunshine class loved exploring the garden this week! They collected autumn leaves and used them to make beautiful leaf rubbings.



Red Class had a fantastic time at the Teddy Bear Hospital, run by students from King's College London! The children took part in fun, hands-on activities to learn about doctors, hospitals, and how to care for others.

This week in Rainbow, the children took part in role play at the doctor's surgery. They explored general medical vocabulary and discussed different symptoms that patients might experience, using a core board to support their communication. They also learned about having an injection and practised this safely using a role play syringe (without a needle).



This week in Science, Blue Class learned all about friction! The children tested different surfaces around the school by measuring how far a toy car could travel on each one.



Year 6 have been enjoying their drumming sessions. They're learning new rhythms and techniques as they prepare a special drumming performance for International Week.





	Absences	Lates	Total
Year 1	4½	13	250
Year 2	6	2	375
Year 3	0	2	625
Year 4	7	10	300
Year 5	8	9	100
Year 6	14 ½	7	100

Overall whole school attendance for week beginning 06/10/2025: 95.13%

1st Place Attendance: Year 3
1st Place Punctuality: Year 3 and year 2



Overall whole school attendance for week beginning: 6/10/2025:

96.9%

1st Place Attendance: Y3
1st Place Punctuality: Y2, Y3 & Y4

	Absence	Lates	Total
Year 1	5	4	96.88%
Year 2	12	2	94.29%
Year 3	2	2	99%
Year 4	5	2	98.21%
Year 5	11	4	95.77%
Year 6	3	3	98.66%



	Absence	Lates	Total
Year 1	7	2	450
Year 2	11	2	375
Year 3	23	8	150
Year 4	10	1	700
Year 5	14	4	175
Year 6	8	4	300

Overall whole school attendance for week beginning: 6/10/2025:

94.55%

1st Place Attendance: Y1
1st Place Punctuality: Y4



Our school value this week is: B -
Be the best you can be - believe!



Reading and Times Table
Rockstar Raffle Winners

Our core value this week is:
Respect

Reading Raffle
Winners



Times Tables
Rock Stars

Our school value this week is:
F - Fun and Friendly



Reading
Raffle
Winners



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ATTENDANCE UPDATE

Being in school and having the best attendance possible underpins all the many benefits of school for your child, such as their learning, wellbeing and wider development. We want to work with you to ensure that attendance for pupils at the Bridges Federation is the best it can be.

As a parent, you are legally responsible for making sure your child gets a suitable full time education. This means making sure your child is in school every day except when

- Your child is too ill to go to school.
- You have permission for a leave of absence from your child's school for them not to attend. You should only ask for this in exceptional circumstances. Generally, a holiday will not be classed as an exceptional circumstance.
- Your religious body has a day especially for religious observance.

If my child needs to be absent from school, what do I need to do?

You should contact us as early as possible (no later than 10am) on the first day of absence to explain why. If you do not, we will contact you to find out where they are.

My child is ill. What should I do?

If your child is ill, read the NHS's 'Is my child too ill for school?' advice to help you decide whether they can go to school. Contact us as soon as possible to let us know that they will be absent.

Do I need to provide medical evidence to support my child's illness related absence?

We may ask for medical evidence when your child is absent due to illness. This may be in cases where:

- Your child is regularly absent due to illness, to assess how we can help by putting support in place.
- We have reason to believe your child was not too ill to attend and a conversation has not resolved the issue.

If you are asked to provide evidence this does not need to be a letter from your doctor or consultant, and doctors will not usually provide such letters. It can, instead, be appointment cards, prescriptions, or notes of previous consultations (including from the NHS App.)

To avoid disruption to your child's attendance, medical and dental appointments should not be booked during the school day whenever reasonably possible.

My child is struggling to attend school. What can I do?

The first step is to talk to us about why your child is missing school, and what help we can give. You should still do everything you can to help your child attend as much as possible whilst waiting for help and support to be put into place. Information on who you can contact for help, including the school's senior leader responsible for attendance, can be found in our attendance policy on the website. We follow the expectations laid out in the DfE guidance 'Working together to improve school attendance.'

<https://assets.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/wpuploads/2024/07/aaa-guide-for-parents-on-school-attendance-19th-Aug-version.pdf>

<https://thebridgesfederation.org.uk/home/attendance/>

Parent/carer support at Robert Browning

With Anna, Toni and Courtney



We offer non-judgemental and confidential support for parent/carers of children with anxiety and challenging behaviour

Tea/ coffee Morning

Time: 9:00 - 9:45



Upcoming dates:

- 23rd September: Black Thrive project presentation
- 7th October: Getting to know your area
- 21st October : Learning at home
- 4th November: Understanding ADHD
- 18th November: Emotion regulation



For more information please contact:

anna.geissmann@groundwork.org.uk



How to keep children safe this Halloween **and Firework safety tips**

Halloween can be an exciting time of year for children, dressing up and going out after dark. But, whilst Halloween is supposed to be spooky there are some horrors that families will want to avoid.

The [Child Accident Prevention Trust](#) has some [top tips for a safe Halloween](#).

Did you know sparklers can burn 16 times hotter than a kettle? Or how easy it is to buy powerful rockets unsuited to family back gardens? With Bonfire Night and Diwali quickly approaching, Child Accident Prevention Trust's [Firework safety advice hub](#) covers all the safety essentials.

secondary transfer

for parents of Year 6 pupils

Please find information about secondary school open days for children currently in year 6 in the link below:

[Check secondary school open days and evenings | Southwark Council](#)



Discover a school where every child Belongs, Believes & Becomes their best self.

Join us at an Open Event

OPEN EVENING - 5:30-7:30 PM
Monday 22nd September

OPEN MORNINGS - 9:00-10:30 AM
Monday 15th September
Tuesday 23rd September
Thursday 25th September
Wednesday 1st October
Monday 6th October
Thursday 16th October



ST THOMAS MORE LANGUAGE COLLEGE
CADOGAN STREET CHELSEA LONDON SW3 2QS

OPEN EVENINGS

WEDNESDAY 17 September 4-6pm
THURSDAY 25 September 4-6pm
WEDNESDAY 8 October 4-6pm

Headteacher's talk in the Hall at 4:30pm & 5:30pm

TUBE: SLOANE SQUARE STATION
BUS: DUKE OF YORK SQUARE





HARRIS ACADEMY BERMONDSEY
OUTSTANDING EVERY TIME!
Ofsted Outstanding in 2009 | 2016 | 2019 | 2025
#ProudToBeHAB

Outstanding in all areas - including Quality of Education, Behaviour and Attitudes, Personal Development, Leadership and Management, and Sixth-Form Provision.

Open Days
3rd June
10th June
17th June

What Ofsted said about us

"Pupils benefit from an exceptional enrichment offer."

"Pupils develop a rich body of knowledge and achieve very highly."

Book a Tour

Keep up with the latest school news, student achievements, and community events - follow us!

May Commemorative Dinner | September | Autumn HAB Dinner

Contact us if you have any questions or enquiries: enquiries@harrisacademy.org.uk
20-24 Southwark Road SE16 5TE
www.harrisacademy.org.uk 020 7337 4990

Please find information about specialist secondary schools in the link below:
[Secondary \(Ages 11-16\) | Southwark Local Offer](#)



Reception and Year 7 open events

Primary open evenings 9-12.30pm

THU	THU
06	13
NOV	NOV

Secondary open evenings 9-12.30pm

THU	TUE
25	30
SEP	SEP

Secondary open evening 5-8.20pm

TUE
30
SEP

Preparing our students for university and to be leaders in their community



Visit our Southwark secondary academy this month

City of London Academy, Southwark are opening their doors this autumn to welcome families. Come and meet our staff and students, explore our facilities, and discover the opportunities available at this academy.



Scan the QR code for more details and to book a place





Haberdashers' Borough Academy

A world beyond the classroom
Join us for an open event

Open Evening
Thursday 2
October, 4-7pm

Open Mornings
Wed 1, 8 & 15
October, 9-10.30am

Ofsted Good Provider

Become your best at Haberdashers' Academy, an 11-18 Haberdashers' secondary school in SE1, where our ambitions are bold.

www.habsborough.org.uk/admissions/open-events



LONDON NAUTICAL

Free Jumper & Beret for all Year 7 starter students in 2025 & 2026

2025 Open Events
For pupils starting September 2026

Open Evenings From 16-15 hrs
Thursday 18th September 2025

Open Mornings From 09-00 hrs
Monday 22nd September 2025
Wednesday 1st October 2025
Thursday 9th October 2025
Saturday 11th October 2025
Friday 17th October 2025

Leading Navigating Succeeding



Click Here to register

Family
fun

PE & SCHOOL SPORTS NETWORK

FREE GIRLS FOOTBALL

EVERY MONDAY (17:00-18:00)

BURGESS PARK ASTRO TURF

WILD CATS | WILKINSON | OPEN TO ALL GIRLS AGED 4-11 | SQUAD

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER

PIONEER DANCE

HALF TERM WORKSHOP

DANCE, FITNESS, MOVEMENT, SPORT & MORE!

Pioneer Dance Half Term Workshop @ Snowsfields
Pioneer Dance, led by Chantal our dance specialist is running a half term workshop at Snowsfields Primary School.
Open to children Year 1 - 6 in the Bridges Federation.
Lots of DANCE and FUN, ACTIVE activities!
Wednesday 29th October 2025
9am - 4pm
Cost: £24.99
Limited Spaces
Payment Link:
<https://pioneerdance.bigcartel.com/product/pioneer-dance-half-term-workshop-south-london-1-day>

Every Saturday - 9AM - 5:00 PM

FISHER'S SATURDAY MORNING SOCCER CLUB

FUN FRIENDLY AND SAFE FOOTBALL ACTIVITIES

BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-7 YEARS OLD - £15

Sessions by FA level 1 & Level 2 coaches and UEFA A & B licensed coaches.
All coaches meet with the English Football Association safeguarding guidelines.

FISHER FC Soccer School

Register Now - fisheryouthchairman@gmail.com

Lewisham Disability Sports Network presents:

Lewisham Inclusive Sports Festival

Register Now!

A free event, accessible to all abilities, for disabled young people and their families, aged 5-25!

Register below or scan the QR code:
<https://bit.ly/LewishamMultiSport>

Saturday 21st June
2 pm to 4 pm

Ladywell Arena
Silvermere Rd.
SE8 4QX

In Partnership with:

Access Sport | GLL | Lewisham and Greenwich | NHS | Southwark London Borough Council

Camille.Redfern@AccessSport.org.uk | 020 7993 1833

EDUCATION

CAMP GREEN HORIZON

Monday 27th - Thursday 30th October 2025
9.30am - 2pm

Would you like to learn more about the natural world this half term? Would you like to spend time with animals and wildlife?

Join us at The Farm for a jam-packed week of...

Crafts | Games | Gardening | Conservation

FREE* | Ages 2 - 14 years

Can't make the 2pm pick up? For £10 a day, join games club until 5pm

For more info and to sign up, email:
education@vauxhallcityfarm.org

*This opportunity is aimed at students from low-income households or who receive benefits related free school meals.

Family Learning at the Thomas Caltan Centre

Monday 27th October 13.00-15.30
Family Learning Festival: Story Power

- arts & crafts
- puppet-making
- story & play
- painting
- creative writing
- making books
- music & dance
- storytelling

Tuesday 28th October 13.00-15.30
Black History Arts & Cultural Crafts Fun Day

- storytelling from around the world
- arts & crafts
- story & play
- song & dance
- music
- painting
- cultural displays

FREE!

Contacts: adult.learning@southwark.gov.uk
07539 233 779 or 0207 358 2100

Southwark Adult Learning Service

MADE FOR THIS GAME

BIG FOOTBALL DAY

POWERED BY THE NATIONAL LOTTERY

DATE AND TIME
23rd July 10am-2pm

LOCATION
St Paul's Sports Ground, Rotherhithe, SE16 2BT

BOOKING LINKS
Mildred Community Trust

family
safety

THIS FIRE TOOK HOLD IN UNDER 5 SECONDS



#ChargeSafe

E-bikes and e-scooters are
London's fastest growing
FIRE RISK

There was an e-bike or e-scooter fire
in London in 2023 every two days

LFB

FS159A Version 1: June 2024

#ChargeSafe

- Buy your e-bike or e-scooter from a reputable seller.
- Never block your escape routes with an e-bike or e-scooter.
- Only use the correct charger for your battery, otherwise you can greatly increase the risk of fire.
- Never charge your e-bike or e-scooter unattended or whilst your sleeping.
- Don't modify or tamper with the batteries.
- Get a professional to carry out an e-bike conversion.
- Fit working smoke alarms where you're storing or charging your e-bike or e-scooter.
- Never try and tackle a fire yourself. Get away safely and call 999.

For advice on how to keep yourself and those around you safe,
scan the QR code or visit london-fire.gov.uk/chargesafe



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LONDON FIRE BRIGADE

Let's talk PANTS with
Pantosaurus! | NSPCC



Privates are private



Always remember your body
belongs to you



No means no



Talk about secrets that upset you



Speak up, someone can help



For a free fire safety home visit:

Freephone: 0800 028 4428

Email: smokealarms@london-fire.gov.uk

Text /SMS: 07860 021 319

Fire plan KS2

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IF THE DOOR IS HOT



IF THE DOOR IS COLD



Family fun



London Wildlife Trust
Centre for
Wildlife Gardening

38 Marsden Road,
London SE15 4EE

Half Term Family Workshops with London Wildlife Trust



Bushcraft

Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th October
10am till 3pm

Two days to learn how to survive in the wild! On the first day you will make shelters and filter water and on the second you'll seek wild food and make fires. Crafts and activities. You can book for either day or both.



Natural Inks and Scrapbooks

Thursday 30th October

Have fun making inks from turmeric, wild grapes and oak galls, and grind charcoal to make paint to produce your own unique art pieces to take home. Make a scrapbook with inspiration from the garden.

All courses are for families living in Southwark. Suitable for primary aged children but you are welcome to bring your younger and older ones too. £3 booking fee but let us know if this is too much for you. Only one free Southwark workshop per academic year (Sept-July).

Booking required: visit our website www.wildlondon.org.uk/events or use the QR code email: dis@london.wildlondon.org.uk for any queries.

Funded by



To book please scan the QR code or visit wildlondon.org.uk/families dis@london.wildlondon.org.uk



Click on the link below for information about free activities for children eligible for benefits related free school meals:

[Search learning experiences · Eequ](#)



What's On at St Margaret's House for Children and Families

Join us for free workshops, a low-cost performance for families and find out about our term-time activities

FREE Half Term Circus sessions

Young People



Tickets: FREE

Sessions support the development of new skills, communication and creative thinking! Children will learn different juggling and balancing techniques.

Free to attend thanks to funding from the Tower Hamlets Mayor's Community Fund.

Sessions are aimed at children aged 5-8 years. Click the picture to find out more and book your ticket

Venue: Trashed Community Hub, Digby Street, E2 0LS

Dates & Time:

- Tuesday 28th October, 10am-12noon
- Thursday 30th October, 2-4pm
- Friday 31st October, 10am-12noon

Dan of All Tricks - Family Show

Young people



Tickets: from £5

Roll up, roll up! Dan's got some circus tricks to share with you! Prepare to be wow-ed! Join us for a whistle-stop-tour through juggling, balancing and much, much more. This show will amaze as you travel through the many tricks Dan has got up his sleeve. This is a family experience not to be missed. Click the picture to find out more and book

Venue: Mulberry Hall, St Margaret's House, 21 Old Ford Road

Date: Saturday 1st November

Time: 11am and 2pm

Running Time: 35mins plus 15 mins of circus play

Suitable for children 3+ and their families

St Margaret's House Arts and Wellbeing Centre, 21 Old Ford Road, E2 9PL

www.stmargarets-house.org.uk



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Young people



Free to attend

Halloween Community Litter Pick

Put on your best costume and join the fun as we work together to keep our neighbourhood clean and litter-free!

Costumes are encouraged, and all children dressed up will receive a bag of sweets!

We provide the litter-picking equipment you need

Venue: Meet at St Margaret's House, 21 Old Ford Road

Date: Thursday 30th October

Time: 2-3pm

Young people



Tickets: from £2

Term-time: Saturday Circus

Our low-cost Circus sessions for children take place every Saturday during term-time. Join us and learn new circus skills led by professional juggler and National Centre for Circus Arts teacher, Dan Rose. Click the picture to find out more and sign up

Venue: Mulberry Hall, St Margaret's House, 21 Old Ford Road

Dates: Saturday 8th November to Saturday 8th December

Time: 9.45am-10.45am (School Years 1-3, younger children can attend if accompanied by an adult)

11am-12noon (School Years 4-6)

Young people



Tickets: Free

Term-time: Hilarity Academy

Our free, fun space for young people to learn and engage in the skill of making people laugh. Workshops include learning how to tell jokes, creating sketches, writing stand up material and clowning. Sessions are for local young people in school years 3-6. Click the picture to find out more and sign up

Venue: The Chapel, St Margaret's House, 21 Old Ford Road

Dates: Monday 3rd November to Monday 1st December

Time: 3.45-5pm



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Family support

FATHER'S GROUP



Join a 12-week course to improve your parenting skills.

Whether you are a father, grandfather or stepdad, receive advice and tips on topics such as positive parenting, improving relationships and role modelling. Crèche provided.

When:
Where: 1st Place Family Hub, 13 Charnleigh Street, Burgess Park, SE16 0NF

BOOK A PLACE
Email: ben.campbell@southwark.gov.uk
Phone: 07738 860 768

PARENT SPACE
A QUARTERLY ONLINE & IN PERSON PROGRAM
A variation of coffee sessions for parents with young children (0-5 years) to share their views and ideas as well as good tips on their own parenting journey.

DATES
WEDNESDAY 10th JANUARY 2018 10:30-11AM
WEDNESDAY 20th APRIL 2018 10:30-11AM
WEDNESDAY 10th JULY 2018 10:30-11AM

FOR DETAILS & TO REGISTER
• Admin@parentspace2go.com
• parentspace2go.org

BOOKING
07507443293
0770530083
02030041804
07594443882

PLEASE NOTE: TO ENSURE INCLUSIVE AND ACCESSIBLE SEATING AND SEATING IS LIMITED.

The Nest - Wellbeing Hub

The Nest operates a drop-in service every **Saturday between 10:30 and 14:30**. Therapeutic practitioners and support workers can offer 1:1 emotional support, information & advice and signpost you to the appropriate services.

Drop-In Service | The Nest

SENsational Stay & Play
Fun FREE groups for children with additional needs or disabilities and their parents/ carers.

• Have fun with your child
• Meet other families
• Get advice and support from a range of specialists on topics such as Speech & Language, Behaviour and Autism

Multiple locations across Southwark
Multiple **stay & play** sessions for under-5s
Saturday respite sessions for 5-11 years
See timetable on back of this leaflet

For more info visit www.southwark.gov.uk/parenting-and-child
Or to book www.southwark.gov.uk/parenting-and-child

Southwark Children and Family Centres
Southwark Children and Family Centres is working in collaboration with other professionals.

Southwark Young Carers

To get involved, you can refer via our website www.imago.community or scan the QR Code

IMAGO

We support young people living in Southwark aged 6-24, who provide unpaid care or support to a family member with a long-term illness, disability, mental health condition or a substance misuse issue.

For further information, please contact our Hub
youngcarers@imago.community
0300 111 1110

Southwark Young Carers is a service of Imago Community
Registered charity number: 2038 000

Free Workshops for Parents and Carers

Do you want more guidance on how to talk to your children, teens and young people about vaping, alcohol or drugs? Do you want to be informed on the current themes and trends we come across working with young people in the borough?

Substances are more accessible today than ever before. For parents, carers or anyone responsible for children and young people, it can feel overwhelming and difficult to know how to respond.

We're offering FREE online workshops for parents and carers in Southwark, to give advice and guidance to help you navigate this quickly changing landscape.

Workshops:

- Current trends amongst young people
- Strategies for talking to young people about substances in an open and supportive way
- Practical advice on how to keep your children safe from the dangers of substance misuse

For further information contact:
• Email: Southwark.YoungPeople@tqi.org.uk or scan the QR code for a direct link to the eventbrite page.
• You can call us on: 020 3404 7699

WORK DATE

TAP - IN SESSIONS

Free and stand alone information sessions for parents and carers on a range of topics - 'TAP-IN' to the ones you need or complete the set!

Sessions include:

- Digital Safety - how to support children to be safe online
- Ages and Stages - how to support different developmental stages
- Parental Wellbeing - how to communicate our needs
- Parenting and Autism
- Parenting and ADHD
- More to come...

JOIN NOW

Beth Gilbey
07394 865 980
bethany.gilbey@southwark.gov.uk
EARLYHELP@SOUTHWARK.GOV.UK

We hold in person and online sessions throughout the term
Contact the team for next available session



Please click on the link below for Chattertime sessions for children under 5:
[Chattertime sessions | Evelina London](#)

STRENGTHENING FAMILIES STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

For parents of children aged 6 - 24 years

This 12-week course helps parents and carers to:

- Build positive family relationships
- Manage anger and stress
- Implement effective discipline strategies
- Understand your child's development
- Recognise and value your family and cultural traditions
- Develop effective communication
- Meet others and share ideas

JOIN NOW

Web to support Burgess School
10th January 2018 10:30-11:30am
www.southwark.gov.uk/parenting-and-child

WHEN IS IT ON?
Weekly
Days: Tuesday
Time: 10:30-11:30am
Where: Burgess School
10th January 2018
Contact us for more information
What time?
10:30-11:30am

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The Neurodiversity Family Hub

The Neurodiversity Family Hub provide specialised clubs for children & young people with SEND in Southwark, including: Teen Tribe, Junior Tribe and Tiny Tribe

As well as parent/carer support, including: Parent Connect, Parent Circle, Walk & Talk, My Advocacy Partner and whole family gatherings.

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