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Dear Parents/ Carers,

This letter is being sent to all parents and carers of pupils in Year 1 to Year 6 to make you aware of a group which might be of interest to you and your son or daughter.

We have children at Sandfield who are considered to be Young Carers and for these children we run a club once every half term on a Friday after lunch. This group is run by me, Lucy Lidstrom, Home School Link Worker and we meet to do crafts, games and share a drink and a snack whilst chatting in a fun and relaxed space.

A Young Carer is a child under 18 who helps to support someone in their home who needs an extra bit of help. This could be a sibling or a parent and could be help with nursing tasks, domestic chores, emotional support or communication support, including support with translating.

If you think this may apply to your son or daughter, please do not hesitate to contact me and I would be delighted to welcome them to the group where the focus is on fun, friendship and support.

Over the next few days, I will be speaking to Pupils in Year 1 to Year 6 about this group so that they have the opportunity to recognise a caring role in themselves as well.

If you would like any further information about this group or if you would like further support via Surrey Young Carers, please do contact me via hslw@sandfield.surrey.sch.uk.

I also attach a leaflet from Surrey Young Carers with further information.

Yours sincerely,

Lucy Lidstrom
Home School Link Worker

Everyone is welcome, everyone belongs and everyone is important