



Sunnyside House are happy to announce an opportunity for a new Learner to join our home. As you will see below another one of our Learners has come to the end of their journey with us and is happily living in the community.

This makes room for a new Leaner to join the us and start their independence story.

If you know of anyone who could benefit from learning independence living skills through the use of our "MY LIFE Independence programme" please contact us to arrange a visit.

We would love for you to come and visit us to meet the team and see all the work we get up to. Give us a call on 01708 861201 and we will be happy to arrange this.

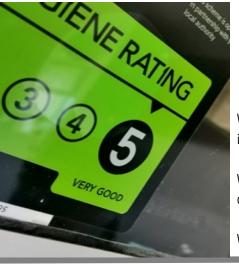


We have recently received permission to build two new flats above our existing training flats and are happy to confirm that the work is well underway.

This is a great prospect being able to expand and accommodate two more service users who can progress by gaining the independence skills required to live in the community from living in these transitional flats, which remains our ultimate goal at Sunnyside House.

These flats will be to accommodate our existing learners who are ready to move on to the next step in their independence or external learners who would like the opportunity to progress to independent living.

We are excited for the build to be completed and for our 1^{st} learners to move in to put all their skills into practice.



5 Star Food ****

Hygiene Inspection

We recently had a visit from Thurrock Council, our local borough, regarding food hygiene. We are happy inform you that they awarded Sunnyside with 5 Stars.

We take the care of our Service Users very seriously, and we realize that this includes the health and safety of food that is prepared within our home.

We would like to say a big Thank you to our team for their hard work in order for us to receive this rating.

Joanne's Story Moving on to Independence

"Hi, my name is Joanne.

I moved into Sunnyside House in May 2016. When I moved in,

I found it easy to settle in and make friends with all the other Learners.

The staff were very nice to me, they were friendly and supported me with my living.

I made friends at Sunnyside very easily because they were very welcoming to me.

A month later my brother moved into which made me even more comfortable knowing he was there for me too.

I quickly moved into the training flat where I had more independence but still had the staff there to support me with my day to day life.

During my time at Sunnyside House I joined college which I really liked.

While I was at Sunnyside I learned to cook, clean and look after myself better.

I am happy as I have now moved out of Sunnyside and into my own flat where I am very independent and still have some support from the staff."

Everyone at Sunnyside House is so happy for Joanne, that she has now gained enough independence to be able to live in her own home in the community. We wish her all the best in her life as she continues her independence journey.

We will miss her but are so proud of all she has achieved.

Joanne is the 10th learner who has successfully moved in to independently living since we open in 2008 and we are very proud of all of them and they work our team has put in to make this happen.

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