

What our members say about us.

“Wonderful opportunity for families to get together with an instant connection. Great to see all the children mixing and chatting in such a relaxed atmosphere”



“So wonderful to see passionate people supporting deaf children . We enjoyed our first visit yesterday”

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FOR?



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Welcome

Rotherham

Deaf Connections

ST Cuthberts Church hall, Rotherham, S60 4BW



Bringing deaf children and their families together.



Who are we

Deaf Connections was set up in 2018 and is run by the chairperson Paul Lawton as well as 12 other volunteers. We are a mix of deaf and hearing members that either have a loved one that is deaf or work with deaf children and young people. We are a group of people, passionate about promoting positive networks for deaf children and their families.



Our aim

Our aim is to support deaf children and their families to reduce the risk of feeling isolated and negative and to help with their physical, mental and emotional well being by encouraging them to engage and meet new friends in our community. We also support families to bring a support network together for parents to allow them to express their experiences with deaf children and enable them to support each other without feeling that they are alone.



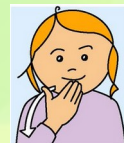
Team RDC

Our group has grown over the last 12 months with new members joining each time. Currently we help over 80 deaf children, from babies to teenagers and their families by holding a deaf club on the first Saturday of every month, 1pm - 3pm. We run raffles, tuck shop, indoor and outdoor games and lots of other different activities all run by our dedicated volunteers. We have special events throughout the year for example -Valentines day, Easter, Eid party, Halloween, Bonfire night and Christmas. More recently, we have starting going on trips, all paid for by the fundraising we do.

Occasionally we have special guests from NDCS to chat to parents and children.

The committee are always looking for new ideas and welcome any suggestions.

Most of all we provide a safe space for children and their families.



Thank you