



Fee Waiver Policy

Deaf Active have introduced a deposit scheme for Discovery Sports Camp & Football Camp. This is a £10 deposit, per child, per week, to ensure that Camp spaces are used by those who need them. All deposits are refundable subject to our terms and conditions.

Deaf Active's fee waiver policy entities to reduce or eliminate deposit fees for services or participation for eligible service users. This policy aims to ensure that financial constraints do not prevent individuals from accessing our play & youth services, programs, or activities.

1. Eligibility Criteria

- **Income Thresholds:** Fee waivers are available to individuals or families with incomes below a certain level.
- **Benefits Status:** Those receiving certain state benefits may qualify for fee waivers.
- **Special Circumstances:** Consideration of specific situations, such as disability, single parenthood, or refugee status.

2. Application Process

- **Application Forms:** Individuals may need to fill out forms providing details about their financial situation. If you would like to discuss this with one of the team then please contact us using the information at the bottom of the document.
- **Proof of Income:** Applicants might be required to submit proof of income or benefit status, such as payslips or benefit letters.
- **Confidentiality:** Deaf Active ensures that all information provided is kept confidential and used solely for the purpose of determining eligibility.

3. Types of Services Covered

- **Discovery Sports Camp**
- **Football Camp**

4. Funding and Sustainability

- **Grants and Donations:** Deaf Active often relies on grants, donations, and fundraising to subsidise the cost of fees for our play & youth services. Any deposits that are donated to the charity are used to support our play and youth service. This includes trip costs, equipment, materials and other associated costs.
- **Partnerships:** Collaborations with local authorities, businesses, and other non-profits can provide additional resources. The Joseph Lappin Centre have a variety of sessions to support families in need.

5. Impact and Evaluation

- **Monitoring Usage:** Deaf Active will track the number of fee waivers granted and the demographics of recipients.
- **Feedback:** Deaf Active may request feedback from beneficiaries to assess the impact of fee waivers on their participation and outcomes.
- **Adjustments:** Deaf Active make adjustments to policies based on feedback and financial viability.

Fee waiver policies are crucial in promoting inclusivity and ensuring that all individuals, regardless of their financial situation, can benefit from the services provided by Deaf Active.

This policy was adopted by: Thomas Maher	Date: August 2025
To be reviewed: September 2026	Signed: T.Maher

I confirm that I have read and understand the above policy.

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