

Fourth Wall Folkestone

Access Statement

Fourth Wall Folkestone is run by a self identifying fat woman with a long term (chronic) invisible condition. A neurodivergent with a diagnosis of dyslexia, bipolar and EUPD.

We have an all female board.

Inclusivity and Accessibility are at the core of everything we do.

Inclusivity:

A space for ALL neurodivergents (Diagnosed/Self-Diagnosed/Questioning)
We are Anti-racist and LGBTQIA+, Feminist, Fat, Trans and Disability positive.

Location:

The space is on a steep street.
The street is cobbled therefore uneven.
Find us on google maps [Here](#)

There is Window visibility through to the high street. A blind is available where necessary.
Please do ask.

Accessible parking:

Blue badge holders can find information about parking in the borough [Here](#)

Capacity:

10 seated, 20 standing

Floorspace:

There is limited space which is always reconfigured but we make space for pushchairs and buggies where we can.

We are currently working on providing a scaled basic floor plan of the space.

Stairs, floors and entrances:

There is a step up into the space. Otherwise, it is on one level and the floors are flat and even.

The doors are narrow therefore we regret that wheelchair access is not feasible.

Seating:

This varies depending on the formation of the space, but there are seats available upon request including low soft seating and hard seating in the form of chairs and benches

Facilities:

Gender neutral toilet are available but there is no feasible wheelchair access

Guide dogs:

ALL dogs are welcome in the space.

Please be aware due to the space changing formation regularly, we ask owners to be aware of this and decide if the space setup is conducive to bringing their dogs in.

We are happy to ensure the space can work for you and your guide dog if advance notice is given.

Dietary Requirements:

Where our events have refreshments, we will provide for dietary requirements where possible. Please do let us know beforehand by contacting us.

British Sign Language:

As a new community interest company we are working on building our reserves to fund provision of British Sign Language interpreters as standard for events and workshops. It may be possible to book and interpreter for events and workshops with advance notice of at least 3 weeks. Please do contact us via email at info@fourthwallfolkestone.co.uk with your request.

Printed documents:

All printed documents can be printed in large format

Online:

We use the UserWay Accessibility Widge on our website. This allows you to change the contrast and saturation, highlight links, switch to dyslexia friendly font and change text spacing, alignment and size.

We are in the process of ensuring we provide alternative text descriptions for all of our imagery and aim to do so by the end of 2023.

Captions and subtitles are provided on any content with film

Payments:

All of our events are pay what you can and donation based

Working with us:

We aim to support everyone that we work with by providing an inclusive experience as much as possible.

We will support people with reasonable adjustments and access needs. Please do let us know if any requirements you may have

If there are any details you cannot find within this document, you have an access request you would like to discuss, or you have thoughts on any other ways we can improve upon our access, please do contact us by email at info@fourthwallfolkestone.co.uk

We also welcome you to visit the space and talk to someone in person.

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