



Charity partnerships

BeyondAutism is a charity dedicated to ensuring autistic children and young adults access an education which empowers a life full of choice, independence and opportunity.

Find out how you can make a real difference to our work.

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Thank you for considering supporting us!

Welcome to the BeyondAutism corporate supporter pack.

This will guide you through the amazing things that supporting BeyondAutism can achieve for your business and your valuable employees.

Our corporate supporters are some of our most valuable partners. They help us to achieve award winning change, from enhancing the world of a single child and their family, to creating outstanding and innovative educational spaces.

Corporate partners like you are key to this change

Your support is vital to our work, and we offer a variety of ways to get involved, from volunteering opportunities to PAYE giving, and everything in between.

In return, we can help you to meet your corporate social responsibility (CSR) objectives by:

- Motivating and inspiring your employees
- Developing new skills and offering new experiences for your staff
- Helping you evidence your commitment to local communities and the autistic children and young adults within them
- Supporting you and your teams to understand and engage with your customers, and maximising their potential!
- Helping you to secure valuable local and national PR
- Ensuring that your brand is associated with a respected charity that makes a huge difference to autistic children and young adults

We work with all sorts of corporate supporters and ensure that our packages meet your business needs. Read on to find out more.

Amber Woodward-Brown
Head of Fundraising



Toby's journey with BeyondAutism

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We came across BeyondAutism Early Years purely by luck as we drove past the service and spotted the sign. At the time, we were quite early on in our autism journey. When I looked into it further it sounded exactly what we were looking for, at a time when we were desperate for support. The main thing I was looking to get out of it, like everything at the time, was knowledge. I was keen to arm myself in every way possible way to be ready to support my son.

Meeting the team

I actually cried after the first session. At the time my son was completely non-verbal, showed no interest in toys, role play and had no motivators with the exception of the iPad. However, we couldn't use that as a reinforcement as he did not understand the concept of reward. We met the wonderful Marta who with her bubbly positive persona, grabbed some dinosaurs and toothbrushes and got him playing with the dinosaurs, cleaning their teeth. Initially I had the inevitable Mum guilt that she made it look so easy. All staff at BeyondAutism have that skill and we have learnt so much from them.

The parent discussion sessions led by Sarah with their informative presentations covered every possible subject and the team were always on hand to give advice.

A change in Toby

Upon joining Early Years, we started to see benefits quickly. When Toby came to the setting, he resisted any kind of group activities and was wary of other children. The team at BeyondAutism got him taking part in story time and bucket time, improving his sitting, listening and engaging skills.

The approach is completely two-fold – my husband and I got as much out of the support as Toby did. Our knowledge grew and we were guided through every question or concern we had along the way, including support with our EHCP and formal diagnosis. We received little support from the council for Toby or ourselves when we got the diagnosis, which is why the support from BeyondAutism was so important.

Toby at school

BeyondAutism and his other wonderful mainstream pre-school setting prepared him to start school in September where he is now thriving. He is now verbal and at 5 has even started to read. There are of course still challenges, but I really believe all of our lives would have been so different had we not found the service and we are so incredibly grateful.

By Katie, Toby's mother



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What we do

We are experts in delivering autism education services from pre-school to 25. BeyondAutism is a non-profit organisation, driving change in the world of autism education to ensure autistic children and young adults access an education which empowers a life full of choice, independence and opportunity. We do this by creating positive educational experiences, training for the professional team around a child, and information, resources and support for families and carers.

Our services

We deliver rapid and sustained outcomes in our Early Years' service by working with parents and children together. Empowering parents to feel resilient and confident in meeting the needs of their child leads to aspirational, informed choices creating a positive and successful step into primary education.

Our schools and Post-19 service have a specialist curriculum that ensures sustained success beyond the age of 25, setting children and young adults up with the skills and independence to lead a life of their choosing.

We're activating networks and building local capacity with our solution focused Outreach team; and our unique Fast Responder service is working at the point of crisis to change the national picture and reduce school placement breakdown.

Early Years (1-5 years)	Schools (4-19 years)	Post-19 (19-25 years)
Provision based in Bromley focused on early intervention and support for parents	Two Independent Special Schools in Wandsworth delivering life-changing education	Three Hubs in Wandsworth and Hammersmith with a focus on community-based learning
Outreach and Training	BeyondAutism Fast Responder®	Resources and support for families
Providing expert advice, support and training for professionals in other settings	Overcoming the challenges faced by schools in supporting pupils at crisis point	Free information, training and advice for parents and carers on everything autism related



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My eldest son is autistic and non-verbal. He attended [a] BeyondAutism school and it was the most amazing care and education he received. The work that they do at their schools is years ahead of what's available in mainstream and government provisions.

Parent

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Without this support I would have left my role.

SENCo accessing BeyondAutism Fast Responder®

The bigger picture - our 2025 strategy

With your support we want to influence at an individual and societal level - through education and developing skills, whilst also influencing attitudes, resources and institutions.

Our strategic objectives



Reduced school placement breakdown

Empowering schools to manage behaviour and remove barriers to learning



Increased employability

With the skills and confidence to enter the work place, promoting independence and broadening opportunities



People with autism have the life skills to live their ideal week

Empowering choice, opportunity and independence



Increased resilience and confidence in families

Because families who are resilient, informed and confident make very different decisions, directly impacting the outcomes for their children



Communities are supported to include people with autism

Breaking the cycle of prejudice so that people with autism have choice and opportunity

Find out how we're meeting our strategic goals by heading over to our website:
beyondautism.org.uk/our-impact



Opportunities for you to get involved

There is so much more that we want to achieve and we need your help to do this. Below are just some of the ways you could choose to get involved.

- Donate to one of our current appeals
- Make us your charity partner of the year
- Organise your own fundraiser and support our services to grow
- Volunteer at one of our service-based events, or by sharing your skills and experience
- Sign up for one of our events and take on a challenge for BeyondAutism
- Create a work experience placement for our learners at your organisation

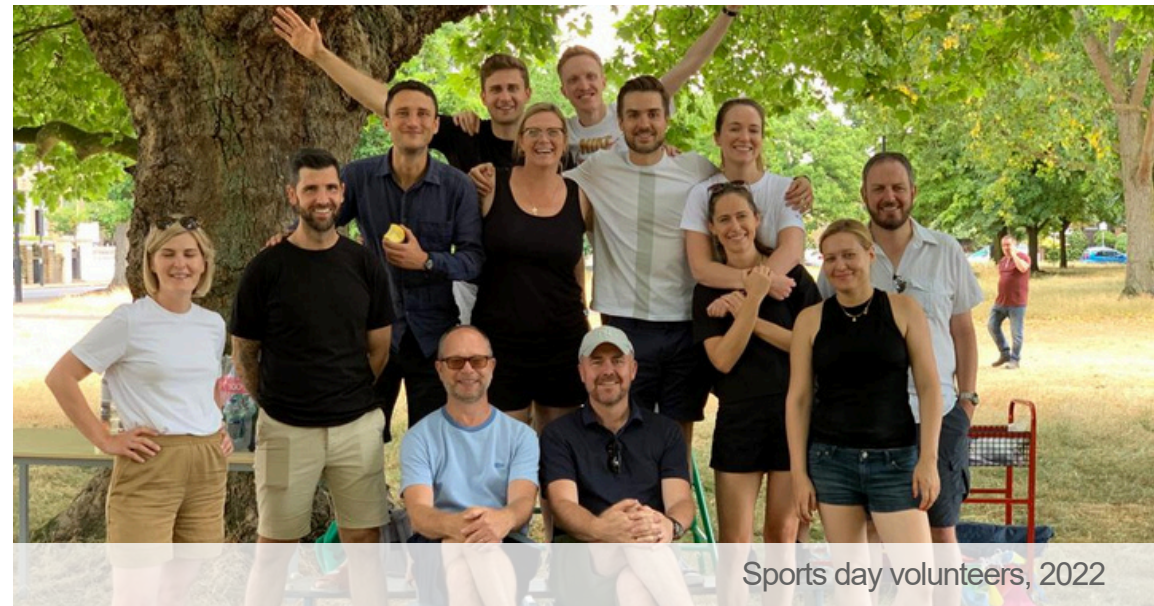
What we can offer you in return:

- A dedicated contact at the charity who can support with facilitating fundraising, events or payroll giving schemes
- Experienced, professional advice regarding autism and employment from our Outreach and Training team
- Bespoke employee training opportunities tailored to the needs of your organisation
- A calendar of events and opportunities for employees (perfect for team-building)

For more information about our tiered corporate partnership levels of support, turn overleaf.

“It has been a very rewarding experience being part of a such an amazing, enthusiastic, dedicated team of people who are doing a great job giving children and their parents the best possible care and life skills. It has opened my eyes on the existing problem and how a little help can really make a difference. I always look forward to the annual events!”

Regular volunteer from Octopus Group



Sports day volunteers, 2022

Levels of support

Whether you're a small start-up or an international business, we've got a partnership level to suit your needs. Take a look below at the different ways you can get involved and how we can support you.

Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must raise more than £1500 pa • Volunteering opportunities • Acknowledgement in annual accounts • Annual impact reporting • Access to our resource hub to support learning and development of your teams 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must raise more than £3000 pa • Volunteering opportunities • Acknowledgement in annual accounts and on our website • Annual impact reporting • Priority invite to our challenge event series • A morning's free training in autism awareness for up to 10 people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must raise more than £10,000 pa • Volunteering opportunities • Acknowledgement in annual accounts and on website as a gold supporter • 6-monthly impact reporting • 2 spaces free annually to any one challenge event (when team is enrolled) • 2 named promotional opportunities at any of our events • Personal BeyondAutism presence as required for events/meetings • One days certified training in autism awareness for up to 10 people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must raise more than £20,000 pa • Volunteering opportunities throughout the year • Acknowledgement in annual accounts and on website as a platinum supporter • 6-monthly impact reporting • 4 spaces free annually to any one challenge event (when team is enrolled) • 6 named promotional opportunities at any of our events • Personal BeyondAutism presence as required for events/meetings • 3 days certified training in autism awareness for up to 10 people (throughout year)

If you're interested in any of the above, we'd love to hear from you! Get in touch today on 020 3031 9705 or fundraising@beyondautism.org.uk and find out how you can make a difference.