

# INFORMATION SESSIONS

(Parents, teaching assistants, teachers, child-minders and any other interested parties all very welcome.)

1:30 – 3pm repeated 3:30 - 5pm in the community room at

## WITHYCOMBE RALEIGH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Topic	Date	Notes
<b>Working Memory /</b> Auditory Processing/ Executive Brain Functioning	<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March</b>	Recognising working memory failure. Games and activities to develop auditory memory. Attention, focus and concentration. Making short-term and long term plans. Extra input from retired educational psychologist.
<b>Sensory Integration</b> <b>'Out-Of-Synch' Child</b> <b>ADHD</b>	<b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March</b> Retired Ed Psych co-presenting	We will look at children who are out-of-touch with their senses; often under- or over-sensitive to tastes/textures/etc Does your child rock on their chair or fiddle? Also covering how to cope with an ADHD diagnosis/whether to go for one.
<b>THRIVE – Is it still useful?</b> <b>What are the alternatives?</b>	<b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Learn more about this extremely useful way of interacting with children. Examples of activities for home and school. Useful in every relationship! ☺ Looking at BOXALL/ELSA too.
Understanding and managing <b>stress</b> ; preparing your child for <b>exams</b> – including helping shy & withdrawn children	<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b> Retired Ed Psych co-presenting	Brilliant ideas for aiding concentration and ensuring children are ready to learn and remember (including executive function, MISP, flexible thinking, etc.) As anxiety is at the root of so many behaviours, anyone wanting a greater understanding of these would benefit from attending.
Am I maximising the potential of <b>my gifted or talented child?</b> ☺	<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March</b> Retired Ed Psych co-presenting	'Gifted' refers to a child who has abilities in one or more <b>academic</b> subjects, such as English or maths. 'Talented' refers to a child who has skills in a <b>practical</b> area such as music, sport or art. Come and find out more!

☺ NO CHARGE – REFRESHMENTS INCLUDED! ☺ PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WOULD LIKE OTHER TOPICS ☺

To book or ask for further information, please call 01395-263397 ext2 and leave a message if no answer or email [chollingsworth@wrpschool.org](mailto:chollingsworth@wrpschool.org) Thank you.

☺ If in doubt, just turn up! ☺