## ChatSS Parent support group for CHIPS



## For Parents of Children With Additional Needs

What is ChatSS?

- Informal friendly group meeting monthly during term time since 2003
- Sharing information & exchanging ideas.
- Supporting parents of babies, toddlers, and of children in special and mainstream schools with additional needs.
- Raising awareness of the needs of children & families.

Meeting place: The Hub, Divot Place, Hamels Drive, Hertford, SG13 7SP

Time of meetings: 1-2.30 p.m.

**Dates of meetings**: Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday in term time

- 19th Jan *Amy Drew* (Specialist SLT, The Orchid Practice) Attention Autism therapy demonstration / 'Special Talk' empowering specialist intervention: success stories
- 19th Feb Half Term no meeting
- 16<sup>th</sup> Mar Sue Doyle (Special Cooks Company) Opportunities for people with SEN to improve their cooking skills and learn about healthy eating in a safe environment.
- 20<sup>th</sup> Apr Jane Dellow (Keep Safe) a community based scheme for diabled people to get support and help when out and about in an emergency.

Sessions also include time for parents to chat and to opt out of speakers, if wished. Refreshments 50p – Children welcome For further information contact **Angela/Jo** through the CHIPS Office number **01992 534664** or email <u>info@chipsplay.org.uk</u> WEBSITE: www.chatss.org.uk