

St Andrew's School

Post 16/19 Provision



Information Directory

Dear parents, guardians and carers,

We recognise that transitioning from school into post 16/19 provision can be a daunting and difficult time for students and families. In order to assist with this process, St Andrew's School has put together an information pack that we hope you will find useful. This pack includes information about some of the education and social care provisions that are available to students after they leave St Andrew's School.

Providers are categorised and listed in alphabetical order. Please note that inclusion in this directory does not indicate any personal or professional endorsement from St Andrew's School. We have included as many providers as possible to provide an overview of what provision is available. Staff are not able to direct students or families to particular placements and must remain impartial in all choices.

Helpful Advice for students and families

Consider a range of potential provisions. Places can be limited and so it is important to have a number of options.

Conduct your own research! This pack provides a brief summary of the provisions on offer. Other provisions may be available which may have a more suitable offering. This list is not exhaustive. More information is also available on the Derby City Council website in the 'Local Offer' section.

Arrange your own visits. Students may be able to visit some providers during school time but it is vital that families visit placements together in order to provide everyone with the information they need to make an informed choice.

Start the application process early! The sooner you get started in applying, the more stress free the process will be. Please do not wait until the last minute as this can raise anxiety levels for students who want to know where they may be going. Places can be limited so the sooner you can identify a suitable placement the better. During year 11 and year 14 EHCP reviews you will be asked to name future placements so that amendments can be made to the document. Multiple options should be provided at this stage.

SENDIASS



Information Advice & Support Service SENDIASS

Formerly Parent Partnership Service

The Derby Speciality Educational Needs and Disability Information, Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS) offers free, legally based, impartial, confidential and accessible information, advice and support for individuals and their carers. No formal diagnosis is required for support to be accessed.

Support can be offered for, alongside many other things:

- Understanding the Local Offer
- Arranging and managing personal budgets
- EHC plans
- understanding documents and reports
- providing links with other parents of support groups

Contact Details

Derby SENDIASS, The Council House, Corporation Street, Derby, DE1 2FS

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David Lewis Centre

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looking forward to the future



David Lewis is a modern, forward-thinking charity with a track record and reputation built over 100 years. The college provides a range of educational, residential and medical services to support adults and young people with complex needs, including learning disabilities, epilepsy and autism. The college is situated in Cheshire, but offers support to people from across the UK.

Contact Details

David Lewis College, Mill Lane, Warford, Alderley Egde, Cheshire, SK9 7UD.

Telephone: 01565 640000

<https://www.davidlewis.org.uk/>

Derby College

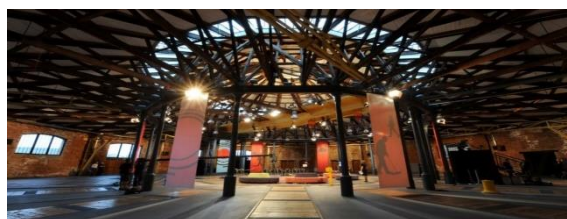
Broomfield Hall



Ilkeston



The Roundhouse



Derby College offers a range of one year courses focused on developing independence and work related skills for those with learning difficulties. Courses are based at one of three campuses spread across Derby and the surrounding area. Courses include:

- Next Steps Pathway
- Pathway to Independence
- Pathway to Working Life

Contact Details

Broomfield Hall Campus – Morley, Ilkeston, Derbyshire, De7 6DN.

The Roundhouse Campus – Roundhouse Road, Pride Park, Derby, Derbyshire, DE24 8JE.

Ilkeston Campus – 2 Pimlico, Ilkeston, Derbyshire, DE7 5JS.

Telephone: 0800 028 0289

<https://www.derby-college.ac.uk/>

Homefield College



Homefield College is a small, independent specialist college for individuals with a range of learning difficulties, in particular those on the Autistic Spectrum. The college provides a variety of courses:

- Residential education placements
- Day education placements
- Supported Living
- Long term residential care
- Short courses and part-time courses
- Residential experience

Learning is split into four areas – Learning to work, Learning at the college, Learning in the community, Leisure skills.

Contact Details

Homefield College, St Mary's Road, Sileby, Loughborough, Leicestershire LE12 7TL.

Telephone 01509 814827

<http://www.homefieldcollege.ac.uk/>

Nottingham College

Stapleford



Basford Hall



Nottingham College offers a range of courses for those with moderate and severe learning difficulties. Resources and facilities include classrooms, kitchens, a library, a sensory room and access to multipurpose vehicles.

Courses are based at either Stapleford or at Basford Hall and include:

- Supported Learning (Life skills)
- Supported Learning (Sensory skills)
- Supported Learning (Entry levels 1, 2 and 3)

Contact Details

Basford Hall: 664 Nuthall Road, Basford, Nottingham, NG8 6AQ. Telephone: 0115 910 0100

Nottingham College, Church Street, Stapleford, Nottingham, NG9 8GA. Telephone: 0115 914 6414

<https://www.nottinghamcollege.ac.uk/search/?type=courses&search=supported>

Mackworth House School



Mackworth House is a specialist provision offering personalised education and support for children and young people with autism. The school provides services for young people aged 6 – 19. Staff work one to one or within small groups. The curriculum:

- Academic and Vocational
- Physical Education
- Wellbeing
- Creative Studies
- Independence

Contact Details

305A Prince Charles Avenue, Mackworth, Derby, DE22 4LL.

Telephone: 01332 606202

<http://mackworthhouse.com/>

Portland College



Portland College

Portland College is a specialist college for learners with severe learning and physical difficulties offering six different study programmes. Learners between 16 and 25 have the opportunity to study on full time programmes in order to develop their independence. Additionally Portland offers short breaks for those with learning difficulties and has a specialist therapy provision. Opportunities include:

- Vocational and Work Related Activities
- Maths and English from entry level to GCSE level 2
- Social and Personal Development

Contact Details

Portland College, Nottingham Road, Mansfield, NG18 4TJ. Telephone 01623 499111

<https://www.portland.ac.uk/>

RNIB College



RNIB College Loughborough

RNIB College is based in Loughborough and utilises four main enterprises as part of their taught curriculum. Students also have the opportunity to participate in courses at Loughborough College through a supported programme of study. The work related enterprises are the key to providing learners with transferable work skills through real life experiences. Onsite therapy teams are on site to ensure that all sessions are underpinned with speech and language therapy alongside physiotherapy where appropriate. Enterprises include:

- Bell Bar: a college run catering facility serving students and staff.
- Sell4u and college shop: a retail enterprise selling items both within and outside of college.
- Arts and crafts centre: developing crafts to be sold in the college shop and to provide opportunities for a range of creative arts.
- College office: students assist in the day to day running of the college office.

Alongside the main curriculum, a more supported curriculum is available through one of three programmes:

- Bridge Programme
- Flexible Futures
- Respite Care

Contact Details

RNIB College Loughborough, Radmoor Road, Loughborough, Leicestershire, LE11 3BS

Telephone: 01509 611077

<http://www.rnibcollege.ac.uk/>

Sea Shell Trust at Manchester College



Sea Shell Trust is a national charity offering specialist provision for learners between 19 and 25 with a range of severe and profound learning difficulties. Focus is placed on developing communication and learning is delivered through three main curriculum areas:

- Entry Level Preparation for Life and Work
- Autism Support Course
- Sensory Course

Within each of these courses, focus is placed on learning through:

- Creative studies
- Everyday skills
- Life skills
- Person centered learning and vocational skills.

The college has a residential provision opportunity for students as well as specialist swimming pool and hydrotherapy provision, a sports hall with climbing wall, sensory rooms and a specialist Gamelan music room.

Contact Details

SeaShell Trust, Stanley Road, Cheadle Hulme, Cheshire, SK8 6RQ

Telephone: 0161 610 0100

<http://www.seashelltrust.org.uk/>

Transition 2 (T2)



Transition 2 is a Derby based provision offering 2 or 3 year long courses to learners aged 18 – 25 years with severe learning difficulties and/or Autism. Learners follow individual timetables and work with a key worker to develop person centered learning targets. Learning is split into 5 main areas:

- This is me!
- Community skills
- I want to work
- Learning for living
- Functional skills

Contact Details

Transition 2, Whitaker Centre, Whitaker Road, Derby, DE23 6AR. Telephone 01332 370978.

Email info@transition2.co.uk

<http://transition2.co.uk/>

YMCA Key College



Based in Derby, Ilkeston and Chesterfield, YMCA Key College offers a range of vocational courses to learners aged 16-19 including:

- Caring for Children
- Retail and Customer Services
- Health and Social Care
- Hospitality and Catering
- Employability Skills

The college is partnered with a range of SEN schools within Derbyshire and as such, all courses are open to those with an EHC plan up until the age of 24.

Contact Details

Derby - 118 Osmaston Road, Derby, DE1 2RD.

Ilkeston – 4 Coronation Street, Ilkeston, DE7 5QH.

Chesterfield – Ashgate Manor, Ashgate Road, Chesterfield, S40 4AA

Telephone: 01332 579573

<http://www.keycollege.co.uk/>

Day Service Provision

ACTIVE SUPPORT



Activities are offered to provide opportunities for people to improve independence skills and health / wellbeing. Users work in small groups and work towards an individual achievement and development programme. Users are supported to participate in:

- Life Skills
- Community and Voluntary activities
- Health and Wellbeing
- Fitness Sessions

All work is completed alongside and with support from carers and families

Contact Details

Sunnyhill Community Centre, Coleridge Street, Derby, DE23 8AF.

Telephone: 07757340627

<http://www.activesupportderby.co.uk>

Autism East Midlands



A specialist Autism charity who advocate on behalf of, and provide services, support, advice and information for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

Contact Details

Hamilton Autism Centre, 10 Hamilton Lodge, Sherwood Rise, NG5 1AU. Telephone: 0115 962 9740

Mundy Street, Heanor, Derbyshire, DE75 7DT. Telephone: 01773 765949

<https://www.autismeastmidlands.org.uk/>

Beckside Care Farm



Care Farming is the provision of care combined with meaningful, therapeutic work. It is an innovation in health and social care that provides an excellent opportunity for participants to reconnect with themselves, nature and each other. It's good to have something to get you outside. Time flies while working with animals or tending the vegetable plot. Beckside is a fun and enjoyable way to learn new skills, improve your health and make new friends whatever your age or ability.

Beckside Care Farm is managed by an Occupational Therapist with 30 years of experience working with children and adults to achieve their individual potential. Occupational therapy is used to deliver purposeful, structured and therapeutic activities to benefit children and adults with diverse needs.

Contact Details

Beckside Care Farm, Marsh Hollow, Hollington, Derbyshire, DE6 3GD

Telephone: 07775 676651

<http://becksidecarefarm.co.uk/index.html>

Beech Tree Day Services



Beechtree Day Services

A provision offering day service support to adults over the age of 18 with autism, learning and physical difficulties. The centre has a range of rooms available for use including a sensory room, art room, music room and library.

Contact Details

St Stephens Church and Family Centre, 311 Sinfin Lane, Sinfin, Derby, DE24 9GP

Telephone: 01332 767073

<http://beechtreedayservices.co.uk/>

Community Links



Community Links are an experienced provider of day time support for adults with learning disabilities, autism, physical disabilities and challenging behaviour.

Users are supported, through person centred approaches, to access meaningful educational, skills and leisure opportunities, and to meet people and make friends.

Support is focused in three main areas of Health and Wellbeing, Lifelong Learning and Community Inclusion. Support is offered from one of two specialist locations, within the individual's own home or out in the community.

Contact Details

Community Links, 11-12 The Spot, Osmaston Road, Derby DE1 2JA

Telephone: 01332 265657

www.clderby.org

The Enabled Centre



Formed through the merging of Enabled Arts and New Horizons, the Enabled Centre offers a wide range of art and craft activities led by specialist providers. The centre deliver Aim awards enabling service users to improve their skills whilst working towards completion of accredited certificates in a variety of activities.

Transport can be arranged through a linked taxi company where required.

Contact Details

The Enabled Centre, New Enterprise Hosue, St Helen's Street, Derby, DE1 3GY.

Telephone: 01332 242202

<http://www.enabledcentre.co.uk/>

Hubbub Theatre Company



A producing theatre company and actor training school offering a variety of original classes and workshops for adults and young people with moderate learning difficulties. Based at Deda in Derby, three specific sessions are offered:

The Hub – weekly classes for adults

Hubbub Youth Theatre – weekly classes for younger people

Hubbub Club Nights – twice yearly at Deda

A specific actor training programme is available for adults with learning difficulties with the potential for attendees to join the Hubbub Theatre Company professional touring ensemble.

Contact Details

Kings Chambers, 34 Queen Street, Derby, DE1 3DS

Telephone: 01332 742587

<http://hubbubtheatre.org/>

Inspirative Arts



A Derby based charity offering art therapies and wellbeing arts for children and adults with:

- Learning physical disabilities
- Autism and other communication disorders
- Emotional and/or behavioural difficulties
- Memory loss
- Mental Health Issues

Support is also available for those who care and support friends and family members with additional needs.

Contact Details

Inspirative House, 50 Canal Street, Derby, DE1 2RJ. Telephone: 01332 208706

<http://www.inspirativearts.co.uk/>

Manor Care Farm



Manor Farm supports people with learning disabilities to access a small, family owned, working farm in order to develop physical and emotional wellbeing.

The farm is situated on the outskirts of Derby and offers a wide range of access into the surrounding countryside. Users are supported to assist in the upkeep of the farm, interacting with the animals and helping to support the day to day jobs that running a farm requires.

Users are supported to achieve their individual goals and aspirations using person centered support plans and activity plans to monitor and record progress.

Contact Details

Manor Farm, Hilltop, Breadsall, Derby, DE21 4FW.

Telephone: 01332 830238

<http://www.manorcarefarm.co.uk/>

Shared Lives



Shared Lives provides support to adults over the age of 18 in a home environment, including family and community life. Carers can be single, couples or members of the extended family.

Support can last for a few hours during the day, over a weekend or involve someone living within the home for short or longer duration visits. Visits can take place in the service user or the carers home. The Shared Lives team is part of the council provision.

Contact Details

The Council House, Corporation Street, Derby, DE1 2FS.

Telephone: 01332 640777

<https://www.derby.gov.uk/health-and-social-care/your-life-your-choice/independent-at-home/adult-placement-scheme/about-shared-lives/>

Steps for the Future



A Derby based charity providing dance and music classes as well as a health and wellbeing club for adults with physical and learning difficulties. Steps stands for:

- Support
- Trust
- Expression
- Pride
- Self Esteem

Additional support is available for carers and family members of those attending the sessions if required.

Contact Details

Steps for the future, 95 Nottingham Road, Derby, DE1 3QR.

Telephone: 07534 120845

<http://www.stepsforthefuture.co.uk/>

St James' Centre

St. James Centre

Serving the Whole Community

Offering day provision for young disabled adults between the ages of 18 and 35. Service users are supported with:

- Getting a job or volunteering
- Learning new skills
- Developing current interests
- Keeping healthy
- Making new friendships
- Participating in sports activities

Working in small groups or on a one to one basis young people are also given the opportunity to gain qualifications and continue their education.

Contact Details

St James' Centre, Malcolm Street, Derby, DE22 8LU

Telephone: 01332 604080

<https://www.stjamescentrederby.co.uk/>

UMBRELLA



Umbrella supports families living in **Derby City and Derbyshire** providing a range of exciting activities. Most services in Derbyshire are provided in Amber Valley, Erewash, Derby City, South Derbyshire and South Derbyshire Dales. Anyone can refer a child or young person to Umbrella including families, social workers, teachers and youth workers.

Umbrella supports children and young people aged 5 to 30 with any special need, including physical, sensory, learning & behavioural disabilities and additional needs. The service is able to support a child or young person no matter what their disability as our services are person centred to meet individual needs

Contact Details

Ronnie MacKeith Centre – Royal Derby Hospital, Uttoxeter Road, Derby, DE22 3NE.

Umbrella House – 64 Birdcage Walk, Mackworth, Derby, DE22 4LD.

Telephone: 01332 785658

<https://umbrella.uk.net/>