

Attendance Support at Crookham Infant School



Many children bounce happily into school each day. Many others enter with a little less bounce but have an equally wonderful time once through the door!

Most children are fine for the majority of days but now and again have a wobbly day. Others seem to have a wobbly day more often.

This is not news to you I am sure! You are well aware that children are all different - isn't that part of what makes **your** child so very special to you, after all?! Neither is it surprising that children cope differently with the morning routine of coming to school. With the exception of Team Crookham staff of course, 😊 I wonder just how many adults can say that they bounce into work every single day, raring to meet their colleagues and tackle the long job list?!

The good news is that there is help at Crookham Infant School for the occasional or more than occasional wobbly day. If you are finding that attending school is tricky then please, please, do ask for help and support as follows:

Classteacher:

It might be that a special hug, reward or morning job is all that is needed to help your child navigate separating successfully from you. Please speak to the class teacher in the first instance.

Sendco:

Mrs Flanagan has a wealth of knowledge in supporting both children and parents with emotional, behavioural, special or additional needs, including anxiety.

Parental Support Advisor:

Mrs Sophie Benton can work with you to bridge the gap between home and school so that we can apply joined up thinking to any problem-solving needed. She can also signpost to other professionals who can help with many aspects of parenting, not just getting your child to school.

You can contact all these staff via adminoffice@crookham-inf.hants.sch.uk or simply drop into the office for a quick chat or you can speak to any member of staff at the gate or classroom door.

If you are worried about wobbly days then please do seek support as soon as possible: we can help!

Thank you for supporting our attendance policy and making every school day count.