

PARENT WORKSHOPS

SUMMER TERM



Portesbery Partnerships

Here at Portesbery we are aware of the many challenges families face on a daily basis.

To support families we are offering a range of support and information events.

Below is some information about each event so you can choose which will be most helpful.

All events are free and open to any members of the family.

Using Symbols—How Do I Support My Child To Tell Me What They Want?

We will introduce you to the 6 stages of PECS. We will also suggest ways you can use symbols in the home to help your children share their wants and needs.

Using Schedules—How Do I Tell My Child What We Are Doing Today?

We will introduce the basic principles of structured teaching. We will show you ways to use symbols in the home to explain common routines, for example getting ready for school or going to bed.

At both the symbols and schedules events there will be opportunities to make symbols and a follow up session if required.

Behaviour Workshop

If Only I Knew Then What I Know Now!

This behaviour course is designed to give you the tools to understand and uncover the causes of many behaviours that children display in the home. We will also share some strategies that can be implemented in the home to reward good behaviours and reduce challenging behaviours. Suitable for families with children of all ages.



Dates and Times;

- Using Symbols— Thursday 2nd May, 9:30-11:00 am
- Using Schedules—Thursday 6th June, 9:30-11:00 am
- If Only I Knew Then What I Know Now! —Monday 17th and 24th June, 9:30 am-12:00 pm (you need to attend both sessions)

All training will take place in the Meeting Room at Portesbery School

Sign-up letters will be sent home nearer to the events