



Me2 Project

Buddy Scheme

For some children, having an interpreter (usually a parent) accompanying them to clubs is embarrassing.

As part of a pilot project funded by West Norfolk Partnership, West Norfolk Deaf Association will therefore train a group of young people as 'Buddies'.

The Buddies will be trained in deaf awareness and basic BSL geared to the needs of the deaf child.

The buddy would then attend the universal club with the deaf child to integrate them into the group and clarify and repeat anything the deaf child has misunderstood or missed in a discreet and friendly way.

Would you like to help a deaf child or teenager by becoming their 'buddy'?

If you or any other young person that you know would be interested in training as a 'buddy, please contact:

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