

Can You Recognise Us Around School?
Look Out For Us and Give Us a Wave!

Mrs Carla Newby



Miss Samantha Roberts



Molly-Mae

Finally

If you have a concern regarding your child or family and feel we can help in any way in school, please do not hesitate to contact us via Carla Newby by phone or email on:

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Pastoral Leader: Mrs Carla Newby

(Safeguarding, Welfare & Pastoral Support Officer)

Headteacher: Mr P Newby

Remember We Are Always Here To Support!

Brickhouse Primary School

Pastoral Support Matters!



**Important Information for
Parents Regarding
Our Pastoral Support
& Care in School**

Pastoral Support Values & Aims in School

Our School is a community of Pupils, Teachers, Teaching Practitioners & Assistants, Lunchtime Supervisors, Parents, Governors and other Adults that support the children. A community functions best when everyone works together to support each other and to ensure the best start in Education for the children!

We are an 'Emotion Coaching School' with the mental well-being of all members being at the heart of our school community!

We aim to provide a happy, safe, nurturing environment in which our children will thrive and make good progress academically, creatively, physically, socially and morally.

We aim to promote the importance of each child recognising their own emotions and addressing these emotions safely to obtain a healthy personal well-being.

We have a duty of care to ensure that we can offer the right support for our children and their emotional well-being along with the support for their Parents too! Thus ensuring that all children thrive in and out of school and are free from harm and recognise that Staff in school are 'Safe Trusted Adults' who are here to support them!

What We Want To Achieve Together!

Patience, Praise, Promise to do our best for you all
Action, Assist, Aim to do right by you all
Support, Strength, Success when working together
Team, Trust, Total family involvement & support
Open, Optimistic, Original other schools are not like us
Reliable, Respond, Recognition of Parents matter too
Able, Awesome, Available for you to talk to us
Light-hearted, Likeable, Lessen your worries and stresses

All of the above words are what we truly believe we are to you and what make us a unique team in our school.

Meet Our Pastoral Team

We have a small team of highly trained and skilled members in their own fields, this team consists of:

Mrs Carla Newby—Safeguarding, Welfare & Pastoral Support Officer
Initially trained as a Primary School Teacher and who has 14 years experience in working with families whether this be supporting Parents with their children's behaviour at home, bereavement, split parent families, children on plans, domestic abuse, alcohol and substance misuse and many other areas, there isn't any issue that Carla has not supported so please don't be afraid to seek her advice and support, she works in school to support the whole family and does so with enthusiasm!

Miss Samantha Roberts—Pastoral Support Mentor
Initially trained to be a Learning Support Practitioner and a Learning Mentor focusing for the past four years on children's emotional well-being and the impact this can have on children's behaviours! Samantha supports children through one to one intervention sessions through games and creativity. Samantha has also been studying further in this field since September 2023—2025 as she has a passion for knowledge and bettering herself for the future of our children as well as her own!

Molly-Mae—Nurture Dog
Our additional member to our team! Molly-Mae is a 4 year old Shih Tzu Dog currently being trained to be a School Therapy & Nurture Dog to support children in a variety of ways whether this be inside or outside the classroom. All children in every year group will experience working with Molly-Mae whether this be on a one to one basis or as a whole class with their peers. Molly-Mae has been a great success with the children, already impacting on their emotional well-being and Staff and Parents too! Don't forget to say a friendly 'Hello' when you see her!

We are friendly and approachable and as the saying goes
'A problem shared is a problem halved'
Our kettle is always on for a cuppa and a chat!