

PAVES

Paid and Voluntary Employment Service

Bolsover, Chesterfield and
North East Derbyshire



PAVES helps people with a learning disability find jobs, work placements and training opportunities.

It is not a time limited service.

What we do:

We are working with partner organisations to develop paid and voluntary employment for people with a learning disability.

We do this by:

- Providing ongoing support to volunteers as well as parents, carers and families
- Making sure placements are risk assessed to help protect the health and safety of volunteers
- Promoting and developing employment opportunities by networking and working with other agencies
- Encouraging participation from both volunteers and those offering placements
- Monitoring and supporting placements.

We can assist you with:

- All employment related issues
- Jobcentre Plus appointments etc.
- Department of Work and Pensions forms and letters
- Benefits Agency related issues
- Medical assessments.





At PAVES we treat everyone as individuals and strive to find suitable placements.

We make sure we consider each person's interests, skills and choices when looking at potential placements.

We aim to find suitable training opportunities to help people to volunteer in their chosen activity or area of work.

You don't need to pay or make a contribution from an Adult Care personal budget to use PAVES.

However, if you are not already an Adult Care client you may need to have an assessment to see if you are eligible to use the service.

Please get in touch to discuss this.

You can contact PAVES for help and advice on all employment issues.

If we are not able to help we will signpost you to another agency.

If you or someone you know may be interested in voluntary work, please contact:

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Day Service Worker and Volunteer Co-ordinator

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