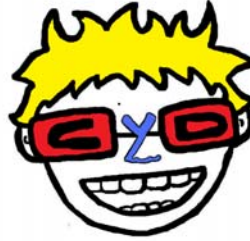


COMMUNITY AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT TEAM



The CYD Team offers a variety of opportunities for young people to engage in both social and personal educational activities. The provision operates in Salterbeck, Workington and Eden and has gained a good reputation within the local community and with local agencies for offering quality Youth Work Provision.



We provide information in large print, Braille, audio and other languages—please just ask!

THE YOUTH PROVISION

The overall aims of our Youth Provision are: -

- ◆ To equip young people with the knowledge, skills and attitudes to enable them to reach their full potential
- ◆ To support them to gain access to the right information and advice in order for them to be able to make informed choices about their lives
- ◆ To encourage and support young people to play a positive role in their local community
- ◆ To support young people to recognise and realise their aspirations



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- ◆ **Issue based projects** – young people engage in projects exploring the misuse of drugs, alcohol, smoking etc.
- ◆ **Creativity** – young people get involved in drama, art work etc.
- ◆ **New experiences** – young people visit cities, go canoeing, sailing, visit the theatre, take part in residential experiences.
- ◆ **Ownership** – young people develop their own ideas.
- ◆ **Lobbying and democracy** – young people get involved in local decision making and are active in their local communities.
- ◆ **Accreditation** – young people gain national accreditation.
- ◆ **Achievement** – young people have the opportunity to do things for themselves.
- ◆ **Positive Contribution** – young people volunteer within our youth projects.
- ◆ **Inclusive** — We try to reach and engage all young people in a way they feel comfortable with e.g. detached work, taster sessions, sign posting.
- ◆ **Partnerships** — We work with other specialist organisations to provide a holistic service for young people.
- ◆ **Fun** — It is important to us that young people enjoy what they do with us — we believe people learn and develop their skills much more effectively when they enjoy what they are doing.



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