



## New Family Workshops Autumn Term 2019

Dear Parents & Carers,

We hope you've had a wonderful Summer break and that your child settles well into The Birches School. As discussed at our Open Mornings before Summer, we hold a number of workshops and training throughout the Autumn term for parents and carers who are new to The Birches to access. These workshops are a valuable opportunity to meet the staff who work with your child in school and to learn about how your child may be supported both in school and at home.

Below is an updated list of dates (some have changed since the Open Mornings!) for your information. Please also look out for sign up fliers in your child's school bag and reminder text messages. All workshops will begin promptly at 10am.

<b>DATE</b>	<b>WORKSHOP</b>
Monday 16th September 2019	Communicating With Your Child (SALT)
Tuesday 24th September 2019	Sensory processing (OT)
Thursday 3rd October 2019	Sleep (School Nurse & Sleep Counsellors)
Tuesday 8th October 2019	Your Child's Diet (School Nurse, SALT, OT)
Thursday 17th October 2019	Meet the Teacher Coffee Morning (PSA/class)
Thursday 7th November 2019	All About Autism (ASC & Communication leads)
Monday 11th November 2019	Behaviour (CAMHS)
Thursday 21st November 2019	How We Learn in School (Literacy & Maths)
Monday 25th November 2019	Moving & Handling (Physio)
Spring 1 (date to be confirmed)	Sign Language (SALT)

We look forward to meeting you again and working together to support your child's needs.

With very best wishes,

*Peggy (PSA) and The Birches Support Team*