

SEND Sensation is the provider of short breaks community clubs and activities for children and young people in Mid Essex and North Essex.













#Local #Accessible #Positive

As a partnership of trusted organisations, we aim to provide a **local** service that is **accessible** to all. To promote a level playing field and **positive** experiences for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities.

"Her confidence has grown each time and continues to do so, and so has mine, thanks to all the amazing staff"

Short breaks clubs and activities give children and young people the chance to take part in fun activities and try new things, helping them to flourish socially, independently and safely.

Each of our core partners are well established and trusted with a highly trained and experienced network of staff. All staff hold current enhanced DBS checks. If needed, they have access to specialist healthcare training to ensure they can meet all medication, feeding and support requirements for your child.

"I didn't know how much you had to offer, it's brilliant, there
really is such a range in activities for all needs"

A great benefit of the SEND Sensation partnership is the choices we can offer. With our six core partners we can provide a wide range of venue-based clubs with specialist staff and facilities, as well as many supported mainstream activities and community days out. Sessions run after school during term time, at the weekends and in the school holidays.

With something to suit all ages from early years up to their 19th birthday. Activities include centre-based kids clubs, themed youth clubs, sensory sessions, dance, sports, arts and crafts, cooking, radio, days out, special events, club nights and more.

How do I get started?

To register with SEND Sensation, your child or young person must be registered with Essex County Council Short Breaks and have a short breaks passport ID number. To be eligible the child or young person must be:

- aged between 0 and 18 years
- have a diagnosis of special educational needs and/or a physical disability
- live within the administrative boundaries of Essex County Council (excluding Southend and Thurrock)

To register for a short break's passport ID number visit https://shortbreaks.essex.gov.uk/

Once, you have your short breaks passport ID number we can get you registered with SEND Sensation.

To sign up visit https://sendsensation.co.uk/get-started/



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To help you find what's right for you, our Service Managers are on hand to offer you advice and help get your started. Each of our partners, also offer FREE taster sessions so you can be sure the activities are right for you.



"If today has taught me anything, it's that my child will absolutely thrive in the right environment"

