Information about CBC policies and services – Arts Development Case Study

During the last academic year (2010-2011), students with learning disabilities studying towards City & Guilds Skills in Life have been working on a Sensory Garden Project. The project is part of a Creative Horticulture module around developing art and improved planting in the Shentall Gardens (opposite the Town Hall). Students are working with an artist, a landscape artist (funded by a Derbyshire County Council Small Arts Grant and Cultural Renaissance funds), and with joinery students. They will be creating a larger than life-size living sculpture of a reclining woman. The garden will be entered into Chesterfield in Bloom, and is planned to open in June 2011.