

Hove Learning Federation is committed to creating a comprehensive and supportive learning environment for all children. Therefore we believe it is crucial to understand the wellbeing of our children. While we routinely measure academic outcomes we believe that measuring wellbeing to identify where children may need additional support to enhance their learning experience is also invaluable.

The intent of using this platform is to create a really clear and concise understanding of mental health and wellbeing within our setting and the wider community.

This is implemented by running these surveys either at regular intervals throughout the academic year.

The impact of using 'BounceTogether', is that it provides relevant data that informs us about the thoughts, feelings, and views of our school community, thus providing us with the ability to respond accordingly in a range of ways that will support, nurture and encourage all of our pupils.

BounceTogether offers a range of surveys. At Hove Junior School we've chosen to use the Stirling Children's Wellbeing Survey each term. This allows us to identify any children who might currently have a worry, or are struggling with their wellbeing in some way. Children who score low on the survey are supported with a range of in-school / in-class strategies. If a child scores low for two terms, then the class teacher is advised to have an informal chat with the parents/carers to discuss the in-school strategies and possible support around the child. If appropriate, we can consider a School Mental Health Referral in collaboration with parents/carers.

For more information please talk to Naomi Miller, Mental Health Lead.