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Hello! My name is Joanne Brady and I am the new Family Support Worker in school.

My role in school is to provide support, advice and information to the families within our school community. I can help you with any worries that you may have in relation to your child's education, behaviour and wellbeing.

Meetings can be arranged with you at home or in school at a time to suit yourself.

Advice and support is confidential although concerns relating to the safeguarding of children will always be dealt with in accordance with the school's Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy.

Unfortunately, I may not have all the answers, but hopefully I can help you to work out how to find them.

I work impartially and confidentially in a non-judgemental manner, providing an understanding 'listening ear' if you ever need advice or support or just someone to talk to.

Support for pupils includes:

Promoting good attendance and punctuality.

Promoting self-esteem and confidence.

Promoting positive behaviour and positive attitudes to learning.

Providing one-to-one support.

Support for families includes:

Providing information and signposting to other services in the local area.

Liaising with a range of external services such as housing and Social Care.

Assistance in completing paperwork and forms e.g. housing, special educational needs, school places and benefits.

Attendance and support at school and other agency meetings.

Advice and support in promoting positive behaviour at home.

Should you have a personal concern or school related issue, then I am here to offer support. I have access to a number of agencies who may be able to provide assistance to you and your family.

Any query, large or small, I am here to help.

I aim to be on the playground before and after school, should you need to speak to me.

My hours are:

Thursday: 12.00-3.20

Friday: 8:00-4:00

Out of office hours you can leave a message with the school office or email and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

I can be contacted on:

St Joseph's school office: **01706 823 645** Email: j.brady@stjosephs-primary.co.uk