

What's on in October 2026

Best Start in Life - 0 to 12 months

Days of the week	Start	End	Activity	How to join in
Mondays	9:30am	10:30am	Music and Rhyme 5 October	Book in advance
	9:30am	10:30am	Stay and Play – Natural theme 12 October	Book in advance
	9:30am	10:30am	Fun with Books 19 October	Book in advance
	9:30am	10:30am	Fun with Toys 26 October	Book in advance
Wednesday	1:30pm	2:30pm	Baby Massage Starts 7 October	Book in advance
Thursdays	1.30pm	2.30pm	Just for You 1, 8, 15 and 22 October	All welcome
	1:30pm	3pm	Just for You 29 October	All welcome
Fridays	10:45am	11:45am	Stay and Play 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 October	All welcome

Best Start in Life - 12 to 24 months

Mondays	1pm	2pm	Role Play 5 October	Book in advance
	1pm	2pm	Printing and Painting 12 October	Book in advance
	1pm	2pm	Sand and Water Play 19 October	All welcome
Tuesdays	1:30pm	2:30pm	Messy Play 20 October	Book in advance
Wednesdays	11am	Midday	Bookstart Toddler (12 to 36 months) 7 October	Book in advance
	11am	Midday	Toddlers into Books 14 and 21 October	Book in advance

Thursdays	10:45am	11:45am	Stay and play	All welcome
	1.30pm	2.30pm	Just for You 1, 8,15 and 22 October	All welcome
	1:30pm	3pm	Just for You 29 October	All welcome
	1:30pm	2:30pm	Let's Talk with your Toddler 9, 16, 23 and 30 October	Book in advance

Services and activities for parents and children aged 2-19 years

24 to 60 months

Mondays	10am	11am	Chat Play Grow 5, 12 and 19 October	All welcome
Wednesdays	9:30am	10:30am	Music and movement 14 October	All welcome
	9:30am	10:30am	Sand and Water Play 21 October	All welcome
	11am	Midday	Bookstart Toddler (12 to 36 months) 7 October	Book in advance
	1pm	2pm	Early Words Together Starts 7 October	Book in advance
Thursdays	9:15am	10:15am	Stay and play	All welcome
	1.30pm	2.30pm	Just for You 1,8,15 and 22 October	All welcome
	1:30pm	3pm	Just for You 29 October	All welcome
Fridays	9:15am	10:15am	Chatterbox	Referral only

5 to 19 years

Mondays	3pm	4pm	Spooky Fun (4 to 8 years) 26 October	Book in advance
	3:30pm	4:30pm	Biscuit and Cake Decorating (4 to 8 years) 5 October	Book in advance
	3:30pm	4:30pm	Autumn Crafts (4 to 8 years) 19 October	Book in advance
Tuesdays	3:30pm	4:30pm	Arts and Crafts (4 to 8 years) 6 October	Book in advance
Thursdays	1:30pm	3pm	Just for You (5 to 11 years) 29 October	All welcome

General Family Hub Support Services

Tuesdays	10am	Midday	Thurrock Pre- School Sensory group for Deaf and visual impaired Children 6 October	For more information please contact s.ablin.scs@osborne.coop
	11am	Midday	Family Hub information session 20 October	All welcome
Fridays	9:30am	4pm	Parental Outreach Advice Session 9 October	Book in advance

Brighter Futures – Family Hub Offer

Please use this link to see the Family Hub offer and activity details

www.thurrock.gov.uk/family-hub-activities

Please see the Thurrock website for details of each Family Hub and what is on offer each month
and Facebook for information:

www.facebook.com/groups/thurrockchildrenscentres

Are you registered with the Family Hub? If not, you can do this online

www.thurrock.gov.uk/family-hubs