

MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO THE LIVES OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN SURREY

OPEN YOUR HEART AND HOME

BECOME A SUPPORTED LODGINGS CARER

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOSTERING SERVICE



## WHAT IS SUPPORTED LODGINGS?

- Supportive home-based accommodation for 16-25 year olds in care in Surrey or who are leaving care
- You provide a room and share your living space with a young person
- Supported Lodgings carers play a mentoring role for the young person living with them, helping them to gain skills needed for when they move out and live independently
- Many Supported Lodgings carers continue to work full-time and spend time in the evenings and at weekends with the young person staying with them

## WHO ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

- People with a spare room who are looking to make a difference to young people in their local area
- People who are flexible, caring, resilient, have a good sense of humour and enjoy the company of young people

## Who to contact?

You can contact Surrey County Council Fostering Service on 0300 123 1620 (this is the General Fostering Duty telephone, please ask for the Supported Lodgings worker, when connected), via email at [supportedlodgings@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:supportedlodgings@surreycc.gov.uk) or by visiting the website; [www.surreycc.gov.uk/fostering](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/fostering)