

Into Sport
Case Studies
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Sport isn't just about Football



"It feels great to be dancing and meeting new people, being part of a team who encourage each other."

Many Disabled people see sport as team games or athletics, and believe that it's only for fit people with lots of energy.

But there are so many physical activities, for everyone. The Lambeth Into Sport project helped someone train to be a wheelchair dance teacher. They set up a group and called it Wheel Be Dancing. The group is now very popular, with people going every week.

At first, people in the group didn't believe they could dance, because they were in wheelchairs. Then they realised that they could. In fact, they're so good at it that they have performed displays at events, including the National Paralympic Day.

Do you want to get into sport?

Into Sport is a unique three-year project managed by Inclusion London and funded by Sport England, designed to encourage Deaf and Disabled people over the age of 14 at all levels of ability to take part in sport or physical activity.

The project is working with Deaf and Disabled people's userled organisations in five London boroughs (Barnet, Greenwich, Lambeth, Richmond and Southwark) to offer advice and support to Deaf and Disabled people interested in getting active.

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