



**Appendix A: Parent/Carer Offer Letter**

**St Helens SEND October Half Term Play scheme 2021**

**Provider and activity information**

**St Helens Youth Service – Grange Valley Youth Centre  
(Core offer- low/medium level of need, Ages 5- 16 years)**

The Youth Service offer is split into two sessions, one day for primary aged Children (5-11years) and one day for secondary age children (11-16 years) at the Grange Valley Youth Centre, Clipsley Lane, Haydock, WA11 0TT. Dates and times are set out below.

All activities will have some structure but will be easily adapted to ensure they meet all children's' needs and interests. Activities will include, but not limited to, sensory play, sports, arts and crafts, team games, baking.

**The cost is £3 per session for the 33 subsidised hours** and children will need to bring their own packed lunches and snacks and will need to have their own transport arrangements in place.

**Dates and Times**

<b>Session</b>	<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>
Primary age (5-11years)	10am-2pm	-
Secondary age (11-16 years)	-	10am-2pm

Appropriate measures have been put in place to follow social distancing guidelines and additional cleaning procedures.

Spaces are limited to 12 per session which means booking is essential. To book a place or for more information please call: 01744 675924 or email:

[youthservicebookings@sthelens.gov.uk](mailto:youthservicebookings@sthelens.gov.uk). The Youth Service team may out delivering sessions, therefore, it is advised that parents/carers email the Youth Service with their contact details and a member of the team will call you back as soon as possible. You can also book an open evening to visit the venue and to meet the staff in advance of the playscheme.

\*\* Please note, all bookings will be subject to an eligibility check. If your child/ young person is eligible your place will be confirmed by the provider.



## St Helens Youth Service – Outdoors

### (Core offer – low/medium level of need, Ages 5-16 years)

The Youth Service is also offering an outdoors play scheme for primary and secondary age children with an addition of two family sessions. This will be at Youth Service Outdoor Activity Centre, Regents Road, St. Helens, WA10 3HX (Taylor Park). Dates and times are set out below. Activities include, but are not limited to; kayaking, canoeing, stand up paddle boarding, archery, orienteering, camp craft. Activities will be designed around the Child and Young Person's abilities, once they have booked onto the session.

There is no cost to parents/carer for this offer with the 33 hours. Children/ families will need to bring their own snacks and will need to have their own transport arrangements in place.

### Dates and Times for individual

Session	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> Oct
Primary age (5-11years)	10am-11.45am	-
Secondary age (11-16 years)	-	12.15-2pm

### Dates and Times for family session

Session	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct AM	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct PM
Family session (Children aged 5-16years).	10am- 11.45	12.15-2pm

Appropriate measures have been put in place to follow social distancing guidelines and additional cleaning procedures.

Spaces are limited to 12 per session which means booking is essential. To book a place or for more information please call: 01744 675924 or email:

[youthservicebookings@sthelens.gov.uk](mailto:youthservicebookings@sthelens.gov.uk). The Youth Service team may out delivering sessions, therefore, it is advised that parents/carers email the Youth Service with their contact details and a member of the team will call you back as soon as possible. You can also book an open evening to visit the venue and to meet the staff in advance of the playscheme.

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## Vibe UK

Vibe UK offer is an enhanced and family days. There will be 3 enhanced sessions over the week and two family sessions over one day in the week. The playscheme will be held at two venues, 'Our Place' Longview Drive, Huyton, L36 6EG and Vibe Outdoors', Knowsley Park, Prescot, L34 4AE. Dates and times are set out below. Children will need to bring their own packed lunches and snacks and will need to have their own transport arrangements in place (only transport to Lord Derby estate is included).

**The enhanced session is £6 per child/young person for the 33 subsidised hours.**

**The cost per family session is £6 for one family of up to 6.**

### Enhanced (High/complex need, Ages 8-25years)

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Time
26 <sup>th</sup> October	27 <sup>th</sup> October	28 <sup>th</sup> October	All sessions 10am-3pm

### Family Days

Date	Time
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	9.30am-12.30
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	1pm-4pm

Appropriate measures have been put in place to follow social distancing guidelines and additional cleaning procedures.

Spaces are limited to 8 per session for enhanced and 2 families of up to 6 per family session which means booking is essential. For further information and to book a place or for more information please contact Charlotte Brookes at [charlotte.brookes@vibeuk.org](mailto:charlotte.brookes@vibeuk.org) or call 0151 673 0500/ 07810 053 363. Alternatively, you can email [hello@vibeuk.org](mailto:hello@vibeuk.org) and ask for Charlotte. You can also book an open evening to visit the venue and to meet the staff in advance of the playscheme.

\*\* Please note, all bookings will be subject to an eligibility check. If your child/ young person is eligible your place will be confirmed by the provider.