



## HILLRISE PROVISION

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Hillrise Provision offers behaviour support to the staff and pupils in 14 Primary age phase schools in the South area of Luton. We are constantly seeking to put the right ingredients in place to enable the pupils to be academically and socially successful in school.

Trishan contacted me and we discussed the Goals behaviour programme. I was impressed with what I saw and heard. We were able to run a 2 week taster of the programme with 2 mixed groups of provision and mainstream pupils towards the end of the summer term 2019.

The 2 sessions were excellent. Trishan's positive engagement with the pupils and his calm manner instantly established a productive atmosphere during the sessions. All the children listened to him and responded to his leading.

The sessions were well planned and complemented by the individual workbooks used.

The content of the class based discussions enabled the children to reflect on their strengths and challenges, leading them to set positive individual targets for personal improvement.

The outdoor football time explicitly enabled the children to carry out the targets they had set themselves indoors. Throughout, Trishan calmly portrayed trust in the children as individuals alongside high expectations of their conduct.

I particularly liked his choosing of captains for the small team games, with the need for the captain to give a positive team talk to their peers. Each child was able to learn from Trishan's modelled positive behaviour to deliver their team talk. Each game ended with handshakes all round followed by encouraging feedback from the players for each of their team mates.

The sessions provided clear guidance for the children on how to be a positive individual and a good member of the school community.

We are arranging the delivery of the full Goals programme to support another group of pupils this term. I look forward to evaluating the effectiveness of this in the coming weeks.

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