

Happy Healthy & Active Holiday Fund (HHAH)

Additional information in regards to an additional cohort who meet the Government's criteria for the above programme.

The HHAH programme is funded by the Department for Education to support the delivery of holiday clubs for children aged 5-16yrs who are in receipt of income-based free school meals.

Following further conversations with the DofE, they have agreed to some flexibility that will allow 15% of our funding to enable the inclusion of an additional cohort of children who don't receive FSM, but who we would deem 'vulnerable' based on a number of other eligibility factors.

Our proposed approach is to work with schools, key voluntary and community partners and the strengthening families' team, to identify this second cohort and enable more children and families to benefit from this programme.

This needs to be controlled and measured, therefore, we invite you to put forward children and families who are deemed to be 'vulnerable' using the criteria below, and who would benefit from the HHAH offer.

Eligibility criteria = in priority order

1. From areas of the borough with the highest income deprivation and disadvantage (see *separate excel sheet with no. of children per ward*)
2. Child(ren) and family would benefit due to circumstances that impact their mental health & emotional wellbeing. Examples may include home-schooled children and children who are carers.
3. May include children on a EHC plan or with SEND

You will need to provide **the name and surname of the parent / carer along with the names and surname of the children, with a contact email address.**

Please send this to HolidayActivityHub@telford.gov.uk

We will then provide those families with a unique promo code so that we can track children and families coming through this second cohort. This code enables them to register on the booking system and widen their opportunity to access all the HHAH provision across the borough.

If you have any questions please email HolidayActivityHub@telford.gov.uk