

# Local Deaf Children's Society groups annual meeting

Timings are approximate to allow flexibility and a flow for discussion on the day.



Arrive from 10:00
Morning session: 10:30
Welcome, introductions and setting the scene for the day. Enjoy a light hearted exercise to get to know each other in a fun way. Explore and discuss areas of achievements, struggles and share queries.
Mid-morning/afternoon session: 11:20 <i>Don't worry, there'll be a comfort break in-between! :-)</i>
Take part in a workshop with our Safeguarding Assurance Manager to raise the profile of safeguarding within your group, and apply practical skills and resources.
Lunch (45 minutes)
Afternoon session: 13:30
Meet other teams here at NDCS and how they can support your group, including our newly formed Local Engagement team, Roadshow Team, and Children & Family Support Officers
Break (10 minutes)
Final session: 15:10
An opportunity to reflect on your achievements as a Deaf Children's Society but also as an individual volunteer committee member. Explore ways we can engage with the wider network of DCS committee members. Discuss the purpose, need and improvements of events like today and a chance to ask any questions.
Goodbye 16:30