Jumping the Inclusion Gap Campaign: Could you please send this to your network, and could you ask your members to forward the parent message too?

Could you help us make sure all children can access activities they love?

We are supporting Nicole Bateman's **Jumping the Inclusion Gap** campaign and UK Parliament petition calling for a dedicated SEND access fund within the Government's Every Child Can enrichment programme.

Some children may need 1:1 or 1:2 adult support or reasonable adjustments to access an activity safely and meaningfully but you as providers shouldn't have to absorb the additional cost or have to turn the child away.

https://petition.parliament.uk/petitions/777808

Please sign petition 777808 and, importantly, **send the parent message below to the families in your own community too**. We're trying to take this beyond the activity sector and into the homes of the families this really matters to. Please remember to confirm your signature through the email Parliament sends you (which often ends up in junk mail). Thank you so much.

Provider → parent WhatsApp

Could you add your name to something we're supporting so every child can access activities?

The **Jumping the Inclusion Gap** petition is asking Government to fund the additional support some children with SEND need to access activities they love, including 1:1/1:2 support and reasonable adjustments. Please consider signing petition 777808 and sharing it with another family too because '**Every Child Can; should mean every child actually can.**

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Newsletter blurb

Help us Jump the Inclusion Gap so every child can access activities they love

We are supporting a Parliamentary petition calling for a dedicated SEND access fund within the Government's Every Child Can enrichment programme.

Many activity providers want to include children well, but when a child needs additional 1:1/1:2 support, providers can be left absorbing the cost, asking a parent to stay, or being unable to safely offer the place. https://petition.parliament.uk/petitions/777808

Jumping the Inclusion Gap is asking Government to fund the support that makes access possible, so neurodivergent children and those with disabilities can access the activities they

love throughout the year. Please sign **Petition 777808** and share it with another family, provider or organisation. **Every Child Can should mean every child actually can.**

Here is Canva https://canva.link/o303og54sn01mab that you can add a picture of you (would love some of you jumping!), do personalise if you would prefer (there's some logo's and bits on second slide you can use) but make sure you save a copy before editing. Do ask @thefriendlysendadvisor to collaborate on the post too.

Quote request for campaign supporters

I would love a short quote from you about why you are backing **Jumping the Inclusion Gap Campaign**. Your quote may be used in campaign graphics, press materials, social media posts, newsletters or on the campaign page.

Please answer one or more of these:

1. Why are you backing Jumping the Inclusion Gap?
2. What do you want the Government to understand about SEND access to children's activities?
3. Why does funded 1:1 or additional adult support matter?
4. What do you see activity providers trying to do already?
5. What needs to change so every child really can access enrichment activities?

Suggested quote structure

'[Organisation name] is backing Jumping the Inclusion Gap because…'

or

'We want the Government to understand that…'

or

'Activity providers want to include children, but…'

Example quote

'We are backing Jumping the Inclusion Gap because children should not miss out on activities they love because the support they need is not funded. Many providers are doing everything they can to be inclusive, but goodwill alone cannot pay for 1:1 support, additional staffing or specialist access needs. Every Child Can should mean every child can.'

Please send to hello@nicolebateman.co.uk

- your quote
- your name and role, organisation name
- logo
- a photo of you, your team, or your provision if you are happy for us to use it
- confirmation that we can use these in campaign materials