

This programme is supported with a grant from BBC Children in Need, for which we are extremely grateful.

For families with children 0-5 years who have experienced disadvantages through the pandemic and/or have additional needs due to experiences of disability or difference. Places are limited so apply early: **Ashleigh.Bird@circlesnetwork.org.uk**





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Ready Steady Go

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Ready, Steady, Go is an innovative programme for families with children aged between 0-5 years who may have either struggled through the pandemic or have additional needs.

Our aim is to offer structured play sessions with ponies and other animals to prepare children for their first years at school or pre-school.

THERE IS NO CHARGE.

The programme will take place over six weeks in an outdoor, countryside environment and sessions will be centred around nature, ponies and the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) framework, covering all seven topics: Anyone who takes children outside regularly sees the enjoyment, and sense of wonder and excitement that is generated when children actively engage with their environment.

Council for Learning Outside the Classroom



- Personal, Social & Emotional Development
- Physical Development

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- Communication & Language
- Understanding the World
- Expressive Arts & Design
- Literacy
- Mathematics

Parents and guardians will get the chance to get together in small groups to learn from each other and share new experiences.

Our Facilitators are skilled in Equine Facilitated Learning and animal assisted therapeutic methods and have a wealth of experience with children in their early years.

Lining up ponies This programme is Using imaginative and children supported by a grant play and and playing from BBC Children in formance Need for which we are Enjoying games extremely grateful. uppeur **Positive** outcomes Exploring messy Journalling ctures and mar Bulge play and Recognising painting with signs, sounds puodsal siauto pue and rhymes Ponies Jies jo sbulleej pue uaisil Caring for Ponies and themselves concentrate puejsjapun of gninneal of theis Positive outcomes grouping and objects ordering Counting slemine Λιειηφερογ pue uaiplida BBG Mau Guisn Him sdiyspualy Children pue Guinieain Need 6uibling