

### Who are FLOs?

FLO stands for Family Liaison Officer. We provide support to children and families across Kent and are based in schools across the county.

# Why?

To help children and families who may be experiencing difficulties. We try to make a real difference to the lives of children and young people at risk of social exclusion, as well as being a friendly face and a source of support for any child, or family within our school community.

## Who Do FLOs work with?

An integral part of the FLO role, is linking families with other agencies, both statutory and non-statutory and working in partnership with them.

#### Some agencies worked with are:

School nurses
Educational Welfare Service
Early Intervention Teams
Speech and Language Therapists
Social Services
Minority Communities Achievement Service
Housing Services

### **Non Statutory Services include:**

Citizens Advice Bureau Counselling Services Local churches and charities Adult Education