

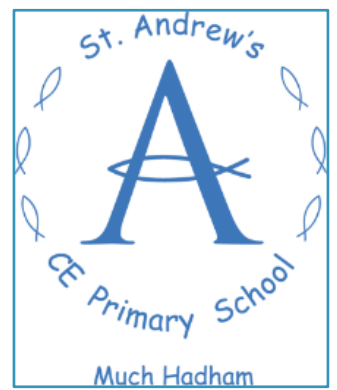
St Andrew's CE Primary School and Nursery Newsletter

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16th October 2026

**Our Home / School
value this half term is:**



Life in All its Fullness – Come and See

Choir Visit to St. Albans' Cathedral

On Wednesday, our school choir had the wonderful opportunity to visit St Albans Cathedral for the Diocesan Harvest Service. It was a very special and joyful occasion, and the children thoroughly enjoyed celebrating, singing and praying alongside other church schools from across Hertfordshire.

A particular highlight was hearing the St Mary's CE Secondary School choir from Cheshunt perform. Our children were incredibly inspired by their singing, with many commenting on how incredible it was. Seeing the older pupils perform, also gave our children a glimpse of what they too could achieve if they continue to nurture their love of singing.

The children returned to school full of enthusiasm and spoke very fondly about what a memorable experience the day had been.

It was also lovely to see some of our parents and carers in the congregation, sharing this special occasion with us.



Leventhorpe Cross Country

On Tuesday, some of our regular KS2 Running Club members attended the Cross Country competition at Leventhorpe School. Four schools took part in the event.



Year 3 and 4 children had to run 1000m around Leventhorpe sports field, whilst our Y5 and Y6 children had to run a total of 1500m.

There were a number of fantastic individual results and Mrs Small was incredibly proud of the resilience all the children showed in completing their races, but equally, the incredible collaborative teamwork and encouragement that they showed toward one another.

Thank you to all our parent drivers for taking and bringing back the children.

Running Club is open to all children, every morning at 8 30- 8 45am... why not come and join us?



Cooking in Year 4

Year 4 have been making biscuits this week as part of their DT. We started off by looking at existing biscuits.



As well as tasting and describing them, we talked about target audiences and packaging. The children then created a design for their own biscuit packaging in groups – this took a lot of collaboration!



The next day, the children got to make biscuits in their groups. Everyone followed the same recipe then each group added an extra ingredient of their choice. All the children got an opportunity to practice different skills. Of course, testing the final products was an important part of the process!



Key Stage 1 Outdoor Learning Creations

Years 1 and 2 have been particularly creative in their Outdoor Learning sessions this week. All the children created an animal of their choice using clay and natural materials they found in the Key Stage 1 garden. There were some incredible designs and the children had lots of fun learning how to use the different tools and admiring each other's creations.



Every Day Counts



Well done to Arthur in Year 4, who won our 'Every Day Counts' raffle, this week. He chose an 'own clothes day' as his prize. Good luck to everyone for next week and remember you have to be in it to win it!

Book Amnesty



We are currently reviewing our books stocks in school and would be very grateful if you could please have a hunt around at home for any old school books that have managed to hide themselves under a sofa or on a bookshelf. If these could please be returned to either the class teacher or the office (no questions asked!), we would be very grateful. Many thanks.

Birthday Books

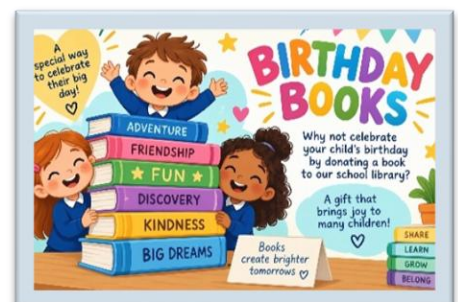
Don't forget, if you would like to celebrate your child's birthday in school, you can buy a book from our Amazon Birthday Book list for their class. The book will be dedicated to your child and we will celebrate the gift in our celebration worship on Friday. Please find the links below.

Nursery and Reception: <https://amzn.eu/al6WYEG>

Year 1 and Year 2: <https://amzn.eu/fBRhfZI>

Year 3 and Year 4: <https://amzn.eu/jbNTsjQ>

Year 5 and Year 6: <https://amzn.eu/aQO9ylu>



Event for parents/carers with children in EYFS and Key Stage 1

We are delighted to be able to host a practical session, open to all parents and carers with young children in either Early Years (Nursery/Reception) or Key Stage 1 (Year 1/Year 2). **The session will be on Monday 19th October, in the school hall, between 9.30 and 11.30am.**

The workshop will be led by Syreeta Oakes, who has worked successfully with many St Andrew's families over the last few years. Please see the below flyer to find out some of the topics that will be discussed, and affect many families at some time or another.

I hope that you'll be able to join us.



Mobile Phones on Site

As we step into a new week, we want to share a gentle reminder about our school policy regarding mobile phone use on the school grounds.

We kindly ask that all parents, carers, and visitors keep their mobile phones away and on silent while inside the school gates, particularly during drop-off and pick-up times.

We enforce this policy for a few vital reasons:

- **Safeguarding and Privacy:**
Keeping phones away ensures that no unauthorised photos or videos are taken of our pupils, protecting the privacy and safety of every child in our care.
- **A Warm Welcome and Goodbye:** The school gate is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with your child after their busy day. Making eye contact, sharing a smile, and chatting about their morning or afternoon helps them feel secure, valued, and excited to share their learning with you.
- **Safety and Awareness:** Drop-off and pick-up times are incredibly busy. Staying off our devices helps us all stay alert to moving children, school staff trying to pass on quick messages, and general road safety.

We want to thank you all for modelling healthy screen habits and for helping us keep our school a safe, connected, and welcoming environment for everyone.



Message regarding the St. Andrew Sculpture



The Sculpture Committee warmly invites everyone to the dedication of the sculpture of St Andrew and the Cross at St Andrew's Church, Much Hadham, on Sunday 29th November at 12.30 pm.

The dedication will be conducted by the Right Reverend Jane Mainwaring, Bishop of Hertford, and will be followed by a glass of wine and light refreshments in the church.

We very much hope you will join us for this special occasion.

New School Dinner Menu

Please see below the new Winter School Dinner Weekly Menu, which starts after half term. Please disregard the September and October dates.

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Winter Menu 26

• WEEK 1: 1 Sept, 21 Sept, 12 Oct, 2 Nov, 23 Nov, 14 Dec, 4 Jan, 25 Jan, 22 Feb, 15 Mar • WEEK 2: 7 Sept, 28 Sept, 19 Oct, 9 Nov, 30 Nov, 11 Jan, 1 Feb, 1 Mar, 22 Mar • WEEK 3: 14 Sept, 5 Oct, 16 Nov, 7 Dec, 18 Jan, 8 Feb, 8 Mar

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL 1	Pork Sausages & Gravy	Mexican Bean Burrito (v)	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Chicken Pie & Gravy	Fish Fillet Fingers
MAIN MEAL 2	Sweet Potato & Chickpea Curry (Ve)	Mac 'n' Cheese (v)	Roast Quorn Fillet with Stuffing & Gravy (Ve)	Breaded Bean & Vegetable Grill (Ve)	Margherita Pizza (v)
SIDE DISH	Mashed Potatoes or Brown & White Rice	Diced Potatoes or Herby Garlic Bread	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Mashed Potatoes or Pasta	Chips or Tricolour Pasta
JACKET POTATO FIXED	Baked Beans (Ve)	Grated Cheese (v)	Cheese & Beans (v)	Grated Cheese (v)	Tuna Mayo
COLD OPTION FIXED	Salmon Mayo Baguette	Cheese Baguette (v)	Ham Baguette	Chicken Mayo Baguette	Egg Mayo Baguette (v)
DESSERT	Oat & Raisin Cookie (Ve)	Fresh Fruit Wedges (Ve)	Fresh Fruit Jelly (Ve)	Apple Crumble & Custard (v)	Chocolate Brick Wall (Ve)

MAIN MEAL 1	Chicken & Sweetcorn Meatballs with Sweet & Tangy Sauce	Chicken Curry	Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Quorn Burger (v)	Battered Fish
MAIN MEAL 2	Sunshine Eggs with Baked Beans (v)	Cheese Pinwheel (v)	Quorn Pieces with Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy (v)	Veggie Bolognese (Ve)	Margherita Pizza (v)
SIDE DISH	Brown & White Rice or Potato Wedges	Brown & White Rice or Diced Potatoes	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Potato Wedges or Spaghetti	Potato Wedges or Tricolour Pasta
JACKET POTATO FIXED	Cheese & Beans (v)	Grated Cheese (v)	Tuna Mayo	Baked Beans (v)	Salmon Mayo
COLD OPTION FIXED	Tuna Mayo Baguette	Ham Baguette	Chicken Mayo Baguette	Cheese Baguette (v)	Egg Mayo Baguette (v)
DESSERT	Shortbread (Ve)	Fresh Fruit Wedges (Ve)	Fresh Fruit Jelly (Ve)	Pear & Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Custard	Jammy Cookie (Ve)

MAIN MEAL 1	Beef Bolognese	Quorn Hotdog (v)	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Beef Burger	Fish Fillet Fingers
MAIN MEAL 2	Vegan Quorn Sausage & Gravy (Ve)	Roasted Veg Lasagne (v)	Beany Pasta Bake (Ve)	Baked Bean Slice (Ve)	Margherita Pizza (v)
SIDE DISH	Spaghetti or Potato Wedges	Diced Potatoes or Herby Garlic Bread	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Diced Potatoes or Pasta	Chips or Tricolour Pasta
JACKET POTATO FIXED	Grated Cheese (v)	Baked Beans (Ve)	Cheese & Beans (v)	Grated Cheese (v)	Tuna Mayo
COLD OPTION FIXED	Tuna Mayo Baguette	Cheese Baguette (v)	Ham Baguette	Chicken Mayo Baguette	Egg Baguette (v)
DESSERT	Fresh Fruit Wedges (Ve)	Carrot Cake (v)	Fresh Fruit Jelly (Ve)	Apple Charlotte Pudding & Custard (v)	Chocolate Raisin Cookie (Ve)

A variety of fruit, vegetables and salads are served daily.

V = Vegetarian Ve = Vegan

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We are an Allergy Aware School

St Andrew's is an Allergy Aware school with no nuts. Please do not bring any foods containing nut or sesame into school (including pesto and hummus). Thank you.

Useful links

St Andrew's School Website... did you know?

We aim to make our school website a 'one stop shop' for information about our vibrant school.

<https://standrews236.herts.sch.uk/>

Here you can find information about your child's learning in all areas of the curriculum, a number of useful school policies, information about school uniform, upcoming events, links to outside school support and so much more! *If there is anything extra that you would like to see on our school website, do drop Mrs Dimond an email via the school office and we'll see what we can do.* Please find other useful links below:

Much Hadham Preschool

<https://www.muchhadhampreschool.co.uk/>

Amazon – Buy a Birthday Book Suggestion List

Nursery and Reception: <https://amzn.eu/al6WYEG>

Year 1 and Year 2: <https://amzn.eu/fBRhfZI>

Year 3 and Year 4: <https://amzn.eu/jbNTsjQ>

Year 5 and Year 6: <https://amzn.eu/aQO9ylu>



Arbor Payments

<https://st-andrews-ce-primary-school-and-nursery.uk.arbor.education/?/>

Hertfordshire Catering Ltd Special Dietary Menu Application (now called Citrus)

[Allergies & Nutrition Information | HCL](#)

Hertfordshire Catering <https://www.hcl.co.uk/parents/primary-school>

School Uniform

AVM Schoolwear: [Schoolwear – AVM Workwear and Embroidery Ltd](#)

E-squared/Top Form Uniform: [About Us – Top Form Schoolwear](#)

Second Hand Uniform – from Friends of St Andrew's school

Please email requests to : friendsofstandrewsmh@gmail.com

External/other links

Hertfordshire Free School Meals

<https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/services/schools-and-education/at-school/free-school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx>

DSPL Website

[Developing Special Provision Locally \(DSPL\) 3 – Home](#)

Hertfordshire Families First

www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/familiesfirst

Pharmacies First

[How pharmacies can help – NHS](#)

East Herts Council – Keeping Safe Online

[Get Safe Online | The UK's leading Online Safety Advice Resource](#)

Diary Dates 2026-27

**** Parents and carers are invited to the events that are highlighted ****

Monday 19/10/2026 – Practical Parenting Workshop for EYFS and KS1 9.30am

Tuesday 20/10/2026 – Y4 Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Wednesday 21/10/2026 – Parents' Evening 1

Thursday 22/10/2026 – Woodwind of Stortford Assembly

Thursday 22/10/2026 – Parents' Evening 2

Saturday 31/10/2026 – Y6 Deadline for Secondary School applications

Tuesday 03/11/2026 – Y3 Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Thursday 05/11/2026 – YN 'Come and See'

Tuesday 10/11/2026 – Y2 Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Tuesday 17/11/2026 – Y1 Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Thursday 19/11/2026 – Young Shakespeare Visit for KS2

Wednesday 20/11/2026 – Flu Vaccination: 2nd session

Tuesday 24/11/2026 – YR Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Thursday 26/11/2026 – St. Andrew's Day Service in church

Tuesday 01/12/2026 – YN Parents and Carers invited to worship 9.05am

Monday 10/05/2027 to Thursday 13/05/2026 – KS2 SATS Testing Week

Monday 17/05/2027 to Friday 21/05/2026 – Y6 Brenscombe Residential

**** PTA Events ****

Tuesday 01/12/2026 & Thursday 03/12/2026 – Christmas film nights, school hall, 3:15pm-5:30pm

Tuesday 08/12/2026 & Wednesday 09/12/2026 – Elfridges

October-November Date TBC – School tea towel, coaster and Christmas card - sales

December Date TBC – Christmas hamper raffle

Term Dates for 2026/2027

Autumn Term 2026	
<i>Tuesday, 1 September 2026</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Wednesday, 2 September 2026	Term begins
Monday, 26 October - Friday 30 October 2026	Half term
<i>Friday, 27 November 2026</i>	<i>Occasional day – school closed</i>
Friday, 18 December 2026	Term ends 2pm
Spring Term 2027	
<i>Monday, 4 January 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Tuesday, 5 January 2027	Term begins
Monday, 15 February to Friday, 19 February 2027	Half term
Thursday, 25 March 2027	Term ends 2pm
Summer Term 2027	
Monday, 12 April 2027	Term begins
Monday, 3 May 2027	May Bank Holiday – school closed
Monday, 31 May to Friday, 4 June 2027	Half term
<i>Monday, 7 June 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Tuesday, 20 July 2027	Term ends 2pm
<i>Wednesday, 21 July 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
<i>Thursday, 22 July 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>

Term Dates for 2027/2028

Autumn Term 2027	
<i>Wednesday, 1 September 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
<i>Thursday, 2 September 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
<i>Friday, 3 September 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Monday, 6 September 2027	Term begins
Monday, 25 October - Friday 29 October 2027	Half term
<i>Friday, 26 November 2027</i>	<i>Occasional day – school closed</i>
Friday, 17 December 2027	Term ends 2pm
Spring Term 2028	
Tuesday, 4 January 2028	Term begins
Monday, 14 February to Friday, 18 February 2028	Half term
Friday, 31 March 2028	Term ends 2pm
Summer Term 2028	
Tuesday, 18 April 2028	Term begins
Monday, 1 May 2028	May Bank Holiday – school closed
Monday, 29 May to Friday, 2 June 2028	Half term
<i>Monday, 5 June 2028</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Tuesday, 6 June 2028	<i>Back to school</i>
Friday, 21 July 2027	Term ends 2pm
<i>Monday, 24 July 2027</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>

External Events and Clubs



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*Where girls belong
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TOO! ♥**

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JOIN TODAY! ♥



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YEAR 3

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Families can use the code **STANDREWS15** for 15% off their booking, and it covers brothers and sisters too.



OCTOBER HALF-TERM

JAMES COLLINS FOOTBALL CAMP

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MON 26 · TUE 27 · WED 28 OCTOBER

9AM - 3PM · AGES 4-13 · ALL ABILITIES

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Sawbridgeworth, Herts CM21 9BY



THREE DAYS. ONE SQUAD. ONE CUP.

DAY 1 · MON 26

01

PROFILE & POSITION

Position testing, position-specific training and small-sided games - then the squad draft.

DAY 2 · TUE 27

02

SHARPEN THE SKILLS

Dribbling, passing, finishing and defending, plus the Skills Challenge for squad points.

DAY 3 · WED 28

03

THE CAMPIONI CUP

Group stage, cup finals and awards.
Parents invited from 2.15pm for presentations.

Individual days can be booked - but the full three days is where the magic happens.

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YOUR SKILLS



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INSPIRED

MUSIC
BRINGS
PEOPLE
TOGETHER



SATURDAY
24TH OCTOBER 2026
10.00am – 1.00pm



Bishops Stortford Music Centre

Based in Birchwood High School
Parsonage Lane, Bishop's Stortford
CM23 5BD



Open to guitar players in Key Stage 2
who have been playing for at least one term.

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Half term camp

**Wednesday 28th October
at Thorn Grove Primary School**



**Professor Fab and her
gaggle of wizarding
scientists will help you make
colour-changing potions,
fizzy explosions, pourable
clouds...and even invent
your own potion!**

Camps run 10am to 3pm and are open
to all children aged 5-11 years.

For more information visit the Fab
Science website.

BOOK NOW AT: FABSCIENCE.CLASSFORKIDS.IO

fabscience.co.uk

campcoordinator@fabscience.co.uk

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BONFIRE

Night



Perry Green & Green Tye
PRESERVATION SOCIETY

Get ready for an unforgettable Bonfire Night and Fireworks display!

Purchase tickets in advance online.

Adults: £5 (£10 on gate)

Children: £4 (£7 on gate)

Family: £15 (£25 on gate)

* Family ticket is 2 adults and 2 children

Advance ticket sales end 11pm Wednesday 4th November

Saturday 7th November

5.30pm

Mission Hall Field, Green Tye

Bonfire 🗡️ Firework extravaganza

Hot Food 🗡️ Drinks 🗡️ Glow Sticks



Purchase tickets online at
<https://tickets.perrygreentye.co.uk>

Gates Open 5.30pm – Bonfire Lit 6pm – Fireworks Start 6.30pm

Off road parking available. Please follow the signs and park responsibly. **No sparklers allowed.**

External Support and Workshops

Youth Mental Health First Aid Training

1 day Champion course designed specifically for Hertfordshire
Parent/Carers of 8 to 18 year olds.

FREE



MHFA England

You will learn:

- An understanding of common mental health issues and how they can affect young people
- The ability to spot the signs of mental ill health in young people, and guide them to a place of support
- Knowledge and confidence to advocate for mental health awareness
- Skills to support positive wellbeing

Friday 13 Nov 2026 9.30am to 4pm	Peartree Spring Primary School, Stevenage, SG2 9GG	Parents/Carers	Parking available on roads near venue
Friday 12 Mar 2027 9.30am to 4pm	Hobbs Hill Wood Primary School, Hemel Hempstead, HP3 8ER	Parents/Carers	Parking available on site

To book your place please email schoolsmh@hertfordshire.gov.uk
Places are limited to two representatives per education setting

Helping Your Child with Fears and Worries

- Parent Group

This guided parent-delivered programme teaches parents cognitive behavioural strategies to help their child overcome anxiety through the accompanying book



5 two-hour online sessions over 6 weeks

WHO IS IT AIMED AT?

The programme is intended for **parents** of children aged **5 to 12**

EVIDENCE BASE

Those who receive the programme are **twice as likely** to recover from their main anxiety problem and **three times more likely** to be free of all anxiety diagnoses than those who receive no treatment (Thirlwall et al, 2013)



How to Join

<https://forms.office.com/e/eUUHqe9v32>





Delivering Special Provision Locally

Autumn 1 Newsletter for Parents/Carers

DSPL3 Website and Facebook page

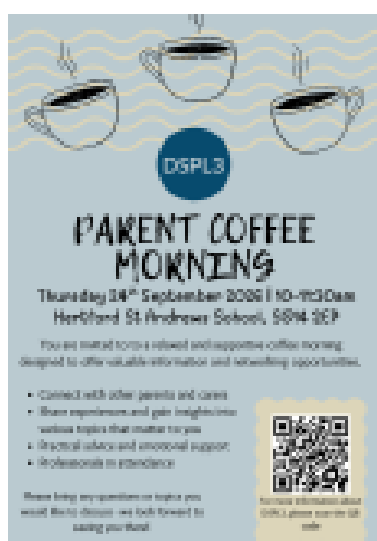
- The DSPL3 Website and Facebook page are now live.
- Please click here to view the [website](#)
- Please click here to view the [Facebook page](#)

Workshops, Courses and Training

Please click here to view [workshops, courses and training](#) available for this academic year.

DSPL3 SEND Coffee Mornings

- 24th September 2026 10-11:30am—Hertford St Andrews School, SG14 2EP
- 24th November 2026 10-11:30am—Mandeville School, Sawbridgeworth, CM21 0BL
- 19th January 2027 10-11:30am—Watton-on-Stone School, SG14 3SG
- 11th March 2027 10-11:30am—Christ Church School, Ware, SG12 7BT
- 27th April 2027 10-11:30am—Hillmead School, Bishops Stortford, CM23 4PW
- 17th June 2027 10-11:30am—Freman College, Buntingford, SG9 9BT



Families in Focus Training

- Families in Focus is offering a free online course for Hertfordshire parents of children aged 4-11 with Autism and/or ADHD, including those on assessment pathways.
- This supportive six-week course helps parents understand how Autism, ADHD and sensory differences can affect emotions and behaviour, explore what happens in a child's brain during anger, and learn practical, evidence-based strategies to support emotional regulation, reduce stress and de-escalate big emotions.
- The course also provides an opportunity to connect with other parents in a supportive environment.
- Sessions run on Wednesdays from 9 September to 14 October 2026, with a choice of either 9.30-11.30am or 6.30-8.30pm. To book a place, email bookings@familiesinfoocus.co.uk.

Journeys Academy

- Journeys Academy, a brand new purpose-built specialist setting which will offer 60 places to primary-aged children with complex communication and autism needs, is due to open in **Autumn 2026**. The purpose-built setting will offer modern classrooms and specialist facilities, including sensory spaces, calm rooms and outdoor learning areas, all designed to support independence, wellbeing and engagement in learning.
- Places will be allocated through the Hertfordshire County Council SEND panel process for children who meet the admissions criteria.



Delivering Special Provision Locally (DSPL)

Bishop's Stortford, Sawbridgeworth,
Buntingford, Watton-at-Stone,
Hertford, and Ware

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dsp3manager@amwell.herts.sch.uk

DSPL3 SEND Lead: Lisa Lee
dsp3sendlead@amwell.herts.sch.uk

DSPL3 Admin
dsp3admin@amwell.herts.sch.uk

Lead School:
**Amwell View School
& Specialist Sports College**

Website:
dsp3.org.uk

Facebook: [DSPL3](#)

Useful Links:

[The Hertfordshire SEND Local Offer](#)

[SENDIASS Hertfordshire](#)

[IPSEA \(Independent Provider
of Special Education Advice\)](#)

[SOS SEN](#)

[Herts Parent Carer Involvement](#)

[EHCP Support](#)

**Children and Young People's Speech
& Language Therapy Service**
Advice line for parents:
01923 470 680, choose option 3,
then option 1 and leave a message.

Dads Together

Sign up to our 6-week online group

Are you a dad and feel like you are constantly nagging at your child to get what you need?

The sessions will cover:

- Exploring what helpful discipline is.
- Recognising the triggers and responding more effectively.
- Learning new parenting tools to challenge children's behaviour
- How to negotiate and implement effective boundaries and family agreements
- How to hold boundaries and gain co-operation



Wednesday 4th November
to 9th December 2026

7.00pm to 9.00pm

Online via MS Teams

To book your place, call Lesley on 0204 522 8701, email services@coramfamilylives.org.uk or scan our QR code to use our online referral form



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Autumn Term Workshops

Anxiety around ADHD Workshop - Wednesday 21 October, 9.30am to 11.30am

This workshop helps parents/carers understand what ADHD is, why it makes sense for a child to be anxious if they have ADHD, strategies to help support you and your child, plus signposting to other support that is available.

Sibling Rivalry Workshop - Monday 9 November, 9.30am to 11.30am

This workshop provides parents/carers with practical strategies and tools to effectively foster positive sibling relationships, promote cooperation and manage conflicts between children.

Reducing Conflict Workshop - Wednesday 25 November, 7pm to 9pm

This workshop is for parents/carers struggling with conflict within their family life and provides tools to promote a cooperative and collaborative approach to resolving the conflict.

It's a Dad's Life Workshop - Thursday 26 November, 7pm to 9pm

This workshop empower fathers with the knowledge and skills to develop deep connections with their children, enhancing their parenting journey.

Navigating the Storm (Teens) Workshop - Wednesday 2 December, 9.30am to 11.30am

This workshop is designed to support parents of pre-teens and teenagers facing challenging behaviours. It aims to equip parents with effective strategies and tools to manage the complexities of raising adolescents, fostering a positive parent-teen relationship.

The two-hour workshops will be online via MS TEAMS

All our programmes provide support, information and resources to parents, carers and adult family members in Hertfordshire so they can help their children reach their full potential. For more info, please contact **Louise** on **0204 522 8700/8701** or email **services@coramfamilylives.org.uk** or scan the QR code for our online form.



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