

RBG Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Activities

Ages 0-4 Years

RBG Children's Centres					
Children's Centre	Location	Type of activity	Cost	Days/Times*	Contact Information
Homestart Greenwich	Brookhill Children's Centre Woolwich	Autistic Inclusive Meets <i>Drop-In</i>	£2 per family	Mondays 4pm – 5.30pm	Tel: 020 8319 5320 Email: Enquiries@homestartgreenwich.org.uk
		Down's Syndrome Group Monthly meet-up	Free of charge	Not currently running – contact for details	
		SENDSory Play <i>Drop-in</i>	Free of charge	Thursdays 9.45am – 11.45am	
	Slade Children's Centre Plumstead	Music therapy <i>Booking required</i>	£1 per child	Mondays 9.30am – 11.30am	Tel: 020 8854 7900 opt 2 Email: Enquiries@homestartgreenwich.org.uk
		SEND Soft Play	£1 per family <i>Voluntary</i>	Fridays 1.15pm – 2.30pm	
Better Children's Centres	Sutcliffe Park Sports Centre Eltham	SEND Soft play	£3 per child	Thursdays 1pm – 2pm	Tel: 020 8859 1110 Email: vistafield@gll.org
	Storkway Children's Centre Kidbrooke	SEND Stay & Play	£1 per family	Tuesdays 1.15pm – 2.45pm	Tel: 020 8331 1970 Email: storkway@gll.org
		Sensory Room <i>Booking required</i>	Free of charge	1-hour slots available to book	

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What do Children's Centres provide?

Children's centres in Royal Greenwich offer families access to a range of services in one location. Children's centres are located across Royal Greenwich and are available for families with children aged 0-4.

Services include:

- Early learning and childcare
- Support for childminders
- Links to local schools and out-of-school activities
- Early identification of children with special needs and disabilities
- Information and advice about childcare services and funding to support childcare costs.

What can they offer my child with SEND?

Children's Centres have a range of activities and services that are available to children with special educational needs and/or disabilities. These inclusive sessions provide additional staff who are qualified and experienced in working with SEND. The sessions also offer a space for parents and carers to come together, discuss their experiences and get support and advice. Children do not require an Education, Health, and Care (EHC) plan to access support at the Children's Centres.

What about children aged 5+?

Greenwich has a wide range of activities for children aged 5+ with SEND. Visit the [Greenwich Local Offer](#) to find information on what's available as well as information on local events, parent/carers support services and more.

For more information on Children's Centres and other available support in Greenwich, you can contact the Families Information Service (FIS) by emailing fis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or calling 020 8921 6921.

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Additional Services					
Organisation	Location	Type of activity	Cost	Days/Times*	Contact Information
<u>Big Red Bus Club</u>	Charlton	Under 5s Playgroup	Free of charge	Tuesdays 10am – 11.30am	Tel: 020 8854 8054 Email: lydia@thebigredbusclub.com
	Abbey Wood	Stay and Play	Free of charge	Fridays 10am – 12pm	
<u>Under 5s Project</u>	Woolwich Common	Social Communication support group for parents/carers	Free of charge	Wednesdays 9.30am – 11.30am	Tel: 020 8316 0061 Email: under5sproject@hotmail.com

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