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Dear Sir

We would like to express our wholehearted support for the continued funding of Resources for Autism. We have a son who is diagnosed with Asperger's Syndrome and this organisation has given us as a family much valued and continued support.

There are very few organisations such as Resources for Autism and Autism West Midlands who support the parents and families of children such as our own son who are on the autistic spectrum. William attends a Saturday morning club for higher functioning children on the spectrum run by R for A. He loves this club and it gives him an opportunity to socialise safely with children his own age who are also on the autistic spectrum. The staff are caring and experienced and know how to guide and help the children to reach their full potential and learn how to deal with difficult social situations that may arise. It also gives us as parents a much needed break for a few hours. It is not too much to say that it is invaluable to both William our son and us.

We hope that you will take a long term broad view of the essential funding need for Resources for Autism and take note of the many concerns and views of all those involved.

Yours sincerely