Ballyconnell Parent & Toddler Group Wednesday mornings 10.30am-12pm Church Street Centre, Ballyconnell Annette Coyle 049-9526045

Cavan Down Syndrome Parent & Toddler Saturday morning 10am = 12pm (monthly) Kook Kids, Ballinagh Rd, Cavan. Tina Lovett/Andrea Tully 087-2332537/ 086-8067514

Noah's Ark Parent & Toddler Tuesday Mornings 11am-12.30pm Cootehill Christian Fellowship Church 66 Bridge Street, cootehill, Co Cavan Paul Hackett/Maire Hackett 087-7627446/086-8244106

Swanlinbar Parent & Toddler Group Tuesday mornings 10am to 11.30pm Triva House, Swanlinbar, Co Cavan Samantha McBarron/Sharon Howe. 086-8739572

Killeshandra P&T Group Wednesday Mornings 10:00am-12:00pm Social Enterprise Centre Main Street Killeshandra Helen Parke/Louise Gibson 087-6910791/087-7917846



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WHAT IS A PARENT & TODDLER GROUP?

Parent and toddler groups are where parents and carers of young children can come together socially, usually one morning a week.

This usually takes place in a child centered environment. Parent and toddler groups offer opportunities to engage in play activities with children while socialising and networking with parents. Parents and carers are responsible for their children throughout the session and the overall organisation is a shared responsibility.

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM A PARENT & TODDLER GROUP

No two parent and toddler groups are the same. There will always be variations among the children, adults and the environments. Parent and Toddler groups and local support groups are where adults and children can meet people and develop friendships. Parent and toddler groups are run in a safe and friendly environment where interaction and socialising is usually experienced.

PARENTS/CARERS ROLE IN THE PARENT & TODDLER GROUP

Parents and carers are very important to parent and toddler groups. Each parent/carer is responsible for their child throughout each session.

PARENT AND TODDLER FUNDING

The grant scheme for Parent & Toddler Groups will be operated on an agreed grant cycle and time frame. Contact Cavan County Childcare Committee for further information.

ADVANTAGES OF A PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

Both children and adults are socially integrated.

They operate during term time so are convenient.

The children get the opportunity to socialise and interact with peers enabling them to develop socially and gain confidence within the group.

They can be a good starting point to preparing your child for some form of daycare.

Children get the opportunity to play with new toys and join in activities with new people in a new environment.

Adults get the opportunity to socialise with each other and to learn from each others experiences. It alleviates the isolation often felt by those caring for very young children.









Wednesday mornings 9:30am-11:30am
Kingscourt Community Centre, Kingscourt,
Co Cavan
Bronagh Cassidy/Angela Reilly
086-8873732/087-1255613

Little Hands Parent & Toddler
Thursday mornings 10.00am—12.00pm
Cavan Baptist Church
Corglass, Oldtown, Cavan
Helen Foster 087-7777471

Supertots Parent & Toddler
Friday mornings 10am—12.30pm
Ballydurrow Community Centre,
Co Cavan
Kelly Ann Harte: 087-4169705

