

An Autism Friendly Christmas

We'd like to share some links to help families prepare for the Festive period. This time of year can, with all its changes, be unsettling for students with additional needs.

Information and Support

Resources to help planning and participating in events over Christmas:

<https://network.autism.org.uk/knowledge/insight-opinion/preparing-christmas-autism-resources>

<https://www.autism.org.uk/about/family-life/holidays-trips/christmas.aspx>

Events

There are many relaxed performances over the festive period to help families (including siblings) to access events:

Relaxed Events

<https://homemcr.org/accessibility/relaxed-events/>

The Lowry- Dr Doolittle Relaxed performance at 7.30pm on Fri 4th Jan

<https://thelowry.com/whats-on/doctor-dolittle/>

The Lowry- Stick Man Weds 12th Dec 1.30pm.

<https://thelowry.com/whats-on/stick-man/>

Relaxed performance of Father Christmas at Sale Waterside is at 11 am on Friday 21st December

<https://watersidearts.org/whats-on/2354-raymond-briggs-father-christmas/>

Autism friendly Cinema listings:

<https://www.dimensions-uk.org/get-involved/campaigns/autism-friendly-cinema-screenings/>