



Working together for children
(formerly AWCEBD; registered charity 258730; founded 1952)



Do you work with children with social, emotional and behavioural difficulties (SEBD), young people who are disaffected or have mental health difficulties?

For a very affordable rate would you like:

- regular up-to-date information about policy, practice and research in our field;
- access to practical resources at discount rates;
- a national network to offer you support;
- an independent body to campaign on key issues;
- university accredited training in SEBD;
- professional development geared to your needs;
- useful information and resources on one easily accessed web-site?

Then why not join our expanding membership?

SEBDA: the national multi-professional association for

- teachers and TAs in mainstream schools, LSUs/ support bases, behaviour support services, PRUs and special schools;
- psychologists and LA officers;
- residential and field social workers;
- mental health professionals;
- youth workers and youth offending teams;
- lecturers and researchers.

What SEBDA does

SEBDA campaigns for better services for children and young people with social, emotional and behavioural difficulties.

SEBDA offers practical information, training and support to education, social care and mental health professionals who work with or for children and young people with SEBD. We understand the huge pressures on committed professionals who rarely receive the praise they deserve.

SEBDA contributes to the development of policy and practice in the United Kingdom through participation in government and regional bodies.

SEBDA members are at the forefront of practice-focused research. They have written a wide range of books, resources and research reports on SEBD issues including: avoiding school exclusion, good practice in mainstream and SEBD schools, staff development, anger management, circle time and emotional literacy/SEAL materials.

SEBDA promotes effective intra- and inter-professional working while recognising the practical difficulties.

SEBDA is committed to increasing social inclusion through making mainstream schooling more supportive of children with difficulties. We also know from research and experience that for a small minority, social inclusion is best pursued in specialist settings.

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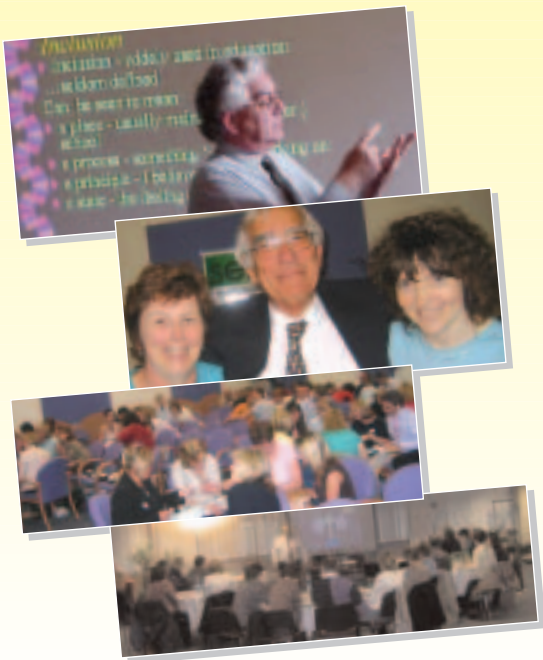
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What members say about SEBDA (from the 2005 membership survey)



'SEBDA conferences are always brilliant and the newsletter, 'SEBDA News', informative and well presented'. (DC, Essex)

'SEBDA makes us all realise we are not alone' (LK, Kent)

'The access you provide to current thought and good practice in the field is second to none.' (TD, Glasgow)

'Excellent articles and executive summaries which give a feel for contents. Up to date information when there are significant changes from government etc.' (PG, Caerphilly)

'Conferences and journal ('Emotional and Behavioural Difficulties') are excellent.' (CS, North Yorkshire)

'I think 'SEBDA News' is great.' (RK, Belfast)

Training in 'Understanding and Managing Behaviour'

- for our distance education Master's and first degree level courses (awarded by University of Leicester);
- for our other accredited taught courses;
- for help in arranging specifically tailored training or short courses for small groups/clusters of staff (teaching assistants, welfare workers, play leaders, children's centre workers, after-school club workers, learning mentors etc);
- and help in arranging staff development days, led by high-quality regionally or nationally known trainers:

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For further details visit www.sebda.org

Join SEBDA for:

- three issues a year of the highly valued 'SEBDA News' (our 40 page newsletter, containing the latest national policy and practice information on SEBD/disaffection, social care and mental health issues, posted to your address)
- four issues a year of SEBDA's acclaimed international research journal 'Emotional and Behavioural Difficulties' (publisher: Routledge Taylor & Francis) posted to your address;
- SEBDA's members-only 'inner' web-site (includes access to all back numbers of SEBDA News and research journal);
- discount rates for SEBDA professional development events;
- 20% discount off Routledge Education resources (including David Fulton Publishing) ordered on-line;
- 20% discount off Worth Publishing resources;
- 12% discount off Behaviour UK products;
- 10% discount from 'Incentive Plus' (they offer a wide selection of resources for promoting social and emotional competence and positive behaviour);
- help with arranging your training programmes;
- a national voice and a valuable informal support network.



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Types of membership

- Individual:** £51 per annum (payable by you or your place of work).
- Corporate:** £140 per annum (full membership rights for three people).
For additional members beyond 3 add £44 a head; for large group membership contact head office.
- Student/ retired/ unwaged:** £25 per annum.

To join either ring **0161 240 2418**, e-mail admin@sebda.org or complete and return the form below, accompanied by appropriate cheque or request for invoice or BACs:

Membership Application Form

Name(s): Phone:

Profession(s): E-mail:

Address(es):

I/we wish to join SEBDA*. Please indicate type of membership

- Individual membership @ £51 a year Yes No
 - Corporate membership (3 copies of Sebda News/Journals) @ £140 a year Yes No
- Cheque enclosed made payable to 'SEBDA' for £..... or please send invoice Yes No

Send to: SEBDA, 211, The Triangle, Exchange Square, Manchester M4 3TR

*Please note full membership must be ratified later by the SEBDA Executive.



The multi-professional association for all who work for children and young people with SEBD