

Specialist Teaching Team for Autism

Wednesday Parent Support Spring 2023

Parent Group: Topic Talks virtual (a.m.) and repeated in person (p.m.)

Topic Talks led by the Specialist Teaching Team for Autism, including time for peer support.

Virtual: 10-11 a.m. This year we've moved to Microsoft Teams. Due to confidentiality issues, we will be unable to discuss named children during this time.

In Person: Please note new address 1.30-2.30 p.m. at The YIKS All About Autism Hub, Clifton Children's Centre, (In front of Clifton Green School),

Topic Talks Spring Term 2023:

Managing Emotions Wed 4th Jan 1.30-2.30 p.m. in person. *There is no online offer for this talk- all are welcome at the in person topic talk.*

Toileting Wed 18th Jan 10-11a.m. online & 1.30-2.30 p.m. in person

Autism & Adolescence Wed 1st Feb 10-11a.m. online & 1.30-2.30 p.m. in person

Using Visuals Wed 22nd Feb 10-11a.m. online & 1.30-2.30 p.m. in person

Wed 1st March 2023 there is no parent offer this week.

Masking Wed 15th March 10-11a.m. online & 1.30-2.30 p.m. in person

To book your **virtual place** on a Microsoft Teams session, please email your name and contact email address, stating which session(s) you would like to book to: parentcarerautismsupport@york.gov.uk

This is an admin email address and we are unable to forward or respond to queries via this email.

Bookings close the Thursday before the session.

For **in person sessions**, you do not need to book and are welcome to simply arrive on the day. Please be aware, sessions may be busy.



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Parent/Carer Phone Line and Drop-in

The Specialist Teaching Team Autism are offering parents/carers the opportunity to talk to a member of the team regarding general issues and concerns about children/young people with autism.

Phone line support: 9-12 noon 20 minutes is allocated per phone call.

In person drop-in support. Please note new address and new start time:

1.30-3 p.m. at The YIKS All About Autism Hub, Clifton Children's Centre, (In front of Clifton Green School), YO30 6BF

Phone line (mornings) and drop-in (afternoons) dates and times:

Wednesday 11th January 2023 9 a.m. -12 noon & 1.30 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday 25th January 2023 9 a.m. -12 noon & 1.30 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday 8th February 2023 9 a.m. -12 noon & 1.30 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday 1st March there is no parent offer this week.

Wednesday 8th March 9 a.m. -12 noon & 1.30 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday 22nd March 9 a.m. -12 noon & 1.30 - 3 p.m.

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We require your name and a contact telephone number for us to contact you. We will then send you an approximate time slot for your 20 minute call.

If we receive a high volume of requests we may need to allocate spaces on the session on a first come, first served basis.

For in person drop-in sessions, you do not need to book and you are welcome to simply arrive on the day. Please be aware, sessions may be busy and you may need to wait to speak to a member of the team.

