

Name of service/organisation:

SEN Toy Library

Description:

The special educational needs (SEN) toy library is funded through Kirklees Early Years Service and is a fantastic resource that is available to all settings and families who support children with additional needs. There is a wide range of therapeutic, educational and stimulating toys and equipment available that settings and families can borrow for a small loan fee without the expense of purchasing new toys. Examples of equipment are as follows:

- Koosh Ball - Soft, safe and easy to grasp multi-sensory balls. Good for hand / eye co-ordination and tactile stimulation.
- Ocean Drum - Makes the soothing sound of waves hitting the shore. Promotes listening skills and stimulates sight as stones roll around the drum. Comes with a chunky beater which is easy to grasp.
- Vibrating Light - Sensitive to light touch and plays music, lights up and vibrates. Provides visual, tactile and auditory stimulation. Suction feet can keep it sturdy on a table or wall.

Resources can be borrowed by settings and parents and prices start from 25p per 2 week loan period. Please see the opening hours below.

Client group intended for: Families of children with additional needs, and settings who support them, eg. Nursery, after school club or childminder.

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Dewsbury: Pre-school Learning Alliance, County Workshops, Wood Street, Dewsbury, WF13 1QU

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