Hello,

My name is Jane Todd. I am the Senior Learning Mentor (SLM) here at Kingmoor Junior School.

I have been employed by school to work closely with pupils, staff and parents to maintain and foster positive and effective relationships. Working closely alongside pupils and staff in school allows me great insight into the educational journey of your child. Alongside this, working with parents means that as a partnership, school and home can ensure the very best experience for all to succeed and flourish.

What my role includes:

- Working closely with our SENCO (Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator) and Inclusion Team
- Liaising with Infant and Secondary schools
- Providing one to one support for children through difficult times
- Supporting families including through bereavement, family breakdown, mental health difficulties, debt, drug and alcohol misuse, domestic and sexual violence (amongst others)
- Running the Treehouse Lunch Club centred on supporting children to be successful in social situations.

If I am unable to answer or help with any concerns you have, I will do my best to put you in touch with someone who can. An integral part of a SLM's role is to link families with outside agencies if need be, and work in partnership with them.

Where and when to contact me:

- Through referral from your child's class Teacher
- In person on the playground most days before and after school for an informal chat

- By telephoning (01228) 409715 throughout the school day
- Email me at jt@kingmoor-jun.cumbria.sch.uk