



## HANDCROSS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

### The Solihull Approach

As you know:

- You, the parents and carers, are the children's first and most important educators.
- We are committed to developing a strong **relationship between parents and school**.
- We also encourage children to develop 'growth mind-sets', in which they believe that ability and success are not pre-determined, but due to learning.

We are therefore delighted to extend a growth and learning opportunity that we are piloting as a staff group in school to you as parents and carers as well.

Our Locality of schools has invested in a multi-user licence for an award winning, quality marked, evidence based online course by the Solihull Approach (a national NHS organisation) and are therefore delighted to offer you FREE, indefinite access to the course, normally £39 per person. The licence is valid until the end of the academic year, so please take advantage of this fantastic resource while you can.

For further details about the online course, please see the attached flyer.

Sign up for a secure account on [www.inourplace.co.uk/learn](http://www.inourplace.co.uk/learn) and insert the coupon code: **HANDSCROSSPRISEP18**

To access the course for the first time, follow these simple steps:

1. First sign up for a free, secure, account at [www.inourplace.co.uk](http://www.inourplace.co.uk) by clicking on 'Start now'. You will be prompted to enter your name, email address, and create a password. This will be **your** account on Ourplace, and you can safely keep information and photos here if you wish\*.
2. Once you have made your account scroll down and find the 'Understanding your child' box (with a green heading) and click on the 'Take course' button.
3. Click on 'Already have a discount coupon?'. Enter the coupon code above in the box and click 'Apply coupon'. Once it is accepted click on 'Sign up'.

Then you can start your course! Any time you want to access it in future go to [www.inourplace.co.uk](http://www.inourplace.co.uk), click on 'Learn' along the top of the screen, and then 'Take course' in the 'Parenting online course' box. Your Ourplace account will remember where you got up to and will resume from this point.



You can also go back over sections you have already completed. The course can be used on PCs, Macs, laptops, tablets and smartphones.

*\*The Solihull Approach will not pass on your information to any third party, and you will receive no adverts. They may contact you occasionally to let you know about updates to the course.*

We hope that this course will help you at home, but will also show you how we are understanding children's emotional needs and behaviour in school.

For further information about the course visit [www.inourplace.co.uk](http://www.inourplace.co.uk)

I hope you find the course helpful. I wish that there had been something like this when I brought up my own children!

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gill Pedersen', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Gill Pedersen  
Headteacher