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Date: 14/08/24 iCan2 Membership Scheme

Dear Parent.

'ICAN2' is the brand used to describe all of the Short Breaks Targeted activities. For clarity, this is an umbrella term for all the activities provided – Arts, Sports & leisure and various local passes. ICAN2 provides targeted and preventative level support for children and young people where disability has a moderate to severe impact on day-to-day life, outlined in the Short Breaks Statement. ICAN2 activities are commissioned by the local authority, designed for children with moderate, severe, and profound disabilities who are unable to access universal/universal plus services.

ICAN2 activities are available to children/young people that are ICAN2 members. ICAN2 membership is different to YPS (Young People's Services)/My Options registration and requires a separate application. We can help you with this.

In order to be eligible to be an ICAN2 member, children and young people must:

- Meet the criteria of the 'Targeted and Preventative Level Support' within Telford and Wrekin Council's Short Breaks Statement
- Be aged 17 or under
- Be a resident of the borough of Telford and Wrekin

To apply to be an ICAN2 member, you can download an application form to return to shortbreaks@telford.gov.uk or ask your allocated worker. The ICAN2 membership application must be completed and if eligible, you will be contacted and your child will be entered onto the membership list in order to take part in any targeted activities or access the activity passes. You will be issued with an ICAN2 membership card.

We encourage you to register as an ICAN2 member, to be able to access the ICAN2 activities.

Yours sincerely,

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