



After Adoption Support Services Calendar

2019-2020

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Our Adoption Support Services ensure that everyone affected by adoption has the support they need to live happier lives. We host regular events to support adoptive families, giving you the opportunity to build skills, meet others and have fun!

If you would like to find out more or attend any of the events featured on our calendar, please email safebase@afteradoption.org.uk

Children's Activity Groups

For families with children aged 0-10

Come along and join in the fun. We have games, songs, and stories that will help to promote positive family connections and attachments through play, nurturing activities and having fun together.

Topic Based Groups

For adoptive parents

An opportunity to have a space to explore issues that impact on your family, gain up to date information and learn new strategies, alongside other adoptive parents.

Therapeutic Groups

For children and young people

These groups are run by our TalkAdoption team, supporting children and young people through fun and therapeutic activities. Find out more about local groups here:
www.afteradoption.org.uk/TalkAdoption

SafeBase

For adoptive parents, foster carers and special guardians

Our therapeutic parenting programme provides a flexible and individual approach, recognising that every family is unique and has different needs. Find out more here:
www.afteradoption.org.uk/SafeBase

Family Days

For adoptive families

A day having fun, and a great opportunity to meet other adoptive families! The team will be there with lots of engaging activities so your children have a day to remember.

Costs

Events are free for families who have adopted through our Families that Last service and/or SafeBase graduates. Other adoptive families are welcome to attend our events at a cost of £10. A referral is needed to attend SafeBase and we're happy to talk you through the process.



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Month	Activity	Area
March 2019		
2	TAZ Group	Manchester
6, 7, 13 & 14	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Lincolnshire
20, 21, 27 & 28	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	OAWY -Wakefield
20, 21, 27 & 28	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Manchester
April 2019		
2	Topic Based Group: Using Theraplay & play with your child (6pm-8pm)	Manchester
16 & 17	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Manchester
29, 30 April & 9 & 10th May	SafeBase therapeutic Parenting Programme	North East
May 2019		
11	Children's Activity Group (11am-1pm)	Manchester
15 & 16	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	OAWY - Bradford
June 2019		
5, 6, 12 & 13	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Birmingham
12, 13, 19 & 20	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Manchester
25	Topic Based Group: Managing Transitions in Education (10am-12pm)	Manchester
TBC	Topic Based Group:	Birmingham
26 & 27	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Manchester
July 2019		
1, 2 8 & 9	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Adoption Now - Bolton
16	Topic Based Group: Using Theraplay & play with your child (6pm-8pm)	Manchester
17 & 18	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Birmingham
31	Topic Based Group: Managing transitions in education (6pm-8pm)	Manchester

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August 2019		
3	Children's Activity Group (11am-1pm)	Manchester
7 & 8	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	OAWY - Huddersfield
September 2019		
4	Topic Based Group: Keeping Children Safe Online (10am-12pm)	Manchester
4 & 5	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Lincolnshire
TBC	Topic Based Group	Birmingham
18 & 19	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Manchester
25, 26 & 2 & 3 October	SafeBase SGO Therapeutic Programme	Manchester
October 2019		
2, 3, 9 & 10	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Lincolnshire
16	Topic Based Group: (Keeping Children Safe Online (10am-12pm)	Manchester
22	Children's Activity Group (time TBC)	Manchester
23, 24, 30 & 31	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Manchester

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Month	Activity	Area
November		
13, 14, 20 & 21	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Birmingham
19	Topic Based Group: Responding & Managing Difficult Behaviour (10am-12pm)	Manchester
27, 28 & 4 & 5	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	North East
December		
December 2019		
10	Topic Based Group: Responding & Managing Difficult Behaviour (6pm-8pm)	Manchester
11 & 12	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	OAWY - Leeds
TBC	Topic Based Group	Birmingham
14	Children's Activity Group (11am-1pm)	Manchester
January 2020		
Date TBC	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	Manchester
Date TBC	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Manchester
February 2020		
Date TBC	SafeBase in the Teenage Years	OAWY - Wakefield
Date TBC	Topic Based Group – Time TBC	
March 2020		
Date TBC	Topic Based Group – Time TBC	
Date TBC	SafeBase Therapeutic Parenting Programme	Lincolnshire
Date TBC	Children's Activity Group (Time TBC)	Manchester
April 2020		
Date TBC	Topic Based Group – Time TBC	