

Peer Mediation Training at St Stephen's Junior School

The Mediation Service are coming to run a course in our school to train pupils who wish to volunteer and become Peer Mediators. The training will take place in school, on Mondays after school 3-4.30pm for 6 weeks starting on Monday 12th November 2018.

Why be a Peer Mediator?

Here are some comments from pupils who completed the training last year:

"I joined peer mediation training because I thought it would improve my concentration and listening skills, as well as wanting to help others on the playground." Alex.

"As a mediator I have learnt about being laid back and I now have a calmer attitude thanks to Wendy and Peta (course trainers)." William.

Being a Mediator can.....

- **Build your self confidence**
- **Develop your social skills**
- **Widen your friendship group**
- **Teach you important skills for the future**

If you think you would like to train to be a Mediator, have a go at this, it will give you an idea if the job suits you (be honest!). Fill in the form below and hand it in to Mrs Millsted at The Cedars by Friday 12th October 2018.

Peer Mediator Application Form:

Name..... Class.....

Please rate yourself by putting a tick in the box, for example for helpful and unhelpful, if you feel you are a helpful person, put a tick very near 'helpful'.

Helpful	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unhelpful
Poor listener	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Good listener
Thoughtful	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Inconsiderate
Gossips about others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Never gossips
Generally puts others first	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cares about others
Shows interest in person talking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ignores person talking
Reliable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unreliable

Look at your answers.

Which are you best at?.....

Which ones do you need to develop to be a Mediator?.....

I would like to be a Mediator because:.....

I think I would be a good Mediator because:.....