Dementia Friendly Schools



We are looking for a first cohort of schools (primary and secondary) to introduce the topic of dementia into learning and become a dementia friendly school. The number of people being diagnosed with dementia is set to increase considerably over the coming years. Schools can play a vital role in the development of dementia friendly communities. Through educating our younger generation to be more knowledgeable, empathetic and understanding towards those living with dementia, and enable them to take this forward into their adult lives. All resources and materials to support you to become a dementia friendly school will be provided upon request. We do hope you will join us to support the local authorities aim to become a dementia friendly city.

For more information please see or contact dementiafriendly@stoke.gov.uk

National Resources

AAlzheimers.org.uk

Dementia Friendly Communities is a programme which facilitates the creation of dementiafriendly communities across the UK. Everyone, from governments and health boards to the local corner shop and hairdresser, share part of the responsibility for ensuring that people with dementia feel understood, valued and able to contribute to their community.

Intergenerational Schools Project

In 2012 Alzheimer's Society began working on the Dementia4Schools Project as part of the Prime Minister's Challenge on Dementia. Educating children and young people about dementia is an essential aspect of creating dementia-friendly communities.