

Community Youth Team SEND Projects (Free)

We do our very best to accommodate referrals for the SEND Projects as they come through, however all of our groups have a maximum capacity so there is no guarantee of a space, and we are unable to hold spaces for young people that are absent for long periods of time (3 or more weeks).

If young people are not successful to secure a place due to capacity, we can place them on a waiting list or request an application is submitted at a later date. We may also be able to offer alternatives within the city.

We need to ensure that we can meet the needs of young people safely and efficiently. Please note that staff are qualified youth workers and are not specialised in working with SEND young people with high complex needs (an illness, disability or sensory impairment and needs a lot of additional support on a daily basis).

If young people are unable to secure a place due to high complex needs, we will do our best to sign post alternative options in the city.

We are happy to arrange a suitable day and time for young people and their parent/guardian or professional worker to visit a project as an introduction and before they commit to attending. This can be arranged via the SEND Team.

Age	Location	Day	Time
l I-I5 (Junior) I6+ (Senior)	Efford Youth Centre	Monday	5.00 – 6.30pm (Junior) 6.30 – 8.00pm (Senior)
l I-I5 (Junior) I6+ (Senior)	Honicknowle Youth Centre	Wednesday*	6.30 – 8.00pm (Junior) 7.30 – 9.00pm (Senior)

Boundless Project

About Boundless

Boundless is a youth club providing social opportunities for neurodiverse young people. Staffed by qualified youth workers, our aim is to build confidence in young people through participation and fun.

We offer a comfortable and safe space for young people to access a variety of entertaining and engaging activities geared around their interests and ability, opening up opportunities to socialise with peers and enhance life skills. Activities might include sports games, board games, computer gaming, music, quizzes and a wide variety of arts & crafts. We also offer Digital Badging at this session (details on Digital Badging end of page).

! Young people do not need a statement or diagnosis but do need to be on the spectrum (experiencing neurodiverse difficulties).

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*Every first Wednesday of the month Boundless is located at Poole Farm. Boundless at Poole Farm offers all the same opportunities as Boundless Honicknowle but set in the great outdoors. Additional activities might include outdoor games, campfires and hot chocolate!

5 – 6.30pm (Junior) 6.30 – 8pm (Senior)

! Suitable clothing and footwear are required.

Poole Farm

Age	Location	Day	Time
16 years +	Poole Farm	Monday	l – 3pm

About Poole Farm

The Poole Farm Project introduces young people to sustainable farming techniques with nature, biodiversity and the need for conservation to protect our natural environment. A great opportunity for SEND young people to get outdoors and connect with nature through engaging activities learning about plants and animals. Yes, they have animals! Young people can meet the animals, learn how to care for the animals and discover wild animals in their natural habitat.

A fantastic project that can inspire young nature lovers into farming, further education, career paths and environmental action.

! Suitable clothing footwear are essential.

SEND Exploring and Enhancing Digital Skills (SEEDS)

Age	Location	Day	Time
16 - 24 years	Efford Youth Centre	Thursday	I – 3pm

About SEEDS

A project to enhance digital skills and create positive outcomes for SEND young people. SEEDS provides a relaxed and welcoming environment where young people can have fun exploring digital opportunities of their choice and at their pace. Supported by qualified, digital passionate youth workers the project aims to build confidence and equip participants with valuable digital tools for the future. Digital opportunities might include basic IT skills, photography, animation, coding and programming, creating music and 3D printing.

A great project for young people to develop their digital and life skills empowering them to explore opportunities into further education, employment and blossom in the digital world.

Digital badging available.

No Limits

Age	Location	Day	Time
II – 24 years	Southway Youth and Community Centre	Wednesday	6 – 8pm

About No Limits

No Limits is a generic youth club for young people who identify as having a social/educational/additional need or disability. We offer a comfortable and safe environment for young people to build a new friendship group. With access to a variety of fun and engaging activities geared around their interests and ability, we open up opportunities to socialise with peers and enhance life skills. Activities might include pool, Xbox and Wii, board games and a wide range of arts and crafts. In addition, we offer opportunities for young people to explore topics relevant to them for example healthy relationships workshops, drug and alcohol awareness and topical discussions.

! Please note No Limits has a maximum capacity of 15 young people per session.

City College

Age	Location	Day	Time
14 – 25 years	City College Student Union, Kings Road.	Thursday	4.30 – 6.30pm

About City College

The Community Youth Team are working in partnership with City College Plymouth to offer SEND young people a safe, welcoming environment in which they can engage with youth workers and like-minded young people. The youth work led programme aims to build confidence and resilience and reduce isolation and loneliness by creating a supportive space where they have someone to talk to and can socialise, build friendships and develop essential skills. This safe space fosters inclusivity and acceptance, helping SEND young people feel valued and respected in their community. Youth Workers act as bridge between young people seeking employment, education and training (SEET) empowering them to access further education at City College.

! You do not have to be a City College student; this is open city wide.





We offer young people the opportunity to gain digital badges.

This is an opportunity for young people to showcase the skills and abilities they have learnt and developed that do not fall into the categories of education or training, offering young people an addition or alternative to mainstream educational and training outcomes. Badges can promote lifelong learning that extends beyond the classroom and brings to light accomplishments that otherwise might have been hidden. If you would like more information, please email sendyouthwork@plymouth.gov.uk

Please do not attend SEND projects unannounced.

Thank you.