

# networking & support

- Provide platforms for childminders to be heard
- Gives Childminders the opportunity to meet on a monthly basis
- Opportunities to discuss childcare issues
- Enables Childminders to meet up in a social setting
- Offers information and training
- Make friends who are in the same profession as you



- Share experiences and knowledge in a warm friendly, informal environment
- If you are thinking about becoming a childminder or are a childminder, the network is there to help and support you in your venture.
- All are very welcome and we hope to see new faces.
- If you are anxious about coming on your own, please bring a friend.



## just remember.....

*“Children will not remember you for the material things you provided but for the feeling that you cherished them”*

**Richard L Evans**

*“The most effective kind of education is that a child should play amongst lovely things”*

**Plato**

*“ Children need models rather than critics”*

**Joseph Joubert**

*“If there is anything we wish to change in the child, we should first examine it and see whether it is not something that could better be changed in ourselves”*

**Carl Jung**

*“ Children are like wet cement. Whatever falls on them makes an impression”*

**Dr Haim Ginott**

# how to become a member

- Contact your Childminding Advisory Officer for details of the next meeting.
- Become a regular attendee at the monthly meetings



For further information, to link in with existing childminders or to learn more about the network, contact:

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# benefits of membership are as follows

- Any decisions made regarding future network events are made by the members of COSTA Network
- Everyone is welcome to become a member of the network.



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