Newsletter

I would like to introduce you to the new team at Cornwall Sendiass.

My name is Denise Facey and I am the new Sendiass lead. I have worked for Sendiass as an advisor for six years and before that I worked in the States for six years in special schools around Maryland and Florida. I have an Honours degree in Childhood and Youth studies and my priority for Sendiass is to make sure we are fully accessible to all parents, children and young people.

Hello, I am Anna Williamson I am a new SENDiass Adviser. I have previously worked for Parent4Parent part of Parent Carers Cornwall and remain a Director with them. I worked on the Independent Support contract supporting parents with the changes around the Education Health and Care plan processes. Prior to that I have spent a lot of my life supporting adults who have a learning difficulty both in their own homes but also offering respite at our family home. I studied an Honours degree in Community and youth studies and spent 10 years working for Connexions, here I supported students in mainstream schools who required additional support with accessing information and transitions. I am passionate about supporting parents and enabling families to access information and support and ensuring children and young people with SEND are given equal opportunities.

Hello, I am Sue and I have worked on Sendiass since September. I previously worked on Sendiass for a year at Disability Cornwall and before that I was an Independent supporter helping parents and young people apply and transfer over to EHCP's. I have worked in advice and guidance roles for the last 20 years and I have a diploma in Youth work and so I have lots of skills to work with children and young people effectively. I am looking forward to working on the development plan for Sendiass which includes a new website and providing training for parents and young people.

Staff	Working days	Telephone no
Denise Facey – Sendiass lead	Tuesday – Friday	07771500956
Sue Russell – Sendiass adviser	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	07767788795
Anna Williamson- Sendiass adviser	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	07810656032
Main helpline	Monday – Friday 10-3	01736751921

If you need any support or advice please call any of the above numbers and if we can't answer please leave a message and we will get back to you within two working days.

You can also find information and send a query on our website at <u>www.cornwallsendiass.org.uk</u>