

Family Newsletter

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HELLO

Hi its the Voice and Influence Team here! Welcome to the second Children with Disabilities Newsletter. We have decided to start making weekly newsletters so you can be up to date with any new information as well as fun activities you can try at home!

Free Learning Resources

The National Autistic Society have some excellent resources to be shared with young people to help them better understand autism and how to interact with young people who have autism.



Click the image to find out more!

Singing Hands: Together we will be OK

During lockdown, more than ever, it has shown if we work together and support each other, things will be OK. Singing hands are a Makaton singing group, check out their videos by clicking on the logo!



I-Spy Bag



You will need:

- A clear resealable wallet
- about 8 oz of poly pellets or clear beads
- random little toys/objects/buttons/beads that you find around your house (you will want about 25 things, maybe more)

How to make it!

First take a picture of all your little items that are going in the bag. Make a list of them too.

Then fill the bag with the beads and the objects.

How to play

Move the beads around the closed wallet to spy on the items on the list and te picture.

How to make it more fun?

- Time yourself! How fst can you find all the items?
- How about spotting something that starts with "s" or "p"?

Helpful resources for parents & carers

7 Fantastic Websites for Teaching Curriculum to Students with Disabilities

<https://www.friendshipcircle.org/blog/2018/01/09/7-fantastic-websites-teaching-curriculum-students-disabilities>

Coronavirus Easy Read Guides

<https://councilfordisabledchildren.org.uk/help-resources/resources/coronavirus-easy-read-guides>