

Supporting Communication and Language in Children who have Down's Syndrome

Saturday October 1 9:30am-12:30pm

**For parents/carers and others working with babies, children and
young people who have Down's syndrome**

Delivered by: Alison Calow and Helen Adkins
Chatterbox Speech and Language Therapists

Covering:

- What is Communication? The means, reasons and opportunities and how this applies to our children.
- What specific difficulties do people with Down's syndrome have?
- The Learning style of children with Down's syndrome, and how we can exploit this to help our children fulfil their potential
- Speech and Language Therapy for children with Down's syndrome – how it works at the different ages and stages.

Venue: Kids Allowed, Joshua House, Christie Fields, Manchester, M21 7QY
<http://www.kidsallowed.com/centres/christie-fields/>

Cost: SMDSSG members: £15 each, £20 per couple
Parent/carer non-members: £20
Professionals: £30
Low income £5

A crèche is available - we need numbers by Friday September 10 please

Refreshments will be available on arrival and at break.

Bookings: To book a place, please complete a booking form and return to South Manchester Down's Syndrome Support Group (SMDSSG), Unit 17, 41 Old Birley Street, Manchester M15 5RF, or email to contact@dsmanchester.org.uk. Please ensure booking forms **reach us no later than September 14** and only assume you have a place upon receipt of a confirmation. We cannot accept responsibility for postal delays.

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