

# Consulting

## with Disabled Children and Young People



**The Disability Discrimination Act 2005 states that Disabled Children and Young People should be consulted about and involved in planning services they may choose to access, The service should be delivered in such a way that they don't experience discriminative practices.**

There have been many positive changes due to inclusive play training that has offered ways to challenge the barriers to inclusion, however there are still many Disabled Children and Young People who do not access ordinary local out of school services WHY?

AJA may be in a position to support you to find out WHY by consulting Disabled Children and Young People themselves.

Consultants from **AJA** have a vast experience of working with a wide range of children and young people with various impairments, to find out what they would like to do in their free time.

**AJA** can provide the following:

- Consultation events for groups of Disabled Children and Young People– using games, group work, playful and creative activities, interactive interview techniques, questionnaires and opportunities for informal chats
- An opportunity for you and your staff to play a part in the consultation process
- A written report of the context, the consultation process, and evaluation with recommendations for the future.

- Follow up guidance to put recommendations into practice
- Individual, discreet interviews with Disabled Children and Young People, with report and recommendations

**Target Audience:** Play and Early Years Workers, Managers, Local Authority Development Workers, Childminders, Youth Workers. Anyone offering a service where children and young people may require Personal Assistance.

### **Workshop Requirements**

- Clear brief from you on the outcomes you want. A large accessible space,
- Can be delivered as a half day (3 hours) or full day (6 hours)

### **Number of children and young people**

Negotiable

### **Resources**

**AJA** support materials provided. Other recommended resources on display during the course.

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