

Hello,

I am pleased to let you know that Sheffield Parent Carer Forum is working with your child's school as part of the Autism in Schools Project. We will be re-starting Parent/Carer meetings in the school in January 2024.

My name is Kathleen Farrand-Green, and I am the Autism in Schools Project Worker who will be working with parents and carers of children at Outwood Academy City.

The project will give parents and carers of children who have additional needs a chance to feedback on what is, and is not, working for their child. It is also a chance to meet other parents/carers who have children with additional needs and share experiences.

Although the project is focused on autism, parents of children with any additional needs (diagnosed or undiagnosed) are welcome. We recognise that many aspects of the project could help and support those children and young people as well.

I have sent this email to all parents/carers in the school, additional needs or not, so that everyone has the chance to attend if they want to. We recognise some additional needs may not be diagnosed, so want to give everyone the chance to be involved if they feel it would help their child.

Following each meeting, feedback will be given to the school and will also be used in the preparation of materials to help schools support pupils with additional needs. All comments made will be anonymous and treated with confidence.

If you would like to attend, please let me know by email. If you are unsure and have any questions, please contact me, I will be happy to help. Kathleen.green@sheffieldparentcarerforum.org.uk

2024 Meetings will then take place in school on: **22nd January 2024 at 9.45am**

26th February 2024 at 9.45am

25th March 2024 at 9.45am

Best wishes

Kathleen Farrand-Green

(She/her)

Project Worker Autism in Schools Project

Sheffield Parent Carer Forum
St Mary's Community Centre
Bramall Lane
Sheffield
S2 4QZ

Telephone: 0300 321 4721 Ext 110

Website: www.sheffieldparentcarerforum.org.uk

Facebook: www.facebook.com/SheffieldParentCarerForum/

Twitter: <http://twitter.com/ShefParentForum>

Connecting, informing and empowering parents and carers of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities Registered charity no 1145913. Company Limited by Guarantee no. 7226540.