

Community Mentoring Service

Mentoring is a fantastic opportunity for parents and their families to receive personal support and guidance to achieve their personal goals and improve their well-being.

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“Reaching Up”

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Do you work with parents with children 0 to 19?
Do you know a parent or a family who might benefit from having a Community Mentor work with them to improve their quality of life?

Mentors can help parents with relationship and communication difficulties, help build self-confidence and gain information and advice that could as a result help their integration in the community.

If you think our service could be of assistance to your work with parents and their families, *please get in touch.*

Contact the Project Manager,
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Success for All!

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Community Mentoring for Families

Information for
Prospective Referrers



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Information for Prospective Referrers

- The “Reaching Up” , Community Mentoring Project seeks to address the needs of parents and their families of all backgrounds especially from Black / Mixed heritage and other Minority Ethnic background (including Traveller); parents who might benefit from having someone to talk to on a regular basis about concerns, dreams and ambitions.
- We recruit, train and match adult mentors, to listen, support and encourage parents **without judgement**.
- Our project covers St Albans, Broxbourne and Welwyn Hatfield communities.
- Mentors will need to clear Criminal Records Bureau checks before they can start work with us.

What is A Mentor?



“A mentor is a guide; an advisor, someone on our side; loyal, interested, trusted and most importantly, experienced in areas that you may not be.”

http://www.nfp-resourcing.co.uk/downloads/advice/What_is_a_Mentor.pdf

How does it work?

“Mentoring is a non-judgemental relationship in which an individual voluntarily gives time to support and encourage another. This relationship is typically developed at a time of transition in the mentee’s life, and lasts for a significant and sustained period of time” (Home Office)

The mentor and the parent will arrange regular meetings at the previously agreed venue lasting between 20 and 45 minutes, typically on a weekly basis for as long as the parent feels comfortable. Minimum of 8 sessions is preferred.

Mentoring is an entirely voluntary relationship

ABOUT US

Up until January 2011, Kaleidoscope Enterprise Ltd. was known as **Welwyn Hatfield Ethnic Minority (WHEM) Group**

Our mission is to enable children, young people, older people, community groups and businesses to access **equality of opportunity** and **receive social justice**

by offering:
support, information, education, advocacy and research.

This is currently delivered through our strategic representation, public and community events, training workshops, mentoring programmes and cultural arts development work.

*One of our projects is
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