



# School Readiness & The Community Offer

#### **Hampshire Healthy Families**

a partnership between Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust

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## School Readiness: Nurturing Young Brains

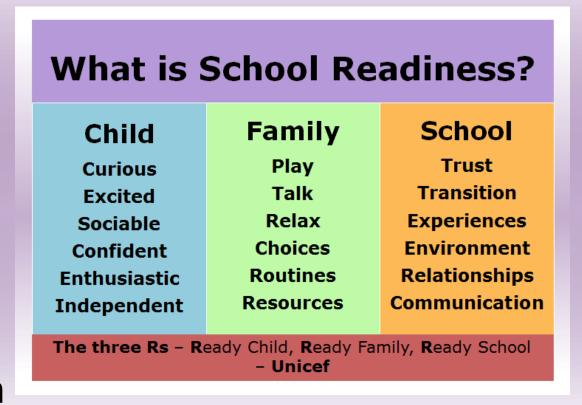
- For parents & carers of children aged 3 years+
- 1 x interactive workshop
- Or interactive 4 week course covering brain development, emotional safety, readiness to learn





# School Readiness: Nurturing Young Brains

- Brain development
- Mind-set & resilience
- Home learning environment
- Separation anxiety & behaviour changes
- Independence & routines
- Inclusion
- Communication
- Practical preparation & transition





#### **What Parents Say...**

"After doing the workshop, I'm more aware of the importance of friendships and social skills"

"Since doing the workshop I'm turning off the TV more; involving B in cooking & serving; providing more opportunities for B to develop independence through daily routines & chores; and I'm remembering to talk, play and relax. I've now signed up to the 4 week course!"

"I will use the ideas you've suggested to support independence"

"I've shown my husband the videos from the course and it has had an amazing effect — we're much more conscious of including M when we're talking at the dinner table and M's communication with his Daddy is so much better"

"Wow! the videos done by children are so powerful and I love the message about co-regulation before self-regulation"

"I now feel more confident and comfortable about approaching the school with my worries around toileting"

"I'm not feeling so worried or anxious now" "Now I'll be making a scrapbook with my child about her school and I will let her practise using her lunch box and dressing in her school uniform – I hadn't thought about that"

Hampshire Healthy Families

Today's Health, Tomorrow's Future

#### **Going Forward**

- School Readiness: Nurturing Young Brains
- Schools as partners
- Supporting the community and preparing young children and families for school
- Making contact





## **The Community Offer**

- Public health outreach
- Volunteering opportunities
- Ready Steady Mums
- Befriending services
- Courses & workshops











#### **Digital Innovation**

- Online workshop delivery
- Online self-serve booking
- Universal offer with priority places for vulnerable families
- Vimeo channel pre-recorded sessions

#### www.hampshirehealthyfamilies.org.uk













#### **Our Workshops & Courses**

**School Readiness Preparing for School** 3 yrs+

**Hampshire Healthy Heroes Emotional, Physical** & Oral Health 3 yrs+

**Five to Thrive New Parents** Attachment & **Brain Development** 6 wks - 6 mths

Hampshire Healthy **Families** 

Introduction to Solids Weaning, oral health & healthy weights 6 mths+

> **Baby Talk Communication &** Language 9 mths - 18 mths

**Family Food, Fun** & Fitness **Healthy Eating &** 

**Physical Activity** 

2yrs+

**Toddler Talk Communication &** Language **2yrs – 3 yrs** 



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