



HIGHSHORE SCHOOL

Thursday 21 January 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

Re: ELKLAN training

Tony Caldwell and Steph Cousins will be running a series of five sessions, training parents in ELKLAN. All sessions will take place on Tuesday afternoons between 1-3pm. Parents will need to commit to attending all five sessions.

Dates are as follows:

- Tuesday 2 February 2016 1-3pm**
- Tuesday 9 February 2016 1-3pm**
- Tuesday 23 February 2016 1-3pm**
- Tuesday 8 March 2016 1-3pm**
- Tuesday 15 March 2016 1-3pm**

We have places for a maximum number of fifteen parents. Attached is further information regarding ELKLAN. We are positive that this training will be beneficial for all who participate.

Should you wish to attend please fill in the slip below and return it to Sue Perry in the School Office.

We hope that a number of you will be interested.

Yours sincerely,

Eileen Ollieuz
Headteacher



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Please return to Sue Perry, School Office

ELKLAN Training starting 2 February 2016

I would like to reserve a place on the Parent/Carer ELKLAN training course.

Name

Parent of **Year**.....

I commit to attending all five sessions

Signed



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Let's Talk

A course for parents & carers

LET'S TALK WITH SPECIAL CHILDREN

This course is designed to train parents and carers (including child minders) wanting some key skills and knowledge when supporting children and young people who have delayed general development.

It is taught in two hour sessions run over five weeks and will be very practical, interactive and fun!

THE AIMS ARE

- To learn more about communication and children / young people with complex needs.
- To give you ideas to help you communicate with your child.
- To meet other parents and carers.

TOPICS COVERED

- What is communication?
- Developing play and thinking.
- Interacting with children.
- Using objects, pictures, signs and symbols.
- Developing communication.