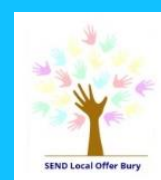


Bury SEND

LOCAL OFFER NEWSLETTER

October 2023



Bee Inclusive's Summer Early Years photo competition winners

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What's on in October 2023

Event	Date	Time	Details
Parent Carer Information Session for the New Specialist High School.	12/10/23	7.00pm-8.00pm	Online information session to find out about the new specialist High School. Online session- Please email BURY2GETHER for the link to join online at bury2gether@gmail.com
BURY2GETHER Care and Convo Session	12/10/23	1.00-2.00pm	Coffee and catchup. A support group for parent carers of children/Young People with SEND. Venue-Bury SEND Hub
BURY2GETHER Parent Carer Engagement Evening	19/10/23	7.00pm-8.00pm	Online session- Please email BURY2GETHER for the link to join online at bury2gether@gmail.com
Parent Case Surgery with Michael Kemp	20/10/23	12.00-2.00pm	Do you have concerns about your child's EHC Plan. An opportunity to book a private appointment to talk through the plan and any issues you may have. Book a time slot with the SEND Communications and Engagement Officer on 07581020879 or email: Kasia.Taylor@bury.gov.uk for a designated time slot. It is based on a first come first served.

SEND Communications and Engagement:

Please **subscribe** to the Local Offer mailing list by:

Email: SEND.Localoffer@bury.gov.uk

Tel: 07581020879 or 0161 253 6087

Follow us on Twitter [@BuryLocalOffer](https://twitter.com/BuryLocalOffer)

Facebook: [Bury SEND Local Offer](https://www.facebook.com/BurySENDLocalOffer)

BURY2GETHER Parent/Carer Forum:
www.bury2gether.co.uk/membership

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Friday 13th October 2023 10.00am -11.30am

SEND Parent Carer Local Offer Drop-in
The Welly Community Café, Manchester Road Park, Bury, BL9 0TD

The Local Offer Outreach Drop-in will be at
The Welly Community Café, Manchester Road Park, Bury.
Friday 13th October 2023 between 10.00am and 11.30am

Kasia Taylor – SEND Parent Carer Communications and Engagement Officer
will be available to tell you about the Local Offer and signpost you to any support you need.

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Paediatric Physiotherapy

In 2022 the adaptive equipment company Jiraffe asked Bury to collaborate on a trial as they wanted to demonstrate the benefits of the adaptive trike in the school setting for children with disabilities. Historically the adaptive trike has been viewed as recreational and non-essential activity for children with disabilities yet for typically developing children learning to ride a bike is an integral milestone in their development. For children with disabilities there are few opportunities to meet the 20 minutes of recommended activity as adaptive equipment can be expensive, large and difficult to transport.

The trials completed in Millwood highlighted this further as the results were incredible and not only demonstrated improvements in the children's fitness, co-ordination, and strength as pre and post resting heartrates were taken as well as a 1-minute walk and a balance scale with improvement seen in all 3 areas. The trail showed how the use of adaptive trikes can change the way a child can access the world.

Jiraffe donated 2 trikes to Millwood school and due to the fantastic results, the school have purchased 4 more. As a result, we have been able to set up a trike club to cascade the opportunities to more children.

Following the success of the trikes a further 2 trikes have been donated and a loan scheme has now been set up by the physiotherapy team for families who have been identified to benefit from trailing the adaptive trike.

Hello from our newly appointed Paediatric Epilepsy Nurse - Michael Donohoe



I have been a Paediatric Epilepsy Nurse for 10 years, working within Rochdale. I am currently based with the Children's Community Nursing Team at Radcliffe Primary Care Centre.

Working in Bury I aim to achieve a gold standard of care for children and young people aged between 0 – 19 years of age delivering care and support around their Epilepsy needs. This will be through nurse led clinics in the community, joint consultant clinics with Paediatricians and Neurologists, home visits, telephone and virtual appointments. I will be offering bespoke advice, support and training around individuals Epilepsy whilst ensuring that care remains closer to home for our children and families and with the aim of avoiding hospital admissions.

I will be working with partner agencies such as health and education but also with the local authority, charities, and parents/ carers to ensure that the service can be one which is accessible to all and one which the borough of Bury can be proud of.

Meeting with BURY2GETHER Parent Carer Forum

(Rochelle Followes, Michael Donohoe, Martin McAndrew)



CAMHS on Instagram.

Bury CAMHS are now live on Instagram, and we have been posting resources and updates on what is going on within the service.

Please follow us @**Penninecamhs** to see what we are up to; we are welcome to take on feedback and suggestions about what you would like to see on here. So far, we have doubled our followers and have had a lot of positive feedback!

We hope this will be a helpful resource for children and young people, parents, and other professionals.

For more information from CAMHS, please click on the link to read their newsletter:

[CAMHS Newsletter | The Bury Directory](#)



Local Offer update

The revisions to the Local Offer are well underway and we have been working with determination to ensure that it is the feedback from our stakeholders driving the changes.

Very positive feedback has been received in respect of the co-production events held in the summer term from parents/carers, children and young people and services alike. To keep the momentum going and the communication channels open, we are aiming to establish an annual cycle of informal co-production events where all stakeholders can share their views about Bury's Local Offer – not just the website, but the Offer itself. If you would like to exercise your right to influence Bury's Local Offer, you are invited attend any of the four November events listed below:

Virtual events:

- Tuesday 7 November 2023 – 7-8.30pm on Microsoft Teams
 - [Click here to join the meeting](#)
- Monday 13 November 2023 – 10.30am-12pm on Microsoft Teams
 - [Click here to join the meeting](#)

You do not need to book on to these events. Just use the Teams link below each date to join either of these meetings.

Face to face events:

- Monday 20 November 2023 – 7-8.30.30pm
 - Redvales Family Hub, Dorset Drive, Bury, BL9 9DN
- Tuesday 28 November 2023 – 10.30am-12pm
 - Redvales Family Hub, Dorset Drive, Bury, BL9 9DN

You do not need to book on to these events. Just turn up on the day to join either of these meetings.

With many thanks for your support. We look forward to seeing you then!

Graduated Approach Toolkit – familiarisation sessions for parents and carers

The Graduated Approach Toolkit (GAT) is an online resource which offers guidance and support to improve inclusion in educational settings.

The SEND Support Service is offering two sessions for interested parents and carers to introduce how the GAT can be used. Each event provides a 30-minute Teams walk-through to demonstrate ways in which the GAT can be used by parents and carers to better understand the processes for supporting children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) in education settings. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions. No previous knowledge of the GAT is required to benefit from the sessions.

Events will be held on the following dates:

- Tuesday 10 October 2023 – 7-7.30pm
 - [Click here to join the meeting](#)
- Monday 4 December 2023 – 7-7.30pm
 - [Click here to join the meeting](#)



You do not need to book on to the sessions. Just use the Teams link below each date to join the meeting.

We look forward to seeing you there!

EHCPs Monthly Scorecard – 1st October 2023



2626 ↑

This time last year - 2199

354 ↑

This time last year - 301

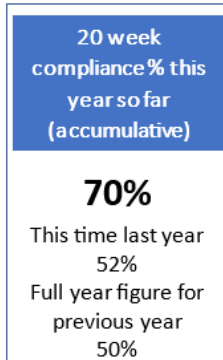
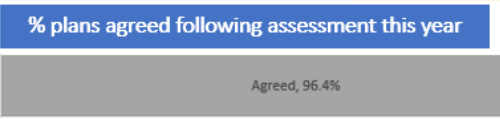


532 ↑

This time last year - 441

86 ↓

This time last year - 150



This Month's figures
September 23

Number of EHCPs Issued this month

33 (-4 FROM PREVIOUS MONTH) ↓

20 weeks compliance % this month

73% (DOWN FROM 83% PREVIOUS MONTH) ↓

Number of Requests received this month

55 (+29 FROM PREVIOUS MONTH) ↑

Number of Plans Ceased this month

1 (DOWN 1 PREVIOUS MONTH)

This scorecard is updated Monthly on the 1st of each month.

Vision and Hearing Impairment/Deaf Education Service



Vision: The Vision and Hearing Impairment/Deaf Education Service has had many years and multiple positive working experiences with Henshaws. **Henshaws** is a charitable service based in Trafford, which supports children and young people from birth to 18 years if they have sight loss, and birth to 25 years if they have additional disabilities: <https://www.henshaws.org.uk/sight-loss-support-team/children-young-people-families/>

The service provides opportunities for children and young people to develop their independence skills through the “I Can Do It” residential programme, and social activities and opportunities for the whole family that usually take place during school holidays and on weekends.

The service also offers information, advice and guidance on a one-to-one basis, and can signpost or refer families to other organisations if needs be. Families can self-refer via the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/MMdfzRrXrg>

Hearing: The Vision and Hearing Impairment/Deaf Education Service is involved with the Children’s Hearing Services Working Groups (**CHSWGs**). The group ensures that the services for deaf children and their families in your area work together to provide the best support possible. They are based in health authority areas in England. Parents of deaf children, as well as any other service users, and professionals who provide services for deaf children, such as teachers of the deaf, audiologists, and speech and language therapists, all attend many CHSWG meetings along with the NDCS.

The group aims to:

- Ensure a coordinated successful delivery of high-quality services for hearing impaired children and their families.
- Develop the service and look at issues associated with successful service delivery.
- Ensure a high quality seamless family friendly service.
- Monitor and improve services for hearing impaired children and their families.
- Support the development of local policies in keeping with national, regional and local guidelines.
- To raise awareness of hearing impairment and the services required.

If you might be interested as a parent to attend the meetings via Microsoft Teams, please email NESaudiology@nca.nhs.uk.

Lesley Woods
Manager, Vision & Hearing/Deaf Education Service
L.A.Woods@bury.gov.uk

Speech and Language Therapy Team

The Speech and Language Therapy team are delighted with the success of the school service pilot and are pleased to be extending this to another 25 primary schools over the Autumn term, followed by the remaining 20 primary schools in the Spring term. Each school will have a named Speech and Language Therapist. Children will no longer need to be brought out of school to attend clinic and they will benefit from being seen in their everyday environment. It will ensure greater partnership working between Speech and Language Therapy and school staff. We have several options to ensure parents are kept informed and involved in their child's care. There will be a new referral pathway for primary schools that will reduce waiting times.

The Bury Speech Sound Screen Toolkit and Resource packs successfully launched this year. As part of the launch, staff from the Bury Paediatric Speech and Language Therapy team have been training school and nursery staff on how to support children's speech sound development. The training focused on strategies that can be used throughout the day in school/nursery.

The team are also working hard to support development of areas of the Bury Early Years Speech, Language and Communication pathway, with a focus on targeted support for children aged 18 months – 3 years with emerging speech, language, and communication needs. The team have also been working with partners across Greater Manchester to help improve speech, language and communication activity sheets for parents and carers.

“We are excited to announce the start of our new training pathway to provide support and education for all matters speech, language, and communication for those working with school age children. The courses are free and are open for anyone to attend including parents and professionals. These courses will be delivered online. Please find below a list of the courses running this academic year:

Tuesday 10th October – Introduction to Speech Language and Communication – KS1 & 2

Tuesday 14th November – Speech Sound difficulties and using the speech sound screen.

Tuesday 5th December – Introduction to Speech Language and Communication – KS3 & 4

Tuesday 16th January – Understanding Questions and the Blanks Level scheme.

Tuesday 6th March – Vocabulary Development

Tuesday 23rd April - Introduction to Speech Language and Communication – KS1 & 2

Tuesday 14th May Speech Sound difficulties and using the speech sound screen.

Tuesday 11th June Understanding Questions and the Blanks Level scheme

Please not all courses run from 3pm – 4pm.

To sign up please email with your name, email address and school you work at (if applicable) burypaediatricslt@nca.nhs.uk



Parent/Carer Wellbeing Workshops

BURY2GETHER are pleased to introduce a new series of wellbeing events for our Parent/Carer members. We have two different wellbeing sessions on offer, each available on a variety of dates and times. We are very grateful for the support of ASDA Foundation, whose 'Empowering Local Communities' grant has subsidised these events.

Create & Escape Self Care & Cake



Subsidised Tickets Cost

£3

Join us for a relaxing evening art session, where you will be guided to create a beautiful piece of art work. Meet other parent/carers within the community, get creative whilst enjoying some lovely nibbles and drinks

Join us for a relaxing but informative session on self care. This session is an informal workshop where you will be guided through activities to support and improve your overall wellbeing alongside some lovely nibbles and drinks.

SAVE THE DATE

Friday 17th November
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Friday 12th January
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Saturday 2nd December
11:00am - 1:00pm

Saturday 27th January
11:00am - 1:00pm

Tickets will be available soon!

Tickets will be advertised on our website and Facebook group when they become available

To be eligible for a place, you must be a member of BURY2GETHER. Membership forms can be completed at bury2gether.co.uk/membership

The sessions will be held at: Bury SEND Hub (Home of BURY2GETHER), Westminster Avenue, Radcliffe, M26 3WD



Attendees will also have access to our Wellbeing!



BURY SEND HUB

Westminster Ave,
Radcliffe,
M26 3WD



WHAT'S ON AT BURY SEND HUB

WED 4 OCT
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

HAPPY SIGNS CHOIR: A SINGING AND SIGNING CHOIR FOR PEOPLE WITH SEND AND THEIR FAMILIES. FOR MORE INFORMATION/TO BOOK PLEASE CONTACT EMMA: HAPPYSIGNSCIC@YAHOO.COM

SAT 7 OCT
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

KIDSROCK MUSIC 4 GENERATIONS SEND MUSIC SESSION. JOIN CHRIS AND AH YEE FOR A FUN, INTERACTIVE MUSIC SESSION. FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO BOOK: EMAIL - KIDSROCKWITHCHRIS@HOTMAIL.CO.UK TELEPHONE - 07855 733308

THU 12 OCT
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

BURY2GETHER CARE AND CONVO WITH SENDIASS AND BURY'S EPILEPSY NURSE: OPEN TO ALL PARENT/CARERS. CHILDREN ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. BOOKING ESSENTIAL: BURY2GETHER@GMAIL.COM

SUN 15 OCT
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

HAIRCUTS AT THE SEND HUB. BOOK A SLOT AT: WWW.BOOKWHEN.COM/BEEINCLUSIVE

WED 18 OCT
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

SENDIASS WORKSHOP FOR PARENT/CARERS: SUPPORT IN THE EARLY YEARS, SCHOOL AND POST 16 SETTING. BOOKING ESSENTIAL AT: [HTTPS://WWW.EVENTBRITTE.CO.UK/E/BURY-SENDIASS-SEN-SUPPORT-WORKSHOP-TICKETS-685490910767?AFF=EBDSBDESTSEARCH](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bury-send-iass-sen-support-workshop-tickets-685490910767?aff=EBDSBDESTSEARCH)

WED 18 OCT
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

HAPPY SIGNS CHOIR: A SINGING AND SIGNING CHOIR FOR PEOPLE WITH SEND AND THEIR FAMILIES. FOR MORE INFORMATION/TO BOOK PLEASE CONTACT EMMA: HAPPYSIGNSCIC@YAHOO.COM

MON 23 OCT
10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

BEE INCLUSIVE SEND EARLY YEARS PARENT RUN STAY AND PLAY SESSIONS. 10:30AM & 12:30 PM SLOTS. TO BOOK A PLACE VISIT: WWW.BOOKWHEN.COM/BEEINCLUSIVE

WED 25 OCT
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

SEND EARLY YEARS (0-5 YEARS) STAY & PLAY/CARE & CONVO WITH SEND HEALTH VISITOR AND SENIOR PORTAGE WORKER. BOOKING ESSENTIAL AT WWW.BEEINCLUSIVE.CO.UK/EVENTS_1

THU 26 OCT
10:00AM - 12:00PM

SENSORY BEARS SENSORY SESSION FOR CHILDREN WITH COMPLEX CARE NEEDS. TO BOOK A PLACE VISIT: WWW.BOOKWHEN.COM/BEEINCLUSIVE

FRI 27 OCT
10:30AM - 1:30PM

BEE INCLUSIVE SEND CRAFT SESSIONS 10:30AM & 12:30PM SLOTS. CREATING PIGGY BANKS. TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE VISIT: WWW.BOOKWHEN.COM/BEEINCLUSIVE

BEE INCLUSIVE PARTIES

EXCLUSIVE USE OF OUR VENUE FOR TWO HOURS FOR 15-20 CHILDREN INCLUDING ACCESS TO THE COURTYARD, PLAYGROUND AND SENSORY ROOM. FULL ACCESS TO OUR KITCHEN. PARTY INVITES AND ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE TOO.

VISIT WWW.BEEINCLUSIVE.CO.UK FOR FURTHER DETAILS. OR TO BOOK A PARTY, EMAIL US AT BOOKBEEINCLUSIVE@GMAIL.COM

BEE INCLUSIVE SENSORY ROOM

AVAILABLE FOR HIRE TO BURY SEND FAMILIES AND ORGANISATIONS. TO BOOK A SESSION, EMAIL US AT BOOKBEEINCLUSIVE@GMAIL.COM OR VISIT WWW.BEEINCLUSIVE.CO.UK/SENSORY-ROOM FOR FURTHER DETAILS



BURY2GETHER WELLBEING LIBRARY

A RANGE OF BOOKS AND WELLBEING EQUIPMENT FOR HIRE. BOOK BY APPOINTMENT BY EMAIL TO BURY2GETHER@GMAIL.COM

WWW.BURY2GETHER.COM

WWW.BEEINCLUSIVE.CO.UK



CARE & CONVO

Supporting Parent/Carers who have a Child/Young Person with a Special Educational Need and/or a Disability (SEND), aged 0-25, who access Bury services.

Are you a Parent/Carer?

Fancy a brew and an offload to other parent/carers? We are here to listen. (Children/Young People welcome).

Bury SENDIass will be attending to support/advise parents. Bury's Epilepsy Nurse will also be in attendance.

Next dates: Thurs 12th October 1.00pm - 2.00pm

During this session, our parent/carer wellbeing library will be open! This is the opportunity for our members to borrow wellbeing resources and equipment to use at home.



Our printing station will be set up. The sensory room will be open and parent/carers can help themselves to 'invisible disability' lanyards.



Please let us know you are coming by booking your place at the email address below: BURY2GETHER@gmail.com www.bury2gether.co.uk

The Bury SEND Hub (Home of BURY2GETHER) Westminster Avenue Radcliffe Greater Manchester M26 3WD @BURY2GETHER



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I just feel so alone.

I really need some support now.



'Look out for the next Early Years stay & play which is taking place on the 8th November - booking will open on the 25th October at bookwhen/beeinclusive'





SEND Early Years (age 0-5) Sessions

2 hour Stay & Play





UPCOMING SESSION:

Wednesday 25th October 2023

Time: 11.00am - 1.00pm



Bee Inclusive is hosting the above Early Years sessions for children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) aged 0-5 years and their parent/carers. The sessions will be filled with lots of fun and educational activities.

These sessions are facilitated by Kelly Judd (Senior Portage Worker) and Laura Trevor (SEND Health Visitor) with support from other professionals and volunteers who will be available for advice and support. Refreshments will be available, and the Sensory Room and sensory courtyard will be open for use. A parent/carer must stay and supervise their child at all times.

To be considered for a place, you must meet the following criteria:

- Is your child 0-5 years old?
- Does your child live in (or access) services in Bury?
- Do any of the following apply? 1) Does your child have a diagnosis of SEND? 2) Do you or professionals suspect that your child has SEND? 3) Is your child on the pathway for a SEND diagnosis?

Please note: In order to allocate places on these sessions, professionals will prioritise children who are not in an early years setting, who are not currently accessing early years services, children who cannot access generic early help sessions, and those who haven't attended our sessions before.

Visit www.bookwhen.co.uk/beeinclusive to request a place at this session. You will be contacted by Bee Inclusive if your family have been allocated a place.



BURY SEND HUB

Westminster Avenue
Radcliffe M26 3WD

 [bee_inclusive](https://www.instagram.com/bee_inclusive)
 [@beeinclusiveuk](https://www.facebook.com/beeinclusiveuk)

Bee Inclusive CIC is a 'not-for-profit' Community Interest Company - 12164262. We provide social opportunities for children and young people with SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities).



OCTOBER

Half Term Activities

For children with SEND who live in Bury

-  **Early Years Stay and Play** 0-5's
-  **Secret Garden Halloween Party** Primary and Secondary
-  **Sensory Bears** Complex Care
-  **Crafts** Primary and Secondary

www.bookwhen.com/beeinclusive

[BOOK NOW](#)

ACTIVITIES KINDLY FUNDED BY THE  **DUCHY OF LANCASTER**



Meet Bee Inclusive's
Hairdresser
CHLOE

HAIRCUTS
At The SEND Hub
Upcoming Dates:

Sunday 15th October

Sunday 26th November

Saturday 9th December



BOOK NOW www.bookwhen.com/beeinclusive

SAFE, ACCESSIBLE & INCLUSIVE OUTDOOR
COMMUNITY FOREST SCHOOL & SENSORY GARDEN!

WEDNESDAYS 10.30-12.30PM

Adults SEND Art In The Park

MAKE YOUR MARK!



SECRET GARDEN - HOYLES PARK ARE HOSTING SEND ADULTS PROJECT ART IN THE PARK!
AGES 16+
SENSORY GARDEN, ART, FIRE STARTING, CAMPFIRE, S'MORES & REFRESHMENTS

£5 EACH CARERS FREE

YOUTH GROUPS TIMETABLE

MONDAY

MADI YOUTH CLUB 3-5//BURY

A.HULTON@BURY.GOV.UK

SEND FOOTBALL

JUNIORS 4.30-5.15 // SENIORS 5.15-6

S.STIRLING@BURY.GOV.UK

YOUNG WOMEN'S GROUP 5-7

CATH.REYNOLDS@BURY.GOV.UK

GAME ON 5.30-7

A.CROWSHAW@BURY.GOV.UK

YOUTH CABINET 4-5.30

YOUTHPARTICIPATION@BURY.GOV.UK

CLIMATE GROUP 4-5.30

YOUTHPARTICIPATION@BURY.GOV.UK

FROGS (LGBT+) 5-7

L.DAVIS@BURY.GOV.UK

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

GREEN CAFE 6-7.30

K.FREEMANPARTRIDGE@BURY.GOV.UK

SEND YOUTH CLUB

JUNIORS 4.30-6 // SENIORS 6.30-8

S.STIRLING@BURY.GOV.UK

YOUNG CARERS 4.15-6.15

CATH.REYNOLDS@BURY.GOV.UK

DUKE OF EDINBURGH 5-6

L.DAVIS@BURY.GOV.UK

YOUNG MEN'S GROUP 6.30-8

CATH.REYNOLDS@BURY.GOV.UK

NKC SENIOR YOUTH CLUB 6.30-8

A.HULTON@BURY.GOV.UK

BURY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

PHOENIX YOUTH CLUB

PRESTWICH // 5.30-7.30 CATH.REYNOLDS@BURY.GOV.UK

ROC YOUTH CLUB 4.30-6.30 // RADCLIFFE

L.DAVIS@BURY.GOV.UK

CHILDREN IN CARE COUNCIL 4-5.30

S.STIRLING@BURY.GOV.UK



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advice



**Citizens Advice Bury & Bolton
Drop Advice Surgery
Mosses Centre
Mondays 1pm - 3pm**

- Welfare Benefits
- Money Advice/ Debt,
- Housing,
- Employment,
- Immigration/ Asylum,

**CABB advice line
0808 278 7804 (Mon-Fri 10am to 4pm)**

☎ 0161 761 2079

www.adab.org.uk

**Emergency Services Event, Ages 4-12yrs
Monday 23rd October 09:30-12:30
Castle Leisure Centre, Bury**



Greater Manchester Police
Bike Marking
Bring along your bikes and get them security marked for **free** by Bury East Neighbourhood Team
Learn Self Defence with Sgt Irish



Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue
Learn basic rescue skills – what to do and what not to do!



Ambutech Pre-Hospital Care
Learn basic first aid and CPR



Bury Metropolitan Borough Council
Healthy Eating, Baby Led Weaning, Breast Feeding information table
& Dance mat fitness



Street Reds
Learn football skills with Manchester United Foundation

All children MUST be accompanied by an adult

October 2023

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
2	WHITEFIELD DROP-IN SIR ROBERT PEEL 1PM - 2.30PM	3	4 WEEKLY COFFEE MORNING BURY MASONIC HALL 10.30AM - 12PM Citizens Advice 1-1 sessions @ coffee morning	5 PRESTWICH DROP IN THE CROFT, ST HILDAS CHURCH 10.30AM - 12.30PM ART GROUP COSALEA CAFE, WALSHAW 11AM - 2PM	6
9		10 RADCLIFFE DROP IN UNITED REFORMED CHURCH 10.30AM - 12PM	11 WEEKLY COFFEE MORNING (as above)	12 ART GROUP (as above)	13
16	WHITEFIELD DROP-IN (as above)	17 CARERS MENTAL WELLBEING & RESILIENCE TRAINING BURY MASONIC HALL 12.30 - 2.30PM Please book by calling 0300 303 0207, via Facebook, or in person.	18 COFFEE MORNING CANCELLED (staff training)	19 PRESTWICH DROP IN (as above) ART GROUP (as above) PLATT FIELDS WALK - 11AM Call 0300 303 0207 or email jacqui.byron@burycarershub to book	20
23		24 RADCLIFFE DROP IN (as above)	25 WEEKLY COFFEE MORNING (as above)	26 ART GROUP (as above)	27 RAMSBOTTOM DROP IN OWEN'S RESTAURANT 10AM - 11.30AM
30	WHITEFIELD DROP-IN (as above)	31			
WEEKLY ONLINE links on FB			REIKI 2PM - 3PM YOGA FLOW 6.15 - 7.30PM		

Supporting Communication with OakLP Outreach and Speech and Language



Around 1.4 million children in the UK have long term speech, language and communication needs (SLCN) that they won't grow out of. That equates to around 10% of children - **two or three in every classroom.**

Good communication skills are linked to achievement and life chances. Unsupported speech and language delays affect attainment, learning, literacy, social relationships, behavior, mental health and ultimately employment and social mobility.

Supporting Speech and Language with OakLP Outreach

Who is it aimed at – SENCO/Teachers/TA's/Heads so that the training can be delivered as a whole school staff training offer.

Length of training –1 hour by TEAMS each session
3-4pm

Trainer – Lucy Oliver (Speech and Language Therapist)

Cost – free of charge for Bury schools *please contact outreach@oaklp.co.uk if you are a school outside of Bury and you would like to attend.



Autism Education Trust's (AET) Schools Professional Development Programme with OakLP Outreach



- **Over 1 in 100 people are autistic and the number of children receiving an autism diagnosis is rising. In Bury we have 430 young people currently on the autism pathway (CAMHS, 2023)**
- **Seven in ten autistic children and young people said school would be better if more teachers understood autism. (NAS education report, 2023)**
- **61% of teacher surveyed had less than 1/2 days autism training**
- **The current waiting time for an initial assessment for neurodevelopment is 14 months, the waiting time | from point of referral to diagnosis is around 2 years (Bury CAMHS, 2023).**

OakLP are working with the Local Authority and Health to support the graduated approach and increase awareness of autism and how to support young learners effectively.

AET accredited certificated training 'Making sense of Autism'

Who is it aimed at – SENCO/member of SLT so that the training can be delivered as a whole school staff training offer.

Length of training – 3 hours

Date/Location – 2nd,9th November 2023 (am/pm session)

Cost – free of charge for Bury schools *please contact outreach@oaklp.co.uk if you are a school outside of Bury and you would like to attend





Newsletter

Autumn Term – 'One For All'



SENCO Support – Coffee and a Catch Up

Focus – General updates incl: LA Banding document

Venue - Elms Bank School, Whitefield

Support from Orienne Langley Sadler and OakLP Outreach

Thursday 21st September 3:30-4:30

SENCO Solution Meeting 9:30-15:00

Thursday 28th September
Venue - Elms Bank College Hub, Prestwich

Agenda

Social Care in Bury LA – What is Bury Safeguarding Model? What is the Early Help offer? What are the Family Hubs? What is the Universal offer to my families from Social Care? What support can Virtual School offer?

SENCO Support Surgery

Venue – Elms Bank School, Whitefield
Focus – SEMH

Support from
OakLP Outreach, Elms Bank School Virtual School, Occupational Health, EPS

Venue - Elms Bank School 9:15-12:15

12th October and 23rd November

19th October and 7th December



TA Developmental Drop In

Venue - Elms Bank School/College/Unsworth Primary RP* *Please specify when you book.*

8:30am – 12:10pm

6th October
13th October
20th October

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