

Targeted Youth Support 3 Areas of Delivery

1st November 2022 to 31st October 2023



One-to-One Youth Work

674 requests for support received, with decision in average of **8 days**

A **5%** increase on requests from the previous year

87% of requests allocated for assessment

Initial assessments completed in average of **9 days**



Group-based Youth Work

6 short-courses for **small groups in schools** incl. alcohol use, managing feelings, knife crime, relationships, online safety, sexual health and consent. **39 referrals this year.**

Targeted projects incl. LGBTQ, young parents, bike safety, single gender and school non attendance.



Detached / Street-based Youth Work and Youth Clubs

Helping to keep young people safe through **249** outreach sessions in parks and streets across the county

548 Youth Centre sessions

9193 contacts with young people

Relationships, education and family are top 3 topics discussed

School Group Work Offer

Street Smart



Focusing on peer group pressure and friendships. This course would be useful for young people who you feel are at risk of being involved in antisocial behaviour out of school. This is for young people who might need some support to make the right decisions in their personal lives.

Managing Feelings



Anger
Learning skills on how to manage anger and exploring reasons behind challenging behaviours. This would be useful for young people who are struggling to keep it together. In school.

Anxiety
This course is for young people who are finding the school a worrying place to be and who need support to make school more manageable.

Digital Tattoo



Exploring issues around social media and Child Exploitation. This course would be useful for young people who may be struggling to manage their social media presence and need support in setting themselves some safer boundaries

My body, My Options



Linked to our Health Store Project offer this looks at good decision making around sexual health, keeping safe, consent and where to go for support and help.

Respectful Relationships



Looking at healthy relationships by exploring gender socialisation, personal rights and boundaries. This course would be useful for young women who might be a risk of being in a controlling relationship and young men who have a stereotyped idea of how men should behave. This links to the Domestic Abuse agenda



Looking at the decision-making process behind alcohol use and building practical skills to empower young people to address alcohol concerns.

One to One Youth Work

At **initial assessment**, young people work with their youth worker to self-assess in 6 key areas, on a 1-5 scale.



Overall, young people score themselves lowest in **Problem Solving** with **69%** scoring 3 or less, and **Initiative** at **68%** scoring 3 or less.

Responsibility scores are highest overall, with **40%** of young people scoring themselves 4 or above.

However, when agreeing an **area of focus** for their action plan, **55%** choose **emotion management**. This indicates priorities for young people around their **mental well-being**, over and above the other key areas.



29% of the **674** requests for one-to-one support stated the young person has **Special Education Needs or Disabilities**

Engagement



Young people **agreed to proceed** with their referral **93%** of the time

97% of young people completed their **initial assessment** and wrote an **action plan**

87% of young people completed their **final assessment** with a **positive outcome**

Outcomes At point of closure, **self-assessment** scores **improved** in all areas:

Alcohol use decreased by **38%**
Substance use decreased by **39%**
57% reported they would no longer consider carrying a **bladed weapon**
8% improved **education attendance**

Initiative **+18%**
 Emotion Management **+27%**
 Team Work **+20%**
 Problem Solving **+20%**
 Empathy **+20%**
 Responsibility **+16%**

Scores for **Emotion Management** were **30% higher** for those who reported they were no longer going to carry a bladed weapon

TYS Group Work Referrals – Academic Year Sept 2022 - July 2023

- **6** Programmes of delivery. **5 x** 1 hour sessions per programme.
- We received **39** school group work referrals
- **Managing Feelings** is the most requested group work session.
- Not one course has been run the same. We adapt every delivery to the young people referred. We have even delivered a Respectful Relationships course using Makaton.
- **Autumn Term 2023** – TYS have also been delivering bespoke single gender group work in Bilton School with Newly Arrived Young People. This focuses mainly on identity and relationships.



Youth Clubs, Projects and Detached Youth Work

- Bike Project – small group work using the bike as a method of engagement
- LGBTQ + Project – Group work initiated by young people who wanted a safe place to meet.
- Gaming Group – Targeting Young People who are not attending school but enjoy gaming.
- Boys and Girls Groups – a group to explore identity and respectful relationships.
- Games Group – for young people who may have ADHD or Autism and respond well wo an environment that has rules and structure.
- BNO Project – Youth Club for newly arrived young people from Hong Kong
- After school Toast Clubs – Food and activities for young people.
- Youth Clubs - we are running 8 youth clubs a week focusing on youth work issues such as risk taking and staying safe.
- Detached Youth Work in parks and streets in Warwickshire. 5/6 sessions a week in the lighter evenings.
- Newly Arrived Youth Project – group work in the hotels working on issues identified by the young people.

	North Warwickshire	Nuneaton & Bedworth	Rugby	Warwick & Leamington	Stratford-upon-Avon
Group / Detached Youth Clubs	139	429	169	228	84
YP Contacted	1157	4489	1733	2718	372

Summer Holidays



This year we ran **130** sessions and had contacts with **1361** young people.

This was supported by **HAF!**

Activities, art, sports, **SUPPORT** and **FUN!**