

Actions

What you can do to help

- Include information about Harrogate District of Sanctuary on your website and / or other materials...
- Be committed to challenge negative attitudes towards asylum seekers and refugees
- Invite someone to speak about Harrogate District of Sanctuary, and the issues facing refugees and asylum seekers to your group
- Provide a meeting space for refugee activities
- Offer volunteering opportunities so that people can practice their English and improve their chance of employment
- Become a volunteer with Harrogate District of Sanctuary
- Explore ways of giving financial support to local refugee organisations



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A place where refugees and
asylum seekers feel safe,
welcome and included





City of Sanctuary

About City of Sanctuary

City of Sanctuary is a national movement to create a network of towns, cities, villages and areas throughout the country that are places of safety, welcome and inclusion for refugees and asylum seekers, and in particular for those seeking sanctuary from war and persecution.



Harrogate District of Sanctuary

The Harrogate district has been pleased to welcome asylum seekers and refugees for many years and from many countries. We wish to build on the work that has been already delivered in this district by:

Creating opportunities for positive relationships between local people and those seeking sanctuary. It doesn't take much to make someone to feel welcome, appreciated and included.

Welcoming those fleeing violence and persecution in their own countries.

Taking practical steps to include them in our activities and seeking ways to support them wherever we can.

Core Principles

Promoting the inclusion and welfare of refugees and asylum seekers.

Supporting local communities and organisations in welcoming and assisting asylum seekers and refugees.

Celebrating the contribution of asylum seekers and refugees to their local communities and wider society, challenging hostility and discrimination.

