Positive Parenting

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Positive Parenting is an extension of the Health Visiting Service in Blackpool. The Service was set up in 1998 to help parents learn more about child development and parenting.

It provides help and support to families with pre-school age children. The team includes a Health Visitor, two Nursery Nurses and a Health Care Assistant.

Aims of Positive Parenting

- To work in partnership with parents.
- To encourage parents to manage the demands of parenthood.
- To offer support through parenting groups at different venues in the community.
- To provide a support to families in a structured way.
- To provide parents with the confidence and knowledge to play with and help their children learn.

What Positive Parenting offers

- A home visiting service that offers guidance on many aspects of child development and behaviour, through the medium of play.
- A toy library facility, lending good quality, safe, age-appropriate toys.

How to access the service

Contact your Health Visitor who will send a referral through to the Positive Parenting team, and they will then contact you.

How to contact us

Telephone: 01253 651707

Groups

Day	Time	Venue
Monday	1.30 – 3.00pm	Kincraig Children's Centre, Kincraig Road, FY2
		OHN
Tuesday	11.00 – 12.30pm	Bispham Community Centre, Bispham Road, FY2
		OSX

Wednesday	9.30 – 11.30am	Revoe Children's Centre, Grasmere Road, FY1
		5HP
Thursday	10.00 – 11.30am	New Central Methodist Church, Adelaide Street

- The Positive Parenting Drop-in at Revoe has been running since 1999.
- The groups offer an opportunity for your child to play and for you to meet other parents, in a safe and friendly environment.
- Our aim is to provide new and fun ideas for you to enjoy with your child.
- This is a chance for you and your child to be creative and have fun.
- Specialists in childcare will visit to give advice and support if you need it.
- Just come along with your child(ren)!