

**Young Leaders – Things to know**

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|  | The dates for Young Leaders in 2018 are:  Tues 17 July  Tues 31 July – Wed 1 August  Tues 14 – Wed 15 August  Tues 28 – Wed 29 August |
|  | It is for young people in Calderdale aged 16-17 who have a learning disability or autism, or both. |
| C:\Users\Advocate\Pictures\LTW logo.jpg | The course is run by Inclusion North and Lead the Way. |
|  | The course is residential – there will be three overnight stays. |
|  | The course is **free** to participants.  The cost of the course will be met by Inclusion North and Calderdale Local Authority. |
|  | Young Leaders must attend every session of the course. |
|  | The course will be fun, challenging and a chance to make new friends. |
|  | As well as learning new skills, there will be a chance to do activities. |
|  | These might include a climbing wall, archery and grass sledging. |
|  | On the course you will work with a partner. |
|  | Your partner will be someone who helps you on the course and also learns with you. |
|  | Your course partner will be aged 16-17 too. It could be somebody you might know. |
|  | We will try to match you with a partner who has the same likes and interests as you. |
|  | You need to apply to go on the course. |
|  | Not everyone will get a place on the course. We only have 8 places for Young Leaders, and 8 places for course partners. |
|  | We will decide who goes onto the course based on your application. |
|  | We want to make sure that the course is right for you. |
|  | If you don’t get a place on the course, we will still work with you to see what other opportunities are available. |
|  | You need to apply by 20th April 2018. |
|  | We will get back to you by 4th May 2018 to let you know if you have a place on the course or not. |