



ATLAS Consultation Pack

10/03/2021

Summary

This week we have some great topics to discuss in group! We have some Action Card updates and Easter Party information to share with you! You asked to talk about facemasks and lanyards and how they have affected you within lockdown. There will also be time to work more on our preferred terminology report!

Staff this week:

Rachael, Sabrina, Sarah and Holly

Agenda Points!

- Information and updates
- Facemasks and Lanyards
- Preferred Terminology

Get Involved!

Join us online via Zoom every Wednesday between 5 to 7 pm! Chat opens 30 minutes earlier at 4:30pm for anyone who wants to have a casual chat beforehand.

If you are unable to attend you can still have your voice heard by contacting us by email, through social media or by texting/phoning a member of the ATLAS staff.





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Ground Rules:

- Please do not talk over each other and mute yourself if there is background noise
- If you disappear from the call unexpectedly, one of us will check-in with you as soon as possible
- You can use Zoom chat to private message a staff member if you need to



Agenda

- Check-in
- Information and Updates
- Face masks and Lanyards
- Preferred Terminology



Information and Updates

- Easter party!
- Who would like to attend the ATLAS easter party?
- We will be making easter bonnets and eating easter eggs!
- If you would like to take part then please let us know and we can get an easter bonnet pack sent to you.





Information and Updates

Action Card Updates!

We have a lot of updates on Action Cards to cover! So we are going to split them by theme and cover them over several sessions.

This week's theme is:

Communication!



Information and Updates

Action Card 108!

You said: Children, young people, parents and carers would like more information on Additional Needs and Disabilities and Mental Health support when going through post 16 transition. What support is available?



Information and Updates

Action Card 108!

Update: We discussed this action card with the Next Steps and Preparing for Adulthood programmes. They said:

- They are going to look into whether young people can have a person allocated to them who is a main point of contact for information and support throughout the whole transition process.
- They are looking more into the support that 6th forms and colleges provide: is it consistent across Surrey? What are the gaps?
- They want to know if a circle of support would be useful to young people? i.e. training can be provided to increase confidence and knowledge for both the young person and their support network. This could also to link into a buddy system at college/6th form.



Information and Updates

Action Card 110!

You said: There is not enough information that is accessible for young people, parents and carers on study, accommodation and transport support.



Information and Updates

Action Card 110!

Update: We spoke to the Next Steps Programme about your feedback, they said:

- When you receive your letter on college placements, there will be information on how to apply for SEND transport provision. The deadline for this year is March 31st.
- Surrey Choices offer an independent travel training scheme and 1:1 travel support.
- The Transition Team can provide support to those that are eligible. They are going to look more into residential/accommodation provision and get back to us.
- Sabrina will be producing a webinar series with Next Steps about additional needs and disability transport support that exists in Surrey over the coming months!



Autism strategy survey

The Draft of the Surrey All-Age Autism Strategy is now live on Surrey Says!

There is a survey on [Surrey Says](#) for comments and feedback about the strategy. You will need to read the strategy before answering the survey.

We will post the link in the group chat for you all to take a look.





Information and Updates

- Break out rooms
- This session we are going to split into breakout rooms for our consultation work.
- We will go into breakout rooms after our break time!
- If you have any questions please ask.

**Breakout
Session**



Break Time!





Facemasks and Lanyards

You wanted to have a discussion around facemasks and lanyards, specifically the impacts and outcomes around additional needs and disabilities.

How have facemasks affected you?





Reflection

- **Do you feel like your voice has been heard?**
- **Is there anything else you would like to add or ask?**
- **Do you need any help this week?**





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THANK YOU!

"SEE" YOU NEXT WEEK!



Meet the staff!



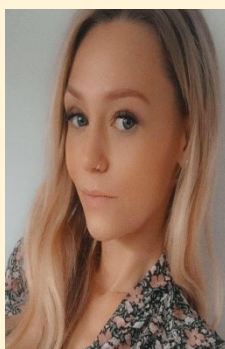
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