

ASD Friendly

<http://www.asdfriendly.org/>



“ASD Friendly is a close-knit community of parents and carers of people with Autism and Asperger's Syndrome. Established in April 2003, ASD Friendly brings us together to share tips, vent frustrations and generally have a laugh about things that other people would never understand. We know that caring for a disabled child is difficult and rewarding; it's good to know that we don't need to do it all alone.”

Autism Aware

<http://www.autismaware.co.uk/>



“Autism Aware UK (AAUK) which is ran by trustees Jon Southall, Kimberley Southall, Kelly Gradwell & Joanne Burrows and with the help of patrons Scott James & James Mason, work hard to raise awareness of autism spectrum disorder (ASD). ASD now affects more than 1 in 100 people in the UK, yet not that much is known about the condition. AAUK offers support to families affected by autism by sharing information and offering advice or just being there to listen.

AAUK also donates specialist equipment to schools and groups that support/educate people with ASD.

ASPENS

<https://www.aspens.org.uk/>



“Here at Aspens, we help children, young people and adults with a range of disabilities and complex needs, as well as those on the autism spectrum. Through the provision of highly personalised support, we aspire to enable people to learn new skills, live life to the full and contribute to society wherever possible.”

Ambitious About Autism

<https://www.ambitiousaboutautism.org.uk/about-us>

What we do as a charity

We offer a variety of different services all with the aim to make the ordinary possible for children and young people with autism.

 Specialist education Through our schools and college, we provide specialist education provisions.	 Employment services We have different employment programmes for autistic young people.	 Youth participation Young autistic people play a vital role in our work - ensuring the views and needs of autistic young people are heard and understood.
 Training and consultancy We use our expertise to empower organisations and professions with greater understanding and awareness of autism.	 Policy and campaigns We campaign for change, respond to government proposals and raise issues in Parliament.	 Awareness Through our services and work we want to raise awareness of autism.