

Girls on the Autistic Spectrum

Wednesday 1st May 2019

13:00—16:00

Hopwood Hall College, Rochdale Campus

Trainer: Rochdale Additional Needs Team

Audience: All Staff

Are parents and professionals missing the signs of autism in girls?

The course aims to help staff in schools to identify girls who display characteristics of autism spectrum disorder and offer strategies to develop their independence and reduce their vulnerability.



Women and girls with Autism Spectrum

Disorder often present with a unique set of characteristics that can make diagnosing their autism difficult. It seems that girls on the autistic spectrum may be less noticeable than boys because they are less disruptive and have an ability to mimic behavior's. However, they lack social understanding and any deep knowledge of language. The course aims to help staff in schools to identify girls who display characteristics of autism spectrum disorder and offer strategies to develop their independence and reduce their vulnerability.

