



Impact Report 2024-2025

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Welcome!

This year has been one of remarkable growth, resilience, and impact for Me2 Club, as we continued our unwavering commitment to supporting children with additional needs and disabilities. At the heart of our work is a simple but powerful belief: every child deserves the chance to belong, to be heard, and to thrive.

We're incredibly proud to have supported more children and young people than ever before across our services, helping them to participate, connect, and feel included in the activities and opportunities many take for granted.

Whether through sport, uniform groups or creative arts, we've worked tirelessly to break down barriers and enable inclusion in mainstream activities, ensuring no child is left behind.



We've also continued to meet our strategic objectives, expanded the reach of our participation programmes, and started facilitating Reading's SEND Youth Forum, Special United, giving young people a voice and the power to shape the services that support them. These achievements are not just milestones, they're moments of real, lasting change for the children and families we serve.

As we look back on this incredible year, we do so with gratitude for everyone who made it possible and with renewed determination to keep building a world where every child can shine.

Our Year in Numbers



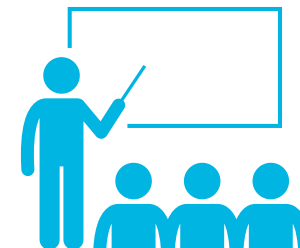
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Children and Young People
supported through all our services



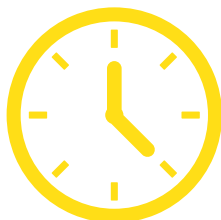
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Individual families
attended our parties



62

Core Service
Volunteers trained



4,466

Volunteering hours across
our services



170

Volunteers supported
this year across our services



3,668

Core service hours of respite
for parents and families

What we do

Our mission

Our mission is to address the challenges of isolation and exclusion experienced by children and young people with additional needs and disabilities.

Our vision

To champion the right for inclusion for all children and young people with additional needs and disabilities across Berkshire, through our partnerships with families, volunteers, activity leaders and other voluntary and statutory sector organisations.

"It's very easy to take the Me2 Club for granted. Now my daughter has accessed the Me2 for nearly 10 years it's hard to remember life before. Going to Guides with a Me2 helper has allowed M to attend a mainstream activity that if she hasn't had the support she wouldn't have been able to. It may be the only activity she attends with neuro typical people for the rest of her life! I feel it's an education for my daughter, at times trying to keep up with the group peers and also for the neuro typical children to realise that there are people who really need help and in that interaction everyone feels happy."

Me2 Club Parent



What we offer

Me2 Club is an inclusion charity for children and young people with additional needs and disabilities in the Wokingham and Reading Boroughs. We offer a variety of different activities to increase children and young people's confidence and independence as well as helping them make new friends.

We support children and young people aged 5-19 to take part in mainstream leisure activities by recruiting and training volunteers to 'buddy' 1:1 with them (2:1 when required) so they can join in and have fun. With our help they can access a wide range of activities including sports clubs, uniformed groups and drama classes. We do not require a formal diagnosis to offer support.

We also run a youth participation programme for young people which includes TeenW&Rd monthly teen group, "Say YES" and "Special United" SEND youth forums, and our Young Mental Health Champions.

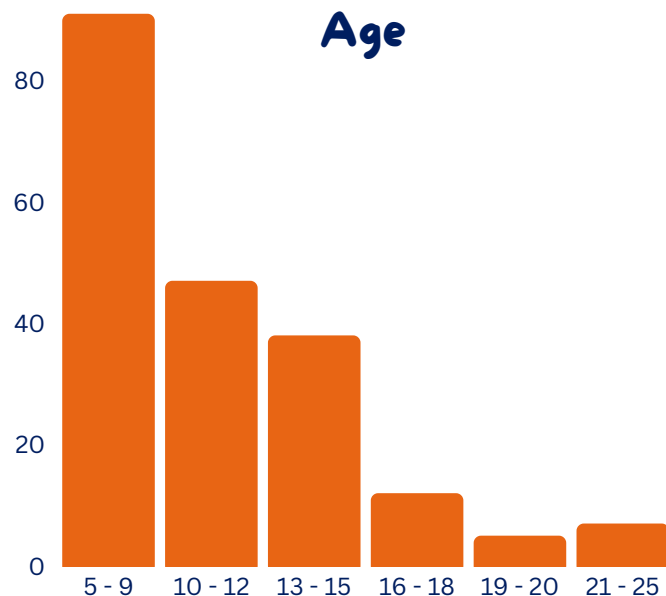
Who we help

Our Core Service and Participation groups supported 198 children and young people over the past year. Some of the children and young people accessed more than one of these services with 124 being part of the core service and 74 accessing the participation groups.

We are proud to support children, families and volunteers from a wide variety of backgrounds. The majority of the children accessing our support were aged between 5 and 12, a key stage in life when mainstream activities offer valuable opportunities to socialise, build confidence, and develop new skills. We supported more young people between 13-20 due to our increased participation offer.

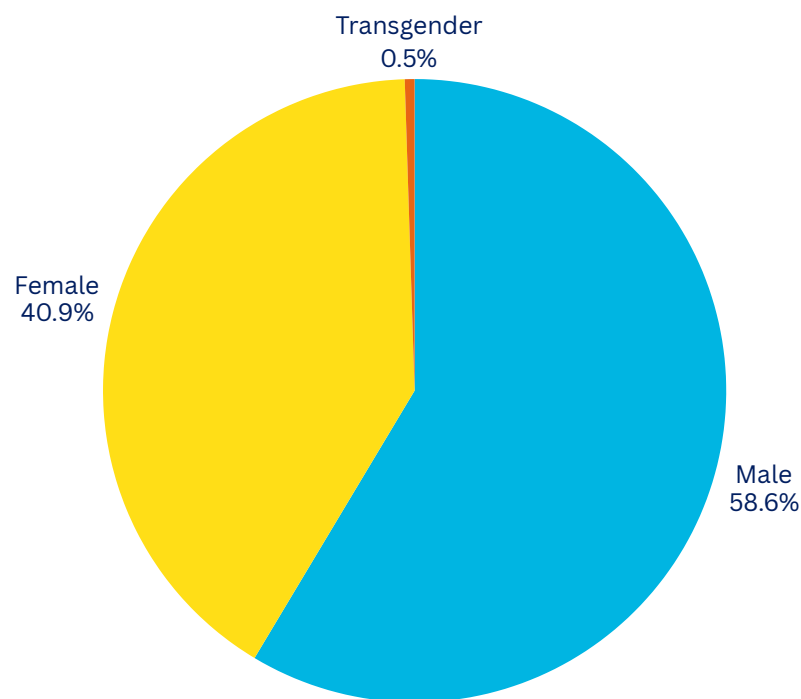
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Age



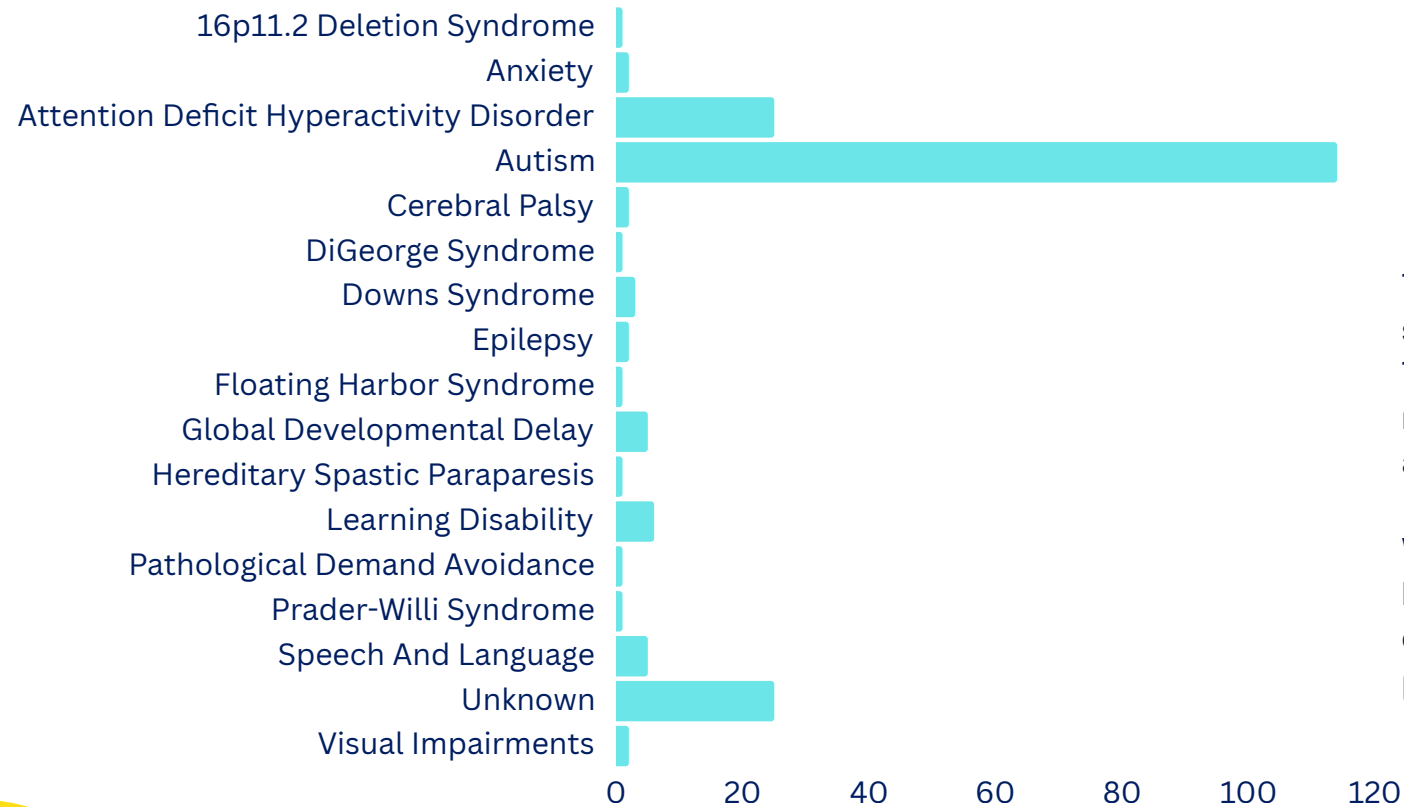
We saw a slight increase from 39.5 to 41% of females being supported this year.

Gender



Who we help

Additional Needs & Disabilities

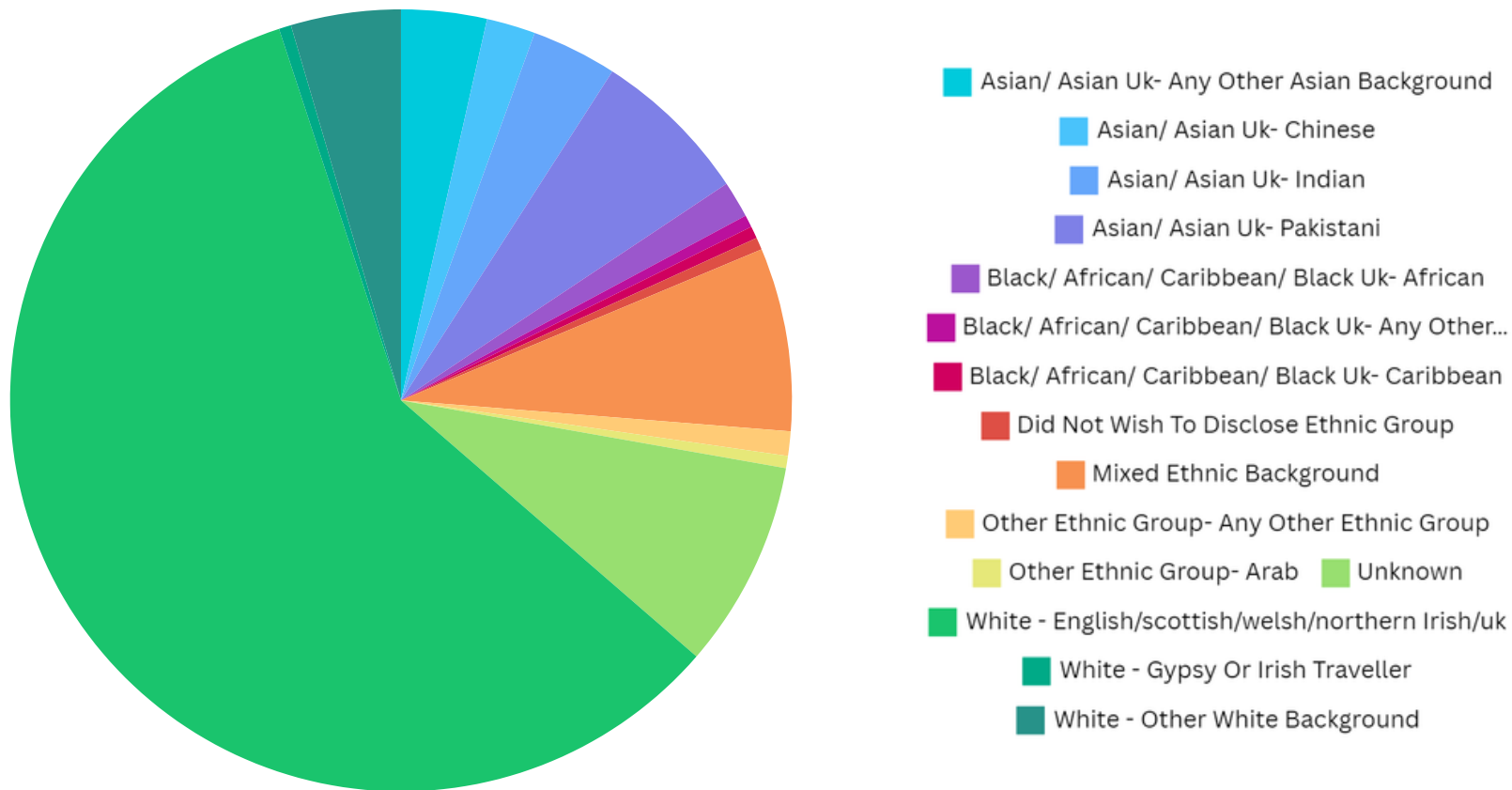


The majority of the children and young people we support across all of our services are neurodivergent. The chart shows the children's main additional need but many of the children have multiple other needs in addition to the need shown here.

We do not require a diagnosis for our support as we know how difficult it can be to gain a diagnosis and we do not want this to be a barrier for children and young people to access our services.

Who we help Ethnicities

This year we continued to welcome children and young people from a wide variety of backgrounds into all our services. The majority of these are from white backgrounds, which correlates with the local populations of Wokingham and Reading. We are pleased to have reached so many other communities and hope to expand our reach in under-represented communities in the coming financial year. The majority (64%) of children accessing our services live in Wokingham but this year has seen an increase in children and young people being supported from Reading from 22% to 35%.



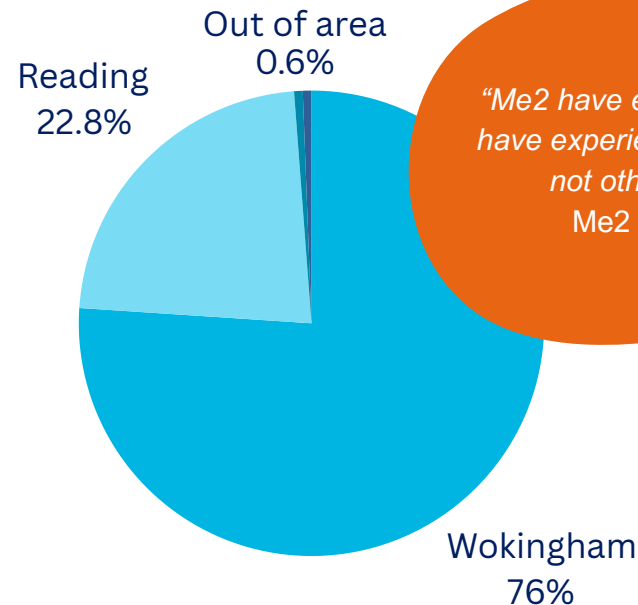
Core Service Impact

Our core service is designed to open up opportunities for children to take part in activities they might otherwise miss out on. Beyond participation, we focus on building each child's confidence, encouraging greater independence, and helping to reduce feelings of social isolation. For some children, the long-term goal is to gain enough confidence and skills to attend these activities without volunteer support. We're proud to share that this year, 7 children reached that milestone and are now taking part independently.

Every family we supported this year said they would recommend Me2 Club to others, a powerful reflection of the impact we're making. Many shared heartfelt feedback about the difference the service has made, with several highlighting that, without Me2 Club, their child simply wouldn't have the opportunity to take part in mainstream activities.



"You changed our lives thank you!"
Me2 Club Parent



"Me2 have enabled my child to have experiences that he could not otherwise have."
Me2 Club Parent

Our Core Service supports children with additional needs at activities around Wokingham and Reading. This service enables children to attend uniform groups, swimming lessons, drama classes, sports clubs and martial arts. Each child is matched

with a carefully selected, trained volunteer who attend with them each week to provide the individual support each child needs.

This year we have supported 124 children and young people with 87 from Wokingham and 37 from Reading.



100% of families would recommend Me2 Club

Core Service Impact on Confidence



With the dedicated support of our volunteers, children are empowered to believe in themselves and explore what they're capable of achieving. This positive impact is echoed in the feedback we received from both volunteers and parents.

An incredible 95.3% of parents and carers observed a boost in their child's confidence, with 77% rating that change as a 4 or 5, highlighting a meaningful and lasting difference in how their children see themselves and engage with the world around them.



100% reported that their child has fun since starting their activity.

"Having a Me2 volunteer has allowed my child to attend the local Guides group with confidence, something they were unable to do before"

Me2 Club Parent



"Just giving me hope they can develop a life independent of us in the future and hopefully made lifelong friends from among the other kids who participate. in that respect the Me2 Club lifts a weight of worry off my shoulders and allows me to live in hope that the kids will be able to live a connected, full life whatever they decide to do. It gives them a firm foundation within which to flourish and gain in confidence and self esteem"

Me2 Club Parent



Core Service Impact on Independence



When families first join our service, many parents and carers attend activities alongside their children, as it's often the only way they can take part. With the support of a Me2 Club volunteer, children begin to attend more independently, taking part without a parent present. Over time, many children grow in confidence and need less support from their volunteer.

Parents frequently tell us that this growing independence doesn't just benefit their child at Me2 Club activities, it often encourages them to try new clubs and experiences beyond our service. This year, 95.5% of parent carers reported an increase in their child's independence, showing a significant step forward in their personal development.



96% of
Parents said
their child's
independence
increased



"A's engagement with the group, and his peers, has improved massively. He's becoming more independent in activities, and is able to focus more. The support and ideas we get are also helping him at home."
Me2 Club parent

This experience has given me a sense of hope and assurance that the child can thrive in different environments with the right support."
Me2 Club Parent

Core Service Impact on Social Isolation



Children with additional needs and disabilities often face social isolation, as joining in with leisure activities can be challenging due to barriers like accessibility, lack of understanding, or difficulties with social interaction.

With the consistent support of a trusted volunteer, children are able to take part more regularly, feel more at ease, and begin to build meaningful connections. Our service helps create inclusive opportunities where children can make local friends, engage with a wider peer group, and enjoy activities they might not otherwise be able to access.

“Me2 allows A to build relationships with other children outside of the school classroom. Without it, the sorts of confidence building experiences that other children take for granted would simply not be available to him. It's also the wealth of experience in the organisation as well, that allows us to support A in other areas of his life. Seeing what he's capable of when he has more independence has helped us work with his teachers at school.”

Me2 Club Parent

“This is the only mainstream activity L is able to join and she has been enjoying it. This provides her with great opportunities to learn and interact with other neurotypical children”

Me2 Club parent



75% of parents and carers reported that their child increased in sociability and connectedness. For many of the children we support, who often experience significant social isolation before joining Me2 Club, this represents a powerful and positive shift in their ability to build relationships and feel part of a community.

Hear from our Children

Hearing directly from the children about their experiences with Me2 Club is incredibly important to us. We invited feedback from those who had been matched with their volunteer for over a term, and we were delighted by the positive responses they shared about both the charity and their volunteers.

77% rated their enjoyment of their activity with their volunteer as 5/5

100%
of children said they
felt happy attending
their activity



The top 5 things children enjoyed about their activity were:

- It makes me happy
- I enjoy the activity
- I like seeing my volunteer
- I get to do something without my parents
- I learn new things



*"I don't feel included when my
volunteer isn't there"*
Me2 Club Child

100%
of children felt
having a volunteer
helps them



Volunteer Experience

"When our son was first supported by a Me2 volunteer at Cubs/ Scouts we found the respite of an hour or so hugely beneficial. Over the years we have met lots of other parents and become good friends with many of them. Me2 Club feels like an extended family"
Me2 Club Parent



We're proud that 100% of our exiting core service volunteers rated their experience as 'good' or 'excellent.' Just as importantly, all of them used their volunteering experience to support applications for employment or further study. We're thrilled that being part of Me2 Club has helped them take meaningful steps towards their career or education goals.

This year, our incredible volunteers gave a total of 4466 hours of their time across all areas of Me2 Club, from our core service and participation activities to fundraising events and trustee roles. Of that, 3,668 hours were dedicated specifically to supporting children at their weekly mainstream activities, providing vital respite to families.

In total, 170 volunteers contributed to our work, including 154 who were directly involved in our core service. Their support enabled children to access and enjoy a wide range of activities that might otherwise be out of reach.

"I've really enjoyed the volunteering experience with Me2 so far, it's been very rewarding and fulfilling seeing H get better at gymnastics and other skills"
Me2 Club Volunteer



Volunteer Induction Training

"The topics covered at Volunteer Induction Training were really useful and informative. It taught me a lot about additional needs and I got to see what someone with additional needs might experience through clear and detailed explanations by the AVCs and also by videos examples"
Me2 Club Volunteer



Last financial year, we welcomed and trained 62 new volunteers across six training sessions held in April, June, August, twice in November, and February. Each session is carefully designed to equip our volunteers with the skills and confidence they need to support children and young people with additional needs and disabilities.

Our comprehensive training programme includes sections on understanding additional needs, effective communication, behaviour support, safeguarding, manual handling, and clearly defining volunteers' roles and responsibilities.

We continually review and enhance our training to ensure it meets the evolving needs of the children we support and the volunteers who play such a vital role in their lives. We are incredibly proud that so many of our volunteers describe the training as both empowering and impactful:

- 99% of volunteers trained increased their knowledge of additional needs after attending Volunteer Induction Training increasing their ratings of their knowledge from an average 5.2/10 to 8.9/10.
- 85% felt more ready to be matched after completing training, improving their ratings of confidence in being matched from an average 6.5/10 to 8.5/10 after training
- 99% of volunteers rated their experience of training as 'Good', 'Very Good' or 'Excellent'
- 100% of volunteers felt that the training met the objectives

"Me2 Club Volunteer Induction Training has been really good introduction into the work carried out by the Me2 team. A host of information provided for how to deal with different scenarios, behaviours etc."

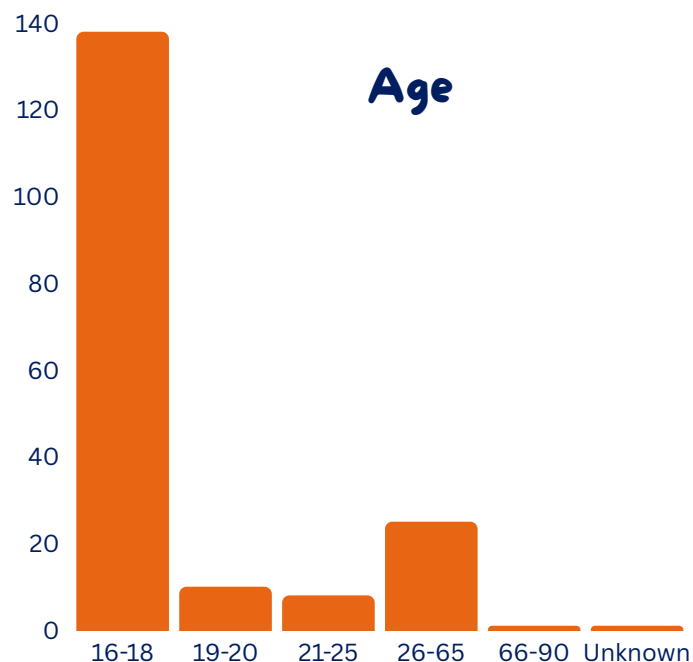
Me2 Club Volunteer



Our Volunteer Demographics

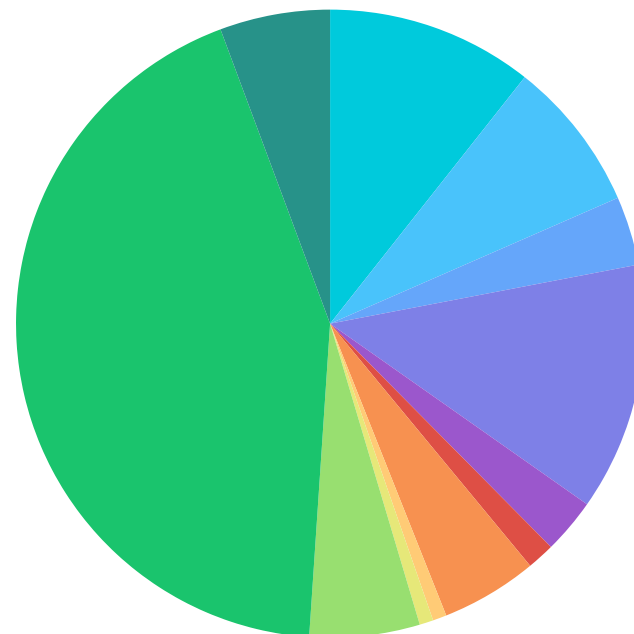
The majority of our volunteers are aged 16–18, which is often a great match for the children we support, many of whom benefit from having a peer-like volunteer by their side. Our young volunteers bring energy, empathy, and relatability, helping children feel more comfortable and confident when taking part in activities.

Because the children and young people we support have a wide range of needs, it's vital that our volunteer team reflects diversity in age, experience, and background. This helps us carefully match each child with a volunteer who suits their individual personality and support requirements.



We're also proud to report increased gender diversity this year. While the majority of our volunteers continue to be female (109 out of 154), we welcomed a growing number of male volunteers, rising from 30 to 45. Many of these new male volunteers are aged 16–18 and have made a meaningful impact, particularly with children who feel more comfortable being supported by a male role model during activities like swimming or sports clubs.

Ethnicities



Our 2024 Volunteer Awards



JUHANA



ROSE



CATHY

As part of our Me2 Club 20th Anniversary Summer Party, we were delighted to host our annual Volunteer Awards, recognising the incredible impact our volunteers have on the charity. With so many inspiring nominations, selecting just a few winners was no easy task. This year, we proudly celebrated the following individuals for their outstanding contributions:

- Me2 Club Progress Award - Juhana Nihil
- Me2 Club Extra Mile Award - Charlotte Cooper
- Me2 Club Impactful Relationship Award – Cathy Martin
- Me2 Club Fundraiser Award – Lucy Rowell

In addition to these awards we also have a special volunteer award in memory and recognition of Alexandra Briess, a volunteer who sadly passed away in May 2021. The award celebrates all the qualities that made Alex such a special person and has been developed with Alex's family. This year's winner is Rose Hawker!

We would like to congratulate all our winners and thank them for their dedication, support, and commitment.

Meet James and Michael

James was initially matched with a Me2 Club volunteer in 2017 when he was 8 years old. He was attending Cubs and found it difficult to join in with the group due to anxiety and struggling to understand some of the instructions. Over the years he has been supported by three different volunteers and has built positive relationships with each of them.

In 2021, James was matched with Michael at his Scouts group. Michael continued supporting him as he progressed to Explorers, and over the past four years, the two have built a fantastic bond. With Michael by his side, James's confidence has grown enormously. He's built friendships in the group and now joins in with all the activities, reassured by the knowledge that Michael is there if he needs support. James feels that the support Michael offers has helped him to 'consistently engage with Scouts'.

James has made incredible progress and is now a Young Leader at Explorers, where he helps run activities for the rest of the group. He's also taken part in Me2 Club's Volunteer Training sessions, sharing his experiences to help new volunteers understand the difference their support can make. His growing confidence has even led him to travel abroad with his Scout and Explorer groups, visiting Japan, Africa, and Switzerland.



"Michael has supported James in Scouting for years. He has enabled James to participate when otherwise he would have struggled due to his autism and sensory issues. Michael is one of James' biggest supporters, always cheering him on with achievements and new hobbies. He is someone James looks forward to seeing and conversing with and plans out what he wants to talk to him about from the week. Michael has inspired James to enjoy and achieve more"

Hester, James' Mum

Youth Participation

Me2 Club are so excited to be have taken over running the Reading SEND youth forum, Special United, in September 2024!

We now run the Reading and Wokingham SEND youth forums, our young Mental Health Champions and TeenW&Rd.

66 young
people have
been involved
in
participation
this year



Our Wokingham SEND Youth Forum

Our forum is now over 3 years old! The forum gives young people a much needed voice in the development of local services. In the last year, we have helped young people have a say in :

- Preparing for Adulthood policies
- Content of the Local Offer
- Spoken to the Children's Director
- A new neurodiversity profile tool- the Spencer Project
- The Autism Strategy and
- Wokingham's Youth Future Focus Strategy.

Say YES is well established and service managers are actively listening to young people's views.

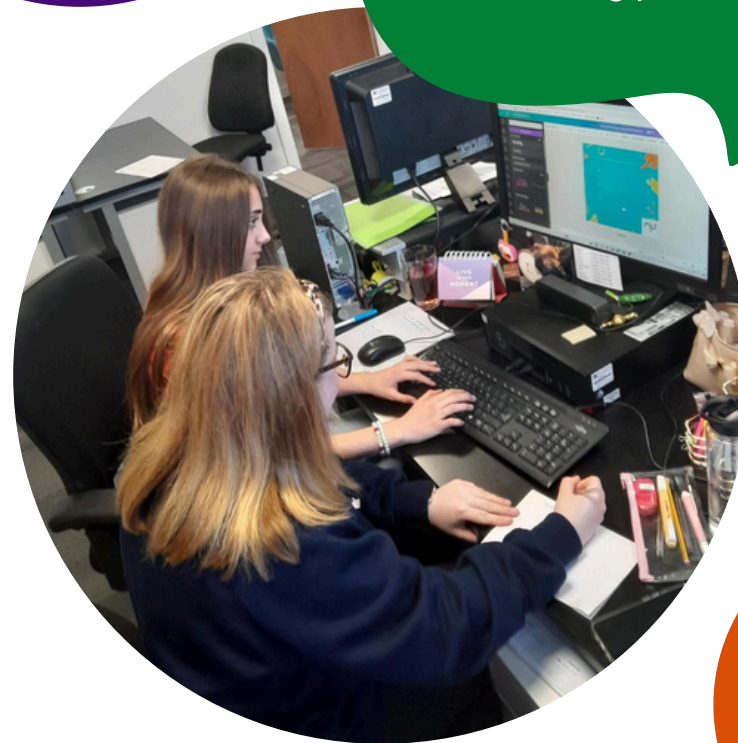


Our Youth
Forum reached
22
young people
this year

*"I can really be myself
at Me2 Club!"*
Young person

*"I love coming to this
group."*
Service Manager 2025

*"The staff are excellent. So
positive and genuinely caring
and understanding."*
Me2 Club Parent



Our Reading SEND Youth Forum

Special United has been going for 8 years. Me2 Club took over running the forum, with funding from Brighter Futures for Children, in September 2024. In the remaining 6 months of the financial year, we have helped young people have a say in :

- The PINS pilot project (Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools)
- Content of the Local Offer
- Spoken to the Director of Education
- A new neurodiversity strengths and needs tool
- The redesign of CAMHS services and
- Contributed to the national Case for Change in Neurodiversity.



Our Youth
Forum reached
25
young people
this year

"Everyone is very friendly and welcoming making sure young people feel comfortable"
Me2 Club Parent Carer



"Lovely and friendly staff, make you feel welcome. She always wait for the next session."
Me2 Club Parent Carer

Special United has been coproduced with young people and it is wonderful to see these young people continue with Me2 Club. We are very grateful that the Reading Local Offer support each session.

Young Mental Health Champions - Include Me2

Back in January 2024, Me2 Club were successful in getting funding from the organisations below to enable our young people to become Mental Health Champions. The group has gone really well and we were pleased to get funding for another 9 months, taking us to November 2025! We were also chosen to feature in an SNG video promoting their work!

In the last year, our young people:

- Completed their training with the Reading Mental Health Support Team
- Attended the Parallel Windsor Inclusion Festival, taking artwork they had created.
- Designed a video on the NHS 5 Steps to Wellbeing, which they then starred in!
- Attended the Wokingham Borough Council Children's Scrutiny Committee & Wokingham's SEND Strategy Board
- Advised Reading's Mental Health Support team on accessible leaflets and website information.
- Produced an accessibility guide for written information and commented on the draft hospital Neurodiversity Passport.
- Attended the Reading Borough Council Adult, Children and Education committee.
- Met with our patron Ayo Sokale for a fantastic, inspiring talk on mental health.



"My child is having an opportunity find his tribe at the Include Me2 and Say Yes sessions"
Me2 Club Parent

16 Reading and Wokingham young people took part in youth social action with us in the last year!

TeenW&Rd - our Teen Club



Our teens have met monthly over a takeaway. They choose trips to go on and how they will fundraise for these trips - resolving any disagreements themselves.

In the last year we have done a second Young Driver's experience, had a trip to a local ice cream parlour, held a talent show to raise money for the trips (and baked delicious cakes to sell beforehand), taken part in a charity football match with KPMG, been on a festive steam train trip and ran the Green Park Challenge, which raised over £1000!!

Our over 13s Christmas party was attended by 25 young people (10 of whom were from our other Me2 groups).



"I really think there can't be anything more important for young people with special needs and i am so grateful for its existence"

Me2 Club Parent Carer



27 Reading and Wokingham young people took part in the last year!

Other Opportunities for Our Young People

"A loves attending all Me2 Club groups her confidence has grown since attending, speaking herself without my support and attending groups alone."

Me2 Club Parent Carer

Me2 Club are committed to coproduction (doing with our young people rather than to them) as well as enabling them to develop their confidence and independence. As well as our core service and groups, we are always looking for ways to involve our young people in the running of our charity.

Five young people took part in our annual Takeover Day in April 2024, meeting our CEO, taking over our social media and more!

In May 2024, three of our young people also helped us with interviewing for our new Fundraising Manager.

We also ran the first of what we would like to be an annual survey of young people with additional needs across Reading and Wokingham. 70 young people take part from a diverse range of backgrounds and education settings.

Young people also had the opportunity to attend an accessible session at the Winter Wonderland in Hyde Park and attend residential weekends with Phab, a charity that we are a member of to give young people a range of exiting opportunities.



Family events

In 2024, Me2 Club hosted three inclusive family events designed to bring children, young people, and their families together in a safe, welcoming space where everyone feels valued and understood. These events offered opportunities for families to relax, have fun, and connect with others in an environment that celebrates inclusion.

Our Easter Party in April was a joyful afternoon filled with hands-on activities such as planting, biscuit decorating, and card making. The celebration ended with a special visit from the Easter Bunny, who delighted everyone by handing out Easter eggs.

We hosted our Summer Party at TVAP, where children enjoyed the chance to cool off in the splash area and take part in a variety of fun activities.

Our Family Christmas Party brought festive cheer, featuring a special visit from Santa who delivered gifts to all our children, young people, and their siblings, made possible thanks to the incredible generosity of our supporters.

A huge thank you to our wonderful volunteers, supporters, and trustees who made the family events possible through their time and dedication.



"We have loved the Me2 parties enjoying time as a family at a inclusive event we have got to know other parents from the groups and became friends."

Me2 Club Parent

In addition to our family events, we enabled 15 families to attend Sporting Bears Dream Rides event. The children, parents and sibling got to ride in a variety of sports, rally and super cars.

Family events



*"Fab as always and a huge
thank you to all the helpers"*
Me2 Club Parent



*"We feel very privileged to have this
opportunity. All of the drivers are so
kind and generous, both with their
time and with sharing the cars, their
pride and joy. It's a very well
organised event."*
Me2 Club Parent



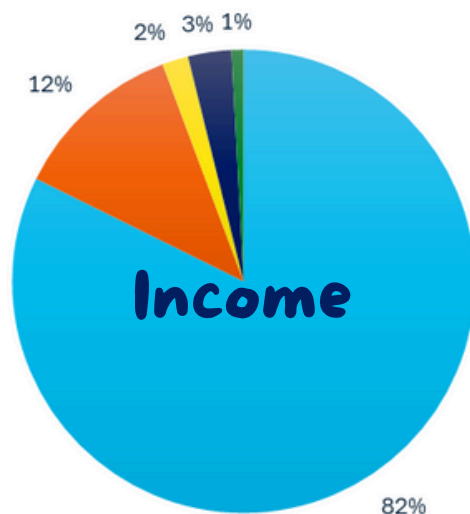
Our Income & Expenditure

We are incredibly grateful for the generous support we've received from Trusts and Foundations, organisations, and individuals, both new and longstanding. Your support plays a vital role in helping us grow and develop our services, ensuring that children and young people with additional needs and disabilities can fully take part and thrive.

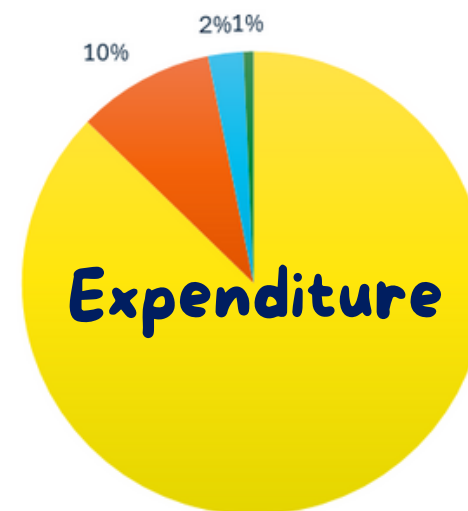
While the past year brought significant fundraising challenges, with rising demand and increased competition for limited funding, we remain hopeful and determined. The financial pressures are real, but so is our commitment to finding sustainable solutions.

The charts below show how funds were raised in 2024–25 and how they were spent to deliver our mission. As we look to the future, we know we need support more than ever. That's why we're actively exploring new funding opportunities and broadening our income streams to secure the long-term impact of our work.

Together, we can ensure every child has the opportunity to be included and supported.



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| Grants and Trusts | £147,018 |
| Community Donations | £21,429 |
| Corporate Funding | £3,265 |
| Town and Parish Councils | £5,403 |
| Statutory | £1,500 |
| Total | £178,615 |



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| Charity Management | £218,523 |
| Fundraising | £23,918 |
| Families and children | £7,284.28 |
| Volunteers | £1,651.00 |
| Total | £251,992 |



How you can help

Every week, we hear from families whose children are waiting for a chance to join in, to attend Scouts, dance classes, swimming, or youth clubs. Activities that help them feel included and connected. Without Me2 Club, many of these children simply wouldn't have access to those experiences.

Fundraising is what makes this possible. It pays for the specialist training of our volunteers, personalised support for families, and the inclusive events that bring everyone together. Your support means we can say yes to more children, more smiles, and more opportunities to belong.

Together, we can build inclusive communities, one child, one volunteer, one activity at a time.



Ways You Can Fundraise and Support Us

Host a fundraiser

Coffee mornings, quizzes, raffles, or parties, fun events that raise vital funds.

Take on a challenge

Run, cycle, skydive, set yourself a goal and get sponsored!

Celebrate with a cause

Set up a birthday fundraiser or ask for donations in lieu of gifts.

Workplace giving

Nominate Me2 Club as your Charity of the Year or match staff donations.

Spread the word

Follow us on social media and share our mission with your network.



The need for our support is growing and so is the urgency to raise vital funds. Whether it's £5 or £500, a sponsored walk or a monthly gift, every act of generosity helps make inclusion possible.

To get involved or talk about how you can help, please contact Lucy at lucy@me2club.org.uk.

We'd love to hear from you.



Ways to Donate to Me2Club



You can donate online via our website, through platforms like JustGiving, or even by playing the Wokingham Community Lottery. If you're thinking about giving monthly, here's how your donation could help:

- **£5 a month** could help us recruit and train new volunteers to support children waiting for a buddy
- **£10 a month** could give a whole family the chance to attend one of our inclusive parties (Easter, Summer, or Christmas)
- **£25 a month** could support a child to attend their weekly club or activity with a 1:1 volunteer for a term
- **£100 a month** could fund a child's assessment, specialist volunteer matching, and termly support visits

To start your gift, visit www.me2club.org.uk or contact lucy@me2club.org.uk

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Give as you Live

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Perfect for one-off gifts, monthly donations, or launching your own fundraiser.

- Set up a regular donation
- Make a quick one-off gift
- Create a fundraising page for your event or challenge

Shop online and raise free donations for Me2 Club—at no extra cost to you!

- Works with 6,000+ stores (including Tesco, M&S, Booking.com)
- Donate while doing your weekly shop or booking a holiday
- Raise money effortlessly while you shop

Turn your everyday spending into donations—similar to Give as You Live.

- Available through 7,500+ retailers
- Ideal for families and businesses doing regular online shopping
- Quick setup, long-term impact

Support local and win big! When you buy a £1 ticket, 50p goes directly to Me2 Club, and you could win up to £25,000!

- Play weekly from just £1
- Chance to win prizes every Saturday



Fundraising events



In May, we attended the Wokingham May Fayre



In May, we also attended Reading Children's Festival



In July, families & supporters did sponsored runs for us at Parallel Windsor



In August, we attended the Reading Pride Festival for the first time.



In October, Me2club hosted a Quiz night.



In November, our team attended Twyford Fireworks event



In February, Dibya ran the Fleet Half Marathon



Thank you to all our supporters

Trusts and Foundations

- Shanly Foundation
- Sir Jules Thorn Trust
- Souter Foundation
- Stevenson Family Charitable Trust
- Gordon Palmer Memorial Trust
- Henry Smith Charity
- Masonic Charitable Foundation
- Persimmon
- Postcode Society
- Barbara Ward Children's Charity
- The Childwick Trust
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- Boshier Hinton Foundation
- St James Place
- BBC Children in Need
- Reading Dispensary Trust
- Joanie's Fund
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- SNG iWill
- Waitrose Foundation
- One Stop Community Partnership
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Corporates

- Aquarius Water Solutions
- Enterprise Foundation
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- Johnson and Johnson
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- Rad Group

Groups

- Earley and Woodley Arts Group
- Wokingham Lions
- Brighter Futures for Children
- Earley Town Council
- Emmbrook School
- Easthampstead Rotary Club
- Twyford Parish Council
- Finchampstead Parish Council
- Sonning Parish Council
- Twyford Scouts
- Winnersh Parish Council
- Wokingham Borough Council
- Wokingham Town Council
- Wokingham Without Council
- Woodley Town Council
- Arborfield and Newlands Parish Council

Thank you to all our supporters; local community groups, local businesses, schools, town councils, Rotaries, Lions clubs & individuals who supported us in 2024/2025.

Our Trustees & Staff Team

This year, we were delighted to welcome our Maternity Cover Activities and Volunteers Coordinators, as well as our new Fundraising Manager to our passionate and committed team

Staff:

- Chin Davies - Chief Executive Officer
- Vicky Fisher - Senior Activities & Volunteers Coordinator
- Ramona Bridgman - Participation Coordinator
- Nikki Fisher, Louise Butler, Charlotte Randall, Patrick Prichett & Erin O'Connell- Activities & Volunteers Coordinators
- Sabrina Marsh - Core Service Support Officer
- Hannah Norris – Fundraising Manager
- Lucy Milsom – Community Fundraiser



Trustees:

- Sonia Aulak - Chair of Trustees
- Matt Johnson - Treasurer
- Kate Sims - Secretary
- Giles Cross & Amanda Coale – Trustees

We would also like to extend our heartfelt thanks to our incredible Board of Trustees, who generously give their time and expertise to ensure Me2 Club continues to make a meaningful difference in the lives of children and families.

This year also marked the farewell of Simon Crawford, our dedicated Treasurer of over ten years. We are deeply grateful for his steadfast financial guidance and his warm presence at our family events, he will be greatly missed.

Looking ahead, 2025–2026 will be a year of meaningful progress. As a children's inclusion charity, we remain committed to supporting children with additional needs and disabilities. We're excited to extend our impact, strengthen opportunities for young people, and shape the next chapter of our strategic vision. Thank you for taking the time to explore our journey, your interest and support make all the difference.





"Just a huge thank you. I didn't realise just how much of an impact it would have on us."

"The Me2 Club team are fantastic, always putting the young people at the forefront of everything they do."

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"Everyone who works at Me2 Club is amazing. The support, the activities, the range of clubs, organising volunteers, communication...I could go on!"

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