

Psychology and Well-being Service The Educational Psychology Team Information for Parents and Carers



Who are we?

We are part of The Psychology and Well-being Service (PAWBS). Educational Psychologists have an in-depth knowledge of child development, education and psychology. We all have professional experience in working with children, and hold qualifications at either a Master's degree or at a Doctorate level in Child and Educational Psychology. We believe that positive well-being underpins successful learning.

How do we work with others?

All schools in Jersey have a link Educational Psychologist. We work with children and young people, school staff, parents/carers and other professionals to ensure children and young people make the most of their education. We can offer support in a number of ways, including training,

group work, one to one work and consultation. In addition to our school based work, we are also involved in projects and research across Jersey e.g. Student Council Network, Counter-Bullying Work, mental health initiatives and many more.

How do we get involved?

• Our time in schools is coordinated by the school special education needs coordinator (SENCo). If you have any concerns about your child, the first thing to do is to speak with their class teacher or school SENCo.

• We offer face to face consultation with parents/carers at Parentscope meetings (See <u>www.jod.je</u>).

• We also operate a weekly telephone consultation line during term time that parents/carers can call for consultation: 07797913411 (available Wednesdays, between 12.30 and 15.30).

Meet the EP Team at The Jersey Online Directory or search Gov.je website for more information.

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