



# KERRY DEAF RESOURCE CENTRE

*KDRC provides services to deaf and hard of hearing people at county level and contributes to national & international issues of equality, access and rights.*

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## **ENQUIRIES ON PAID/NON-PAID WORK WITH OUR SERVICE.**

Over the past few months, we have seen an increase in people looking for paid/ non-paid work with our service.

In order for KDRC to provide any work, whether this is paid or non-paid, KDRC is introducing a number of new measures to ensure we are compliant with relevant employment/ voluntary work policies & procedures.



All on-duty staff (paid & non-paid) must have up-to-date Garda Vetting with our service. In addition, all candidates are expected to complete the HSE Children First E-Learning programme before they can work with children. KDRC will set aside sufficient time for all candidates in order to fulfil these obligations. Lastly, to ensure on-duty paid staff receive employment related support, Trade Union membership is actively encouraged.

## **CLASSES FINISHING UP FOR THE SUMMER.**



As you may know we run a series of classes in our Centre throughout the year. These classes have now finished up for the summer holidays.

We would like to thank Willie White for tutoring our sign linguistics classes that were held every Tuesday. In addition, we would like to thank Mary Duggan who

tutored DALs (Deaf Adult Literacy Service) classes every Tuesday & Thursday morning. A special word of thanks to all our students. We hope you benefitted from the classes and we look forward to working with you all again from September onwards.

## **ADVANCE NOTICE OF ANNUAL LEAVE IN AUGUST.**

It's that time again when our office staff are starting to look forward to their annual summer holidays.

This year we will close on Tuesday, the 31st of July at 5pm. We will re-open again on Monday the 3rd of September at 10am. If you would like an appointment before we close for holidays, please let us know.

