

Speech and Language Therapy

Parent/Carer Session

Introduction to Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC)

Does your child/young person have difficulties meeting their communication needs with speech alone? Maybe your child/young person is using an AAC system at school/college and you would like to learn more about supporting AAC use at home and in the community? Maybe you would like to know more about alternative communication methods that may help your child/young person?

We are pleased to be offering a face to face Parent Carer Workshop at Chadsgrove School about how you can get started with AAC, including practical and functional advice that you can incorporate into your daily routines.

- The session will cover:**
- Why we might use AAC
 - How to get started with AAC
 - How to support your child/YP's AAC journey
 - Adapting AAC based on your child/YP's physical skills and support needs
 - Trying out different AAC methods and equipment

Date:	Time:	Venue:	Delivered by:
Tuesday 25 th March 2025	13:30-15:00	Chadsgrove School	Claire McEntee, Speech and Language Therapist Chloe Jameson, Speech and Language Therapist
Thursday 12 th June 2025	13:30-15:00	Chadsgrove School	Claire McEntee, Speech and Language Therapist Sonia Turner, Speech and Language Therapist

To book a place please contact Claire McEntee, Speech and Language Therapist claire.mcentee1@nhs.net