

Go Play Sandwell is a partnership between Sandwell MBC Play Service and our voluntary sector partners Groundwork West Midlands; Creative Academies Network and Murray Hall Community Trust.

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New Logos Murray Hall





Groundwork West Midlands







Creative Academies Network

Implementing a "rights based approach" we work to raise awareness of children and young people's need and right to play enshrined in Article 31 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) and Article 12 a right to be heard.

Never before has play been so important for our children and young people to support them to make sense of what is happening around them. Children rarely have as much control as adults do over their lives, playing gives children a means of control over what and how they play; this is an important factor particularly in our current situation. Playing also helps children to form attachments to people and places so playing together as a family could see your family unit become even stronger as a result of more time spent together.

Parents and carers may understandably feel overwhelmed juggling working from home while trying to keep up with school work and other concerns that are heightened at the current time.

But our work hasn't stopped we are still here to provide you with ideas; resources; links and opportunities to engage with at home or across our social media platforms so dive in and be playful www.bit.ly/gpsresource

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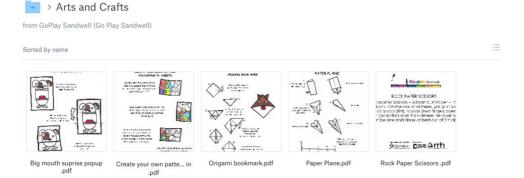
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