

scope

Cwmbran Skill Development Centre

Scope Cymru

- Community Development
- Craig-y-Parc School
- Cwmbran Skills Development Centre
- Employment Services (WORKSTEP/ work preparation)
- Scope Response
- Sully Skill Development Centre
- **12 shops.** Bangor, Barry, Cardiff Albany Rd, Cardiff Churchill Way,
• Colwyn Bay, Llandudno, Llanelli, Maesteg, Neath, Newport, Pwllheli and Rhyl

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- Cwmbran SDC provides a service for people with Cerebral Palsy and other physical and learning disabilities.
- Helping people develop their skills to enhance their daily lives

What do we do?

- We promote a broad outlook:
- Computer skills
- Literacy & Numeracy
- Physical fitness
- Art & Craft
- Personal Wellbeing
- Advocacy
- Open College Network
- Social integration



Positive Choices



- Scope has a number of services aimed at giving people with disabilities help and support to encourage education for those seeking volunteering placement or who are planning to find work.

Multi agency

- At present Scope is working in partnership with local authorities and local education.
- We are running a ESF project CARAL
- Computer As a Route to Accessible Learning
- As part of this project we have been researching the impact of learning through IT and it impact on the learners. We have been working in a multi agency environment, encouraging partners to feed into the research process.

RISE

Cwmbran SDC is also part of the RISE network, using the research from the CARAL project we identified a need for adapted IT for people with a Visual Impairment,

Thanks to the RISE, ESF we were able to purchase the hard ware and soft ware to give people with VI the opportunity to learn and access IT qualifications.

Person Centred Planning

- Individuals are given a Skills Assessment to help plan their training needs and develop individual Action Plans.
- We encourage service users to develop in all areas of life skills



Physical Functional & Social Integration

- We aim to provide meaning full day time activities which encourage self esteem and social integration.
- Our aim is to match life experience with chronological age
Newport Agricultural Show



Health and Social Wellbeing.

- We encourage physical fitness and healthy eating programmes

We work in partnership with the local authority and Disability Sport Wales officer, who assisted us to access the WAG initiative free swimming.

Service users accessing
Free swimming at Cwmbran
Stadium



Local Authority Lottery

- Getting support from your LA is not a straight forward as it may seem, the LA social services are facing a cash crisis. They are not able to automatically provide funding for every individual, this means there are young adults leaving school and colleges with no exit routes to day services or work!!!!
- Case study Caerphilly / B.Gwent