



1st London Colney Cub Pack
Disability Awareness Activity Badge



Name: _____

How to earn your badge

Choose one thing to do from each of the four lists.

1. Disability awareness

- Explain what a disability is. What are the different types of disability? _____

- Research a famous person with a disability. Make a poster or write about their life and achievements. _____

- Visit a local community building like a library, town hall or cinema. How accessible is it for someone with a disability? Write down what you find out. _____

- Show how you could help someone with a disability to make the Cub Promise. Think of a different example to the ones in steps 2, 3 or 4.

Physical disability: _____

Deaf awareness: _____

Sight awareness: _____

2. Physical disability awareness

- Find out about two different aids that can assist a disabled person. How do they help? You could find out about things like wheelchairs, computers, rising chairs or adapted cars.

- Find out about three ways to make it easier for a wheelchair user to use public places, like shops, parks, hospitals or libraries. How could your meeting place be made better for a wheelchair user?

- Make a sandwich using only one hand or draw a picture using only your feet to hold the pen.

3. Deaf awareness

- Learn the alphabet using fingerspelling. Show you understand a word communicated to you using fingerspelling.

- Learn a song in Makaton or British Sign Language.

- Explain what equipment a deaf person might use in the home. You might look at special features on things like fire alarms, telephones or TVs.

- Show how you would approach a deaf person and speak to them so they can lip-read.

4. Sight awareness

- Describe two different ways a blind or visually impaired person can read. You could talk about how they would use computers, Braille or Moon.

- Explain what guide dogs for blind people do. How are they trained?

- Learn and read your name in Braille.

- Show how to approach a blind or visually impaired person. How would you identify yourself?
