

Your branch needs you!



Dyslexia Scotland [branches](#) play a huge role in helping us raise awareness and provide information and support across Scotland. All of our 19 branches are run by volunteers and from time to time they need more people to help.

Our branches are friendly and informal and would welcome anyone new on board – they generally organise meetings with special speakers for members of the public to attend.

It's only 2 or 3 hours a month and there's no need to be an expert on dyslexia, you just need to be willing to help out with planning and publicising meetings. Find out more about why people have got involved in our branches [here](#).

Listed below are some of our branches which particularly need some more people right now – can you help?

Do you live near Stornoway? Our **Hebrides** branch needs more committee members and someone to manage the branch email list (check it weekly and send out information every few weeks) – this role could be done from home.

Our **Lochaber** branch meets in the Fort William area and would like some more committee members to help with ideas for open meetings and someone to oversee the branch Twitter account. They are also looking for a branch Secretary.

Our branches in **West Lothian, Lanarkshire, Fife** and **Oban and Lorn** are all also looking for committee members. Our West Lothian branch meets mostly in Livingston and our Lanarkshire branch meets in Hamilton.

Dyslexia Scotland **Forth Valley** holds 4 – 5 open meetings a year in the Forth Valley area and they need some general committee members and a minute Secretary.

Our **Glasgow East Ren** branch meets 4 times a year in Newton Mearns. The branch is looking for someone to help at their open meetings by welcoming people as they arrive. Dates for the year are fixed so there's plenty of advance notice.

Finally our **North East** Branch in Aberdeen is looking for 2 people to help them run their popular youth group XdysleX – a Youth Group Assistant and Youth Group Secretary. If you're interested in either of these fun roles please get in touch.

To find out more, please contact Dyslexia Scotland's National Development Officer Lena Gillies at lena@dyslexiascotland.org.uk or call 01786 446650.

