

17 July 2026

Newsletter No. 38

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Article 28 Every child has the right to an education

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are saying good-bye to **Mrs Alison Webb** who retires from Ashwood after serving the school for over 37 years. We wish her a very happy and healthy retirement and we hope she will find time to come and see us in the future.

We are also saying good-bye to **Mrs Helen Vickery** who came back for a short time after her retirement. We wish her the happiest of times and we're sure she will be kept very busy with her lovely family.

Mrs Judith Haines will also be leaving us for pastures new and we wish her all the very best in the future.

Mrs Julie Ball will also be leaving us after many years' service to Ashwood Park at lunchtimes. We wish her all the best for the future.

Mr Joe Thornton will be leaving the Resource Base for the Hearing-Impaired children. He has secured a promotion in a school for the deaf in Birmingham and our very best wishes go with him.

Wishing you all a wonderful Summer break. Thank you for all your support and good wishes this year. Thank you for all the cards and presents you have sent in. It is very much appreciated by all of us.

Nut Allergy

We have a child in School with a severe nut allergy, please do not send any food that contains nuts into School.



Privacy Notice Please take a moment to read our [Privacy Notice](#).

Facebook Do remember to take a look at the School's [Facebook](#) page.

Mr Butler and Mr Perkes

Year 6

From tiny steps and little hands,
To building bricks and reading bands.
You've grown so much, it's plain to see,
You're ready now for Year 7!

You've learned your sums and written tales,
Through sports days, tests, and windy gales.
You've worked so hard and made us proud,
You truly stand out from the crowd.

So take a bow, you've done your best,
Now head on out and pass the test.
Good luck to all, go chase your dream,
Remember you're an awesome team!

Dates for the Diary

Monday 20th July 2026

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Tuesday 1st September 2026

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Wednesday 2nd September 2026

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Thursday 3rd September 2026

Children Return to School

Monday 28th September 2026

Whole School 'flu Vaccinations

Monday 19th October 2026

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Thursday 22nd October 2026

Monster Mash Disco

Friday 23rd October 2026

Break up for Half Term

Monday 2nd November 2026

Return to School

Tuesday 10th November 2026

Parents Evening

Wednesday 11th November 2026

Parents Evening

Thursday 3rd December 2026

PTA Christmas Film Night

Wednesday 9th December 2026

Carol Concert at Holy Trinity Church

Monday 4th January 2027

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Tuesday 5th January 2027

Children Return to School

Friday 12th February 2027

Break up for Half Term

Monday 22nd February 2027

Children Return to School

Thursday 25th March 2027

Break up for Easter Holidays

Monday 12th April 2027

Children Return to School

Thursday 6th May 2027

Local Elections—Closed to Children

Friday 7th May 2027

INSET Day—Closed to Children

Monday 10th May 2027

SATS Week

Friday 28th May 2027

Break up for Half Term

Monday 7th June 2027

Children Return to School

Wednesday 21st July 2027

Last Day of Term

Join Dudley's Children's Disability Register

If you have a child or young person with a disability or additional needs, you can register them on Dudley's Children's Disability Register.

The register helps us understand the needs of children and young people across the borough, enabling us to plan, develop and improve local services and support. Information collected is used anonymously to help shape services provided by organisations such as leisure centres, youth groups and other local providers.

Registering is completely voluntary and does not affect any services or support your child or family may already receive. You'll be contacted once a year to check your details are up to date and to confirm you wish to remain on the register.

Free Dudley Zoo family day pass

As a thank you for registering, you can request a free family day pass to Dudley Zoo for:

2 adults and Up to 3 children aged 3–17 (children under 3 go free)

Complete the online [registration form](#) to get started.

For more information about the Children's Disability Register or the free family day pass, contact the Children with Disabilities Team on 0300 555 0050 or email businesssupportcdt@dudley.gov.uk

Menu* wc 31.08.26 (Week 2)

Monday

Bank Holiday

Tuesday

School Closed to Children

Wednesday

School Closed to Children

Thursday

Chicken Nuggets (H Option)
Wholemeal Cheese & Tomato Pizza (V)
Chips
Chocolate Brownie

Friday

Ocean Friendly Fish Selection
Crispy Quorn Dippers (V)
Diced Potatoes
Fruit Sorbet

All dinners must be booked through Arbour the day before they are needed. Please contact the school office if you are having any issues.

* Subject to change

Early Years News

We have had a lovely, busy last week in early years! We've been to visit our new classrooms and our new teachers and enjoyed taking home all our amazing work from Reception. The children have been a joy this year and we will miss them very much! Thank you so much for all your support and have a wonderful Summer.



KS1 News

What a super year we have had in Key Stage One! The children have really worked hard this year and made such lovely contributions towards school life at Ashwood Park. We have collected in reading records and reading books and passed on all the information to their new teachers. The children have enjoyed meeting their new teachers and finding out about what life will be like in September. We wish them all a lovely summer holiday and hope you manage to have a restful break. We look forward to seeing you in the new school year!



Sun Safety

- Use sun cream – Apply before going out and reapply every few hours
- Take shade breaks – Rest and cool down regularly
- Cover up – Hat, sunglasses and light clothing
- Drink plenty – Keep hydrated to avoid feeling unwell

Water Safety

- Stay in sight of an adult
- Follow pool rules – Walk, don't run
- Open water risks – Can be cold, deep or fast
- Float to live – Lie on your back and stay calm

Road Safety

Stay alert when you're out and about

- Stop, Look, listen before crossing
- Use safe crossings wherever possible
- Wear bright clothes so drivers can see you
- Scooters & bikes — Wear a helmet and ride safely

RBDC News

This week's newsletter is dedicated to Mr Thornton.

After many years at Ashwood Park as a mainstream class teacher, Mr Thornton came over into the RBDC as a Teacher for Deaf Children. Eventually stepping up and becoming manager of the base.

Thank you for all the hard work you have put into the RBDC and for all the children at Ashwood Park. We appreciate everything you have done.

We wish you luck in your new role as Assistant Head and hope to see you in the future.

Thank you and good luck to Miss Cleary who will also be leaving us to join the team at Crestwood.





Dragon Tales
Forest School

£35
PER DAY
£60 for both days

SUMMER HOLIDAY FOREST SCHOOL CLUB

MONDAY 3RD AUGUST 2026

TUESDAY 4TH AUGUST 2026



Come and join Forest School Club at Ashwood Park Primary this
 Summer Holiday 9.00am- 2.30pm.

Lead by Maddie, a level 3 Forest School Practitioner with over a
 decade of experience of working with children.

OUR ACTIVITIES

- Den building
- Fire Lighting
- Using Tools
- Crafts
- Cooking over fire
- Mud Kitchen and water play

WHAT TO BRING?

- Waterproof coat and trousers
- Sun hat
- Sun cream
- Water bottle
- Packed Lunch

 maddie@dtforestschool.com

 eventbrite: Dragon Tales Forest School

 Ashwood Park Primary School, Bells
 Lane, Wordsley, Stourbridge, West
 Midlands, DY8 5DJ

TT Rockstars

1. Emily W 3/4D
2. Freddie C 3/4D
3. Aleksa 4H

Well done!

Thank you to those children who have been practising their times tables on TT Rockstars. Please log in regularly to play.

KS2 News

As we reach the final week before the summer holidays, the children have continued to work incredibly hard and have enjoyed bringing their exciting topics to a close. They have been developing their athletics skills, creating beautiful batik fabrics, designing and making memory boxes in art, and producing questionnaires to gather staff views on how we recycle in school. Our Year 6 pupils have also been busy rehearsing for their leavers' assembly, and we look forward to celebrating their time at primary school. Year 6 families are warmly invited to join us for the Leavers' Assembly at **9:15am on Friday 17 July**.

As another successful school year comes to an end, we would like to thank all of our children and families for their continued support. We wish our Year 6 pupils the very best of luck as they move on to their new secondary schools. We are incredibly proud of everything they have achieved and know they will continue to flourish in the next stage of their education. We hope everyone has a wonderful, relaxing summer holiday, and we look forward to welcoming the children back in September, ready for another exciting year of learning.

YEAR 6:

On the last day of term, the children have traditionally enjoyed bringing in a shirt for their friends to sign as a keepsake. We would like to invite the children to bring in their washed PE shirt for this purpose. There will be a designated time during the school day when the children will have the opportunity to collect their shirts and have them signed by their friends. Please note that all children must wear their full school uniform on the last day. Their PE shirt should be brought in separately and must not be worn during the school day.



Maths Problem:

I decorate my sandcastle with flags.

I multiply the number of flags by 7.

I then add 78,

multiply by 4,

and divide by 3.

I end with the number 300.

How many flags did I use to decorate my sandcastle?



Summer Activities at Wordsley Library:



To find out more and to discover more free summer activities, talk to a member of staff or scan the QR code to visit our website.



Read to the Beat illustrations by Harry Woodgate, illustrations and logo © The Reading Agency 2026



Saturday 4th July to Saturday 12th September 2026
Sign up for a summer of creative fun.



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Black Country Healthcare
NHS Foundation Trust

LOVE YOURSELF

A confidence-boosting session designed to help children explore what makes them unique, celebrate their strengths and develop a positive relationship with themselves.



Thursday 13th August
Halesowen Family Centre Lye
Bypass, Stourbridge DY9 8
10:00am - 12:00pm



For additional information or brief sign up form to register your attendance, please email
bchft.reflexions@nhs.net



Join us for...

NHS
Black Country Healthcare
NHS Foundation Trust

5 WAYS TO WELLBEING WORKSHOP

Discover the 5 Ways to Wellbeing through fun, hands-on activities that help children feel happier and more confident!

KS1 & KS2

Thursday 23rd July | 10am - 12pm
Tuesday 4th August | 10am - 12pm

STOURBRIDGE FAMILY CENTRE
5 FORGE RD, STOURBRIDGE DY8 1XF



For additional information or brief sign up form to register your attendance, please email bchft.reflexions@nhs.net



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BE KIND TO YOUR MIND

A supportive session designed to help children understand their thoughts and feelings and build confidence. Take part in creative activities and discussion to help young people learn that being kind to their mind is an important part of their wellbeing!

Tuesday 28th July | Tuesday 11th August

Cotwall End Primary School

10:00am - 12:00pm



For additional information or brief sign up form to register your attendance, please email bchft.reflexions@nhs.net



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Black Country Healthcare
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FEELINGS AND EMOTIONS WORKSHOP

A creative, interactive session that helps children explore, understand and express their feelings and emotions.

Tuesday 21st July | Cotwall End Primary School

Thursday 30th July | Halesowen family centre

Thursday 6th August | Halesowen family centre

🕒 10am - 12pm



For additional information or brief sign up form to register your attendance, please email bchft.reflexions@nhs.net



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TRANSITION WORKSHOP

A fun and supportive workshop helping children and young people build confidence and develop skills to manage new transitions! Ideal for Year 6 children moving to Secondary School

Tuesday 18th August | Cotwall End Primary School

Thursday 20th August | Halesowen Family Centre

Tuesday 25th August | Cotwall End Primary School

Thursday 27th August | Halesowen Family Centre

🕒 10:00am - 12:00pm



For additional information or brief sign up form to register your attendance, please email bchft.reflexions@nhs.net



Scouts

2nd Wordsley (Holy Trinity)

JOIN THE ADVENTURE!

*FUN, FRIENDSHIP, CONFIDENCE
& SKILLS FOR LIFE*

#SkillsForLife



BEAVERS

WEDNESDAYS
6:00 – 7:15pm

Games, crafts, and
their first big
adventures

beavers@2ndwordsley.org.uk



cubs

MONDAYS
7:00 – 8:30pm

Build skills,
make friends, and
take on new challenges

cubs@2ndwordsley.org.uk



SCOUTS

FRIDAYS
7:00 – 9:00pm

Adventure, leadership,
and unforgettable
experiences

scouts@2ndwordsley.org.uk



BASED IN WORDSLEY

2nd Wordsley (HT),
Rear of Holy Trinity Church,
High Street, DY8 5RU



**EMAIL US TODAY TO BOOK
FREE TASTER SESSIONS!**



CHANCE TO SHINE
STREET

FREE STREET CRICKET



INDOOR CRICKET AGE 7-15

COMMUNITY CRICKET SESSIONS PLAYED WITH A SOFTBALL
ALL EQUIPMENT PROVIDED, NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

WANT MORE INFORMATION?

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 – 6:30PM

THE WORDSLEY SCHOOL

DY8 5SP



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For more information contact:

jamie.watson@worcestershirecricketfoundation.co.uk

07376 534926



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GIRLS' FOOTBALL TRAINING SESSIONS!

AGES 5-11 YEARS

@ ENVILLE PAVILION, DRIVE, DY7 5HB

2PM TIL 3PM WEEKLY

JOIN US EVERY SUNDAY FOR FUN GIRLS' FOOTBALL FOOTBALL TRAINING SESSIONS FOR AGES 5-11! **ALL ABILTIES WELCOME!**



FOR MORE INFO EMAIL:
Envillewildcats@outlook.com

Healthy Families: Growing Up



Join our parent group

Healthy, thriving children and families



HENRY's free **Healthy Families Growing Up** programme is for parents and carers of primary-school age children – it will help you develop a healthier, happier lifestyle that the whole family can enjoy.

The programme covers these 5 themes across 8 sessions and provides everything you need to help your children flourish.

- Feeling more confident as a parent
- Physical activity for the whole family
- What children and the whole family eats
- Family lifestyle habits
- Enjoying life as a family

Get in touch to sign up now!

"This was the best thing I could possibly have done to help me be a better mum"



Programme details

For parents or carers with children aged 5 – 12 years

Day/time: Wednesday, 09.30 – 11.30

First session: 28 January 2026

Last session: 25 March 2026

Length: 8 sessions

Optional session on 14 January to learn more about the course and meet the facilitators.

Venue: Brierley Hill Family Hub, 18 Parkes Street, DY5 3DY

How to book a place

Visit www.dudleyparents.co.uk or scan the QR Code and click on the HENRY tile to book your place



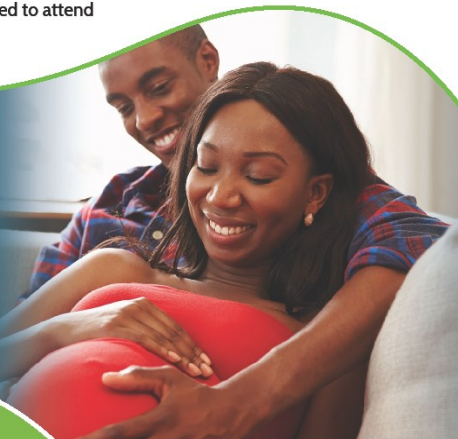
Preparation for Parenthood



Are you pregnant?

A FREE 6-session programme helping you prepare for the arrival of your baby. Partners, friends or family are encouraged to attend alongside expectant mothers.

- Practical, evidence-based information to support you as you prepare to become a parent
- A great opportunity to meet other expectant parents and build friendships within your community
- Join the thousands of families across the country who have benefitted from a HENRY programme



Session 1

Becoming a parent

Session 2

A healthy pregnancy

Session 3

Bonding

Session 4

Caring

Session 5

Giving birth

Session 6

Life after birth

"Exceeded my expectations!"
Expectant parent



Day/time: Mondays, 12.30pm – 2.30pm

First session: 9 February 2026

Last session: 23 March 2026

Length: 6 weeks

Optional session on 2 February to learn more about the course and meet the facilitators.

Venue: The Source Youth Centre, Barnett Lane, DY8 5PY



Visit www.dudleyparents.co.uk or scan the QR Code and click on the HENRY tile to book your place.

A great start in life Do you have a child under 5?

Would you like to:

- feel more confident as a parent?
- reduce mealtime stress?
- enjoy being active as a family more often?
- encourage your child away from screens and TV?
- see your child eat more fruit and vegetables?
- gain ideas to help with family routines?

"I will be recommending this course to everyone. Thank you for this life changing opportunity."

Free Healthy Families Right from the Start programmes

Programme 1: **Day/time:** Tuesday, 09.45 – 11.45

Start date: 20 January 2026, **End date:** 24 March 2026

Length: 9 sessions, **Venue:** Lye Family Hub, Lye By-pass, DY9 8HT

Programme 2: **Day/time:** Thursday, 09.45 – 11.45

Start date: 22 January 2026, **End date:** 26 March 2026

Length: 9 sessions, **Venue:** Stourbridge Family Hub, Forge Road, DY8 1XF

Visit

www.dudleyparents.co.uk or scan the QR Code and click on the HENRY tile to book your place.



Starting Solids Free local workshops



Introducing solid foods is the start of a whole new chapter for you and your baby

Come along!



Introducing solid foods at 6 months

Come to a Starting Solids workshop to help you get your baby off to a great start. The workshop will help you decide:

- When your baby is ready to try solid food
- What foods to start with
- When your baby is hungry and when they've had enough
- How to make mealtimes an enjoyable experience for both of you

Workshops are taking place throughout January, February, March 2026

Visit www.dudleyparents.co.uk or scan the QR code and click on the HENRY tile to book your place





Children's Speech and Language Service (Dudley)

Advice for parents and carers can be found at:

<https://www.blackcountryhealthcare.nhs.uk/our-services/childrens-speech-and-language-therapy-service-dudley>

Dudley's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Bulletin

The Dudley Special Educational Needs and Disabilities e-bulletin's aim is to keep parent carers, education settings and stakeholders informed about Dudley's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Improvement Programme as well as news and events.

As a system we are working hard to improve our SEND offer across the borough. A lot is happening and we are gathering pace to better support our children, young people and families with SEND.

Our latest bulletin provides:

- updates of our improvement journey including our progress of our Delivering Better Value Programme in SEND
- SEND news from the Dudley Parent Carer Forum, Health, the council and partners
- details of useful events for parent carers and practitioners
- SEND Education Settings News which includes information about free SEND training Resources.

Sign up now [SEND Improvement Programme - September 2024 \(govdelivery.com\)](https://www.gov.uk/government/news/send-improvement-programme-september-2024) to receive this e-bulletin direct to your email inbox

Health Choices

Dudley Public Health and Wellbeing is part of Dudley Council. We support and enable residents, families and communities to make positive lifestyle changes and improve your health and wellbeing.

There is lots we can do as individuals to stay healthy and well in Dudley borough. This website is a one-stop place for up-to-date public health information and news, from pregnancy and early life to healthy ageing.

<https://healthydudley.co.uk/>

Healthy Lunchboxes

The Healthy Lunchbox Resource is available to support children & families to make healthy, yummy and tooth friendly food choices for their children's lunchbox.

<https://www.dudleyhealthylunchbox.org.uk>

DudleyParents

There is a one stop shop for parents in the Dudley Borough offering support and information. You can gain free access to guidance and support over a range of topics for parents including First 1001 Days as a Parent, DadPad, Five to Thrive, Solihull Approach, Triple P, Parents in Conflict, The Henry Approach.

www.dudleyparents.co.uk/home

Dudley's Local Offer is a new one stop shop website for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and their parents and carers.

The website contains a wealth of up to date information on areas which include education, training and work, health, leisure and fun, care and moving into adulthood. The website aims to help young people and parents to make individual, informed, positive decisions and choices



The Dudley family hub network is a one-stop shop, offering advice and support for families in Dudley with children aged 0-19 (25 if the child has special educational needs and/or disabilities). It includes an online offer and five local family hubs.

The network includes key Start for Life services. These cover the period from conception to age two. Core Start for Life services such as midwifery, health visiting and early years support are included.

<https://www.dudley.gov.uk/residents/early-years-and-childcare/dudley-family-hub-network/>

SEN Soft Play Sessions

Dudley leisure centres offer soft play sessions for children with SEN:

At Duncan Edwards Leisure Centre, there is a SEN soft play session **every Wednesday from 5.00pm - 6.00pm**

At Halesowen, there is a SEN soft play session **every Monday from 4.30pm - 6.00pm**.

Both sessions are suitable for children under 11 years of age with disabilities, special educational needs, ASD and their siblings.

New Sensory Room at Coseley Family Hub
Parents and carers can now book time in a NEW sensory room at the local family hub in Coseley. The FREE space is bookable for between 30min to an hour and gives the chance for children of all ages to explore a range of sensory activities with their parents/carers.

The sessions are self-led but staff will be on hand to support or answer any questions. To book call the hub on 01384 813096.

[Soft play | DB Leisure](#)

Parent Carer Forum Update:



Dudley Parent carer Forum welcome registrations for membership from parent/carers and also offer associate memberships to wider family members or practitioners working within Dudley. Joining up means you will be kept up to date on all the latest news, information and events doing on in Dudley. Parents/Carers will also receive a FREE gift when they sign up!

[Sign Up Here](#)

Integrated Early Years Service Parent Support Group



This group offers support to parents and carers of children with a range of additional needs. It provides a supportive environment to engage with your child, and also to gain practical advice for everyday routines.

[See More Details Here](#)

Autism



Autism Central is a website for parents. It aims to **“signpost you to information on a wide range of topics around autism and support that is available from Autism Central, our partner organisations and other trusted sources”**

<https://www.autismcentral.org.uk/resources>

SEN Help

Kids are a charity who create life-changing opportunities by providing a wide range of support to families. They run playscheme days at their centre alongside community days for signed up families. Parent/carers wishing to refer or register with Kids for care planned services can do so by requesting a referral form via the enquiries email: enquiries.orchard@kids.org.uk or via telephone: 01384 897489.

Sassy Sensory surprises are launching 'Wellbeing Walks', they will take place in a different location each month.

Contact toni@sassysensorysurprises.co.uk for further details. Information can be found on their website regarding their recently launched sensory lending library.

Happier Minds

Whether you are a young person, a parent/carers or a professional working with young people we hope this site will be helpful to you and those you care about.

<https://happierminds.org.uk/>

Dudley's Disability register

Dudley Council have **revamped its Disability Register** to better support children and young people with disabilities and their families. The register is a **voluntary and confidential list** that helps the council plan and deliver better services, tailored to local needs. It's quick and easy to register! **Benefits include** families who register can request a **free day pass** for entry to **Dudley Zoo** when attending with their child, receive updates about local services, events, and consultations, help shape services and your registration helps Dudley Council understand the needs of families and improve support.

Visit the [Dudley Disability Register page](#) to complete the online form. **For help completing the form or to request your Dudley Zoo pass, contact the Children with Disabilities Team: 0300 555 0050 (press option 1) or email: businesssupportcdt@dudley.gov.uk**
[We love Carers](#) provide support for carers and their families all year round. Information, advice, signposting, advocacy, help with form filling and much more. Weekly play sessions and holiday play sessions for children with disabilities and additional needs are available. **Their Autumn and Winter timetable can be found [here](#).** Contact them via email hello@welovecarers.org or telephone **01384 396626** for further information on any of the above.

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[Deaf Children's Society](#) run a **Youth club for children aged 10 to 18 years**, held monthly at Queens Cross Network for information or this or on any events they run, email dudleydeafchildrenssociety@yahoo.com for information.

[Dudley leisure centres](#) are all-inclusive, encouraging everyone to access as many sessions as possible. Our centres offer quiet and disability sessions for children and adults. Accessible facilities are available throughout each of the leisure centres, family fun disability swimming sessions run throughout the holidays, details below:

Halesowen LC: Saturday's from 2.15pm to 3.30pm

Crystal LC: Friday's 2pm – 4pm

Duncan Edwards LC: Wednesday 2.45pm to 4.30pm or Saturday's 1.15pm to 2.15pm

SEN sessions can be accessed at [Planet Play](#) suitable for children under 11 years of age with disabilities, special educational needs, ASD and their siblings. Sessions take place during the holidays at Duncan Edwards Leisure Centre every Wednesday 5pm to 6pm and at Halesowen Leisure Centre, every Monday 4.30pm to 6pm.

Activezone run disability sports for children, young adults and siblings. (sessions takes place for children aged 5 to 8yrs or 9 to 18yrs) Children can take part in various sports, see the below web pages for dates available at each leisure centre:

[Crystal Leisure Centre](#)

[Duncan Edwards](#)

[Lifted Spirits](#) provide a safe space for families of children with disabilities and SEN, they meet *term time only* every Tuesday 9.30am to 11am.

Unheard Voices are a SEND carers support group run by parents to help other parents and carers. They meet up term time on **Fridays 10.30am to 12pm** at Jubilee Hall, Ladies Walk, Sedgley. DY3 3UA or Thursday evenings (term time) at Humbugs café in Sedgley 6pm to 7.30pm. Email unheardvoices13@yahoo.com for further information.

[Hoult's House](#) based in the Rye Market Stourbridge run SEND Sessions on Monday and Tuesdays from 2.245pm to 4.15pm, low level sound and limited numbers.

Dudley SENDIASS Workshops

For parents/carers of children with SEND and young person with SEND up to 25 years old seeking further information about SEND support and processes in education.

Academic Year 2025 – 2026	SEPTEMBER	NOVEMBER	JANUARY	MARCH	APRIL	JUNE
All workshops 10am – 11.30am on Teams						
Understanding how to access SEN support within settings	8 th	21 st	22 nd	4 th	21 st	22 nd
Understanding the EHC Needs Assessment request process	9 th	17 th	23 rd	5 th	22 nd	23 rd
How to check a draft plan	10 th	18 th	19 th	6 th	23 rd	24 th
Preparation and process for annual review	11 th	19 th	20 th	2 nd	24 th	25 th
Preparation for key transitions	12 th	20 th	21 st	3 rd	20 th	26 th



To book on to a workshop email dudley.sendiass@dudley.gov.uk

[Dudley SENDIASS Website](#)

Dudley SENDIASS Service offers information, advice and support on all matters relating to SEN and disabilities including health and social care to parents and carers of children with SEND and Young People with SEND up to 25 years old.

Free School Meals

If you receive any of the following support payments your child may be entitled to Free School Meals

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit Run-on – paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

If you currently receive free school meals but have now moved into the area, you will need to complete a new Free School Meals Application form

If you wish to apply for Free School Meals, please go to

www.dudley.gov.uk/resident/your-council/council-tax-and-benefits/benefits/free-school-meals

If you need further information, you can contact the Free School Meals Team by:



Telephone -01384 814988



Email – freeschoolmeals.benefits@dudley.gov.uk



Visiting – Dudley Council Plus, Castle Street, Dudley
between 8.30am and 5pm Monday to Friday, 9am and 12 noon Saturday

YOGABRIDGES
PRESENTS

BRITISH WHEEL OF YOGA CERTIFIED

SUITABLE FOR ALL LEVELS OF ABILITY



EVERY THURSDAY | START AT 7.30PM

Ashwood Park Primary School, Bells Lane, Wordsley, Stourbridge, DY8 5DJ

£9 / CLASS OR 10% DISCOUNT FOR FULL TERM

FOR BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL JAN:

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