



I am always happy to meet with you and want to work with you to ensure all our pupils get the very best support at Eureka, enabling them to thrive and be the best version of themselves. This is not just our SEND pupils but any child that is struggling or may need additional support at some point (even if for a short period of time). All our pupils receive support based on their need rather than a diagnosis and support is planned carefully based on each individual. Please get in touch if you have any concerns about your child. This can be done by either calling the school office on **01283 216451** or you can email me directly [white.j.01@eureka.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:white.j.01@eureka.derbyshire.sch.uk) I am usually in school on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and try to get out on the gate at arrival and home time if you prefer to catch me then.

Mrs White

### Ways to get your child talking about their day

1. What are you looking forward to tomorrow?
2. What made you feel happy?
3. What made you feel proud?
4. What made you feel loved?
5. Did you learn any new words today?
6. What do you hope to do before school is finished for the year?
7. What are you excited to do in school next year?

### SCHOOL WEBSITE and SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES

The school website has lots of information regarding SEND and how we support pupils at Eureka. There are 2 sections to this under the key information section. These are as follows:

- [Special Educational Needs - Parent Information](#) (this contains information leaflets on a range of SEND needs, previous newsletters and an overview of the different levels of SEND within schools as well as an understanding of what a diagnosis means v's an identified need)
- [Special Educational Needs - Strategic Whole School](#) (this contains information on the strategic overview for SEND, staff responsibilities, what happens once a concern is raised etc)

Support around SEND and neurodiversity can also be accessed through email and by phone with the Community HUB. The hub is based at Citizens Advice Mid Mercia , 114 Church St, Church Gresley, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 9NR and drop in sessions are regularly available to attend in person.

Derbyshire's Local offer for SEND is also available online:

<https://www.localoffer.derbyshire.gov.uk/home.aspx> and contains links to many areas of SEND and the support available



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HUBS ARE EXPANDING OUR SUPPORT!

NEED SUPPORT? YOU CAN NOW  
CONTACT US BY PHONE AND EMAIL

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CH@CITIZENSADVICE  
MIDMERCIA.ORG.UK

Can We Help?

### SEND INFORMATION THIS HALF TERM

The latest information in the parent's section relates to sleep as many parents struggle with children sleeping and settling back into a sleep routine after the holidays. Please take a look as there are some practical tips on supporting your child. The following link should take you to the parent's page and the sleep leaflet is at the bottom.

<https://www.eurekaprimaryschool.co.uk/special-educational-needs-parent-information/>

### SUMMER HOLIDAYS

The summer holiday will soon be here. I hope you all have a great summer, relax and recharge! Here are some ideas to try in the summer holidays:

**1) HAVE A PICNIC.**

**2) NATURE SCAVENGER HUNT.**

**3) GO ON A BIKE RIDE**

**4) PHOTO SAFARI** Give the kids access to a camera – either a 'proper' one, or your phone, or a disposable one, and [go on a photo walk](#). Give them a list of things to find and photograph, or perhaps decide on a theme or colour.

**5) TEDDY/TOY HIDE & SEEK**

Hide and seek can get a bit tiresome sometimes due to limited places for a big old adult to hide. Instead, bring out a few favourite teddies or toys to the local park and hide them instead – you can be much more inventive with hiding places!