Achieve together

Welcome to Olive Lane, Blackheath, Dudley

Home profile number: 938



Service type: Residential **Age:** 18+ **Capacity:** 8 **Gender:** Mixed

What makes this home unique:

Olive Lane is a welcoming home supporting up to eight people who are D/deaf and D/deaf blind with additional needs, including learning disabilities, autism, dementia, epilepsy, diabetes and mental health needs.

The team provide person-centred support in a warm, family-feel environment where communication is at the heart of everyday life. Using approaches such as British Sign Language and Hands-on Sign, people are supported to make choices, feel involved and develop greater independence.

With activities including shopping, bowling, swimming, film nights, cafés, local trips, arts and crafts, cooking, themed social nights, reflexology, gardening and pamper sessions, there is always something meaningful to enjoy.

Location

Olive Lane is based in Blackheath, an industrial town in the West Midlands with a busy, community-focused feel. The local town centre has an active high street and a historic market, with stalls selling food, clothes and household goods.

The home is within easy reach of Birmingham city centre, where people can enjoy shopping and a range of attractions, including Birmingham Deaf Club, the Sea Life Centre and MAC Birmingham. Dudley town centre is also around 16 miles away, offering further places to visit, such as Dudley Zoo and the Black Country Living Museum.

Olive Lane is just a short 10-minute walk from Blackheath town centre and has good transport links, with a regular bus service that stops right outside the home's front door.

Home facilities

- Accessibility – wheelchair, lift or stairlift
- Garden/outside space
- Greenhouse
- Kitchen
- Wet rooms
- Wi-fi for people we support

People we support:

- D/deaf or D/deaf blind
- Autism
- Bariatric conditions
- Behaviours that may challenge
- Communication difficulties
- Dementia
- Epilepsy
- Learning disabilities
- Mental health needs
- Physical disabilities
- Registered to provide personal care
- Sensory impairments



About us

At Achieve together we believe in the extraordinary potential of every person. Our purpose is to create opportunities for people we support to live fulfilling lives filled with joy, independence and personal fulfilment.

We celebrate individuality, nurture confidence and foster supportive environments where everyone can thrive. We are also deeply proud of our extraordinary teams. Every day, they go above and beyond to provide exceptional support – and we invest in their growth, empowering them to build rewarding careers with us.

Wheel of engagement

Our central person-centred planning tool that guides us when supporting people.

Read more about our framework and how we provide positive behaviour support (PBS).



From the home:

"The most important thing for me as a manager is ensuring that people we support are empowered to make choices. Supporting people who are D/deaf means that communication is key. The ability to communicate with someone who understands them is vital."

- Home Manager



"I am happy living at Olive Lane."

- Person supported at this home



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Our values

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Being brave

Having fun

Making things happen

Valuing everyone