



## Leavesden Green JMI School and Nursery

For those of you that don't know me - my name is Vicky Debono and I would like to introduce myself to you as Leavesden Green's School-based family worker. My overall aim is to ensure that all children are happy, secure and enjoy school.



I have been working at Leavesden Green for Nine years as a Mid-day supervisor, a SEN learning support assistant, Breakfast Club manager and a school-based family worker.

Who can I help?

- Children who are withdrawn or anxious.
- Families facing an issue or difficulty impacting on their family life e.g. illness, bereavement, domestic violence and / or disability.
- Parents / carers experiencing difficulties in managing their child's behaviour at home.
- Parents / carers whose children are not attending school regularly and need support in improving attendance.

What can I do?

- Support and encourage families, parents and carers.
- Enable parents and children to discuss concerns or worries in a safe and secure environment.
- Help families and children to access services, resources and local community information.
- Promote Positive Behaviour.
- Offer guidance and parenting support.
- Parent internet workshops to enable parents to access the internet for support and research.
- Family support coffee afternoons.
- Arrange parent/child learning workshops.
- Parent/child cookery workshops.

How can you contact me?

Families can get in touch with me by contacting the admin office, telephoning 01923 484340 or emailing me: [vicky@leavesden.education](mailto:vicky@leavesden.education)

I am able to offer a confidential service regarding personal issues. I would seek your permission to also share the information with other staff members within school or outside agencies. Should a safeguarding issue be identified, we are legally bound to follow Government guidelines.