



## **Ellie's Story**



This story is about a person with a disability called Ellie.



Ellie's disability affects her memory.



Ellie lives in Camperdown in Victoria.



Ellie likes to paint, play music and make art.



Being creative helps Ellie focus.



She works at the Camperdown Community House.



The Camperdown Community House is a place where people meet to do activities together.



Some activities they can do are:

Art groups



• Playgroups for kids



• Reading.



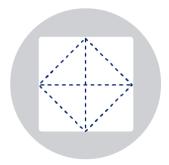
Ellie has been playing the ukulele for five years.



She is learning how to play the banjo.



Ellie loves to make origami sculptures.



Origami sculptures are made by folding pieces of paper together.



It takes a long time to make each sculpture.



Making art helps Ellie feel calm.



The people in Ellie's life are very important to her.



They help her feel connected and make it easier to get things done.



Ellie uses technology to make sure she doesn't forget things.



The <u>Disability Gateway website</u> helps Ellie find information.



Ellie says the information on the website is easy to understand.



Spending time with friends and family makes Ellie feel happy.



Ellie is inspired by people with disability who try new things.