

Testimonial Tuesdays

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This week's testimonial comes from one of our parents.

My son Sebastian started Heol Goffa at 3 years of age due to having complex medical needs and a significant learning disability. He was unable to communicate. After being in school for a year he learnt the Makaton sign for Yes and No. This was a game changer for us. Seb was able to demonstrate his level of cognition and with the school staff, not only educating him but also us too, he quickly learnt more signs. After 2 years Seb was given an Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) device. I truly believe he wouldn't have had this if it wasn't for the school supporting him. Heol Goffa gave my son a voice and I am forever thankful.



Due to the complexity of Seb's disability it is difficult to include him in lots of 'typical' activities with other children. Everyone at Heol Goffa knows my son's name, he is included in everything. Because of the school, my son's circle of friends is bigger than I ever thought possible. As any parent would say, seeing your child happy in a school is paramount and I believe that Seb truly is. He is surrounded by amazing staff who have the specific skills not only to keep him medically safe, but to ensure that his schooling is fun and he is included in every activity in his class room.

Through the school I have also met a lovely group of other parent carers which I now would be lost without. We're forever grateful for what Heol Goffa

has done for our son and us as a family.

