## Helpline: 01273 772289

## Email: eastsussex@amazebrighton.org.uk

You will be asked to select ‘East Sussex’ when you call or leave a message

### Helpline opening hours

Monday to Friday, 9.30am to 2.30pm
We can call you back at other times too.
If you need any extra assistance to communicate with us, let us know.

## About Amaze

Amaze is a Sussex-based charity that has been working with parent carers of children and young people with additional needs in Brighton and Hove for 20 years. We now also work directly with older children and young people and offer some services across East and West Sussex.

Amaze is a parent-led organisation, managed by a board of trustees made up of parents and professionals. We get funding from local authorities and health services, as well as from charitable trusts and through our own fundraising. To find out more, visit our website.


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# Amaze SENDIASS

## Special Educational Needs and Disability Information, Advice and Support Service



## for families in East Sussex



## About SENDIASS

**SENDIASS** offers information, advice and support on anything to do with special educational needs and disability (SEND) including education, health and social care. This service is impartial and confidential. All areas across the country should have such a service for children and young people with SEND up to 25 and their parents and carers.

**Amaze SENDIASS** is the SEND Information, Advice and Support Service for East Sussex from September 2017. It replaces the 'SEN and Disability Advice Service' previously run by East Sussex County Council. Amaze is funded by East Sussex County Council to provide an independent and impartial service to parents and young people living or going to school in East Sussex.

## How we can help

We offer:

- A **website and resources** so you can find things out for yourself
- A **telephone and email helpline** for more tailored information
- **One-to-one advice** for more complex issues

We will support you to be well informed about special education and disability services and have a strong voice in decisions that affect you or your child. We aim to help parents and young people build good partnerships with services and professionals and we can help you find solutions when you're unhappy with how things are going.

We also provide the Independent Support service with Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCPs) for families in East Sussex.

