

Birkhill Primary School – Parental Involvement

There are strong relationships between the parents and staff of Birkhill Primary School. A significant number of Parent Helpers support the school in a number of ways e.g. with Golden Time, cycling proficiency, art and design, tuck shop, excursions, Walkwise, resources management, developing the wildlife garden and managing the Junior Road Safety Officers.

Parents are actively involved in running various After School Clubs; basketball, guitar lessons, multi-sports and girls' football and assisting with transport as required. Parents support the school's Health Week by giving talks/demonstrations about their work.

The school promotes cultural diversity and parents of different faiths/nationalities are invited to share their knowledge and expertise e.g. Indian cooking, reading in Urdu.

The Parent Council has helped organise and run several social events and fund raisers.

Parents are invited to attend their child's class assembly and the parents of P1 pupils are invited to trial school dinners with their children. Parents of pupils who attend Nurture Group meetings are invited to attend a graduation ceremony at the end of the school year.

Whole school events are very well attended by parents.