

Torbay Youth Service 2023/24

The Youth Service consists of a small team of friendly youth workers and volunteers, with lots of experience, training, and qualifications between us.

Our Flip the Script Youth Offer

Sometimes we all need some support with certain areas of life. It may be that your teacher or a supporting worker or someone close to you has suggested you could benefit from being involved with the Youth Service.

Early Help is a way of working which brings together workers from all different services to support children, young people, and families. *Flip the Script* is our targeted youth work offer and our referrals come through *Early Help* and the *Vulnerable Pupils Team*.



Some of what is available to you with *Flip the Script*

- Having someone to talk to and to be listened to.
- Finding things to do that you enjoy.
- Getting out and about, especially if have been feeling isolated.
- Thinking about your home life.
- Thinking about your aspirations as well as School, College, or work
- Thinking about relationships – including friendships and family.
- Thinking about your identity.
- Gaining our accreditation, the “Doing it Differently” award
- Making your own decisions, including about seeing us.
- We have some small groups if you prefer this.
- Having fun!

Plus, you may choose to try:

- ~ Music Technology.
- ~ Youth Radio.
- ~ Sports
- ~ Thinking about future or part-time Jobs.
- ~ Outdoor Skills.
- ~ Creative Projects.
- ~ Cooking
- ~ Life skills
- ~ Climbing

With our Partners or with us

Our Youth Service Community Club Open to all young people aged 11-17 years.

Our Youth Service Community Club mailing list updates young people aged 11-17 years about Torbay’s groups and activities and invites you to be part of the Torbay Youth Offer.

You can join this Club through the Youth Work Referral form from your supporting worker, teacher, or parent/carer. Or please ask for our *Young People’s Sign-up form*.

We look forward to hearing you. Please get in touch via our email address: youthservice@torbay.gov.uk

For information [Youth Service - Torbay Council](#) [Family Hub \(torbayfamilyhub.org.uk\)](http://torbayfamilyhub.org.uk)



Torbay Youth Service Group Offer 2023/24

<p>'SHE AND US'</p> <p>Young Women's Group Every Wednesday</p> <p>6.30PM-8.30PM</p> <p>At Chill'd Out Youth Project. Belgrave Road, Torquay, TQ2 5HP.</p> 	<p>An open drop-in group for young people identifying as young women who come together each week to have fun and empowering conversations on issues that impact them. Activities include outdoor games, music, cooking, arts & crafts and more!</p> <p>For young people aged 11 to 17 years Term time only.</p> <p>The C-card is available 13 years plus.</p>
<p>TABLETOP ROLEPLAY GROUP</p> <p>Every Thursday</p> <p>6.00PM- 8.00PM</p> <p>At Chill'd Out Youth Project. Belgrave Road, Torquay, TQ2 5HP.</p> 	<p>Whether you're new to Tabletop role-playing or an experienced player, we welcome you to join in on the fun! Create your own character (or choose a pre-made one), and get to play, think like your character and be in the story.</p> <p>Tabletop is a small welcoming group. Please contact us to see if we have a space available for you to try out the game.</p> <p>For young people aged 13-19 years all year around.</p>
<p>OUR KALEIDOSCOPE LGBTQIA+ OFFER</p> 	<p>Kaleidoscope is the Torbay Council Support offer for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and trans young people or those questioning their gender or sexuality. We work closely with local LGBTQIA+ organisation Proud2Be:</p> <p>https://www.proud2be.org.uk/</p> <p>For young people aged 13 years plus. The C-card is available.</p>
<p>"DOING IT DIFFERENTLY"</p> <p>Youth Drop in Every Friday</p> <p>6.30PM-8.30PM</p> <p>At Parkfield. Off Colin Road, Paignton, TQ3 2NR.</p> <p><i>Please ask one of the youth workers for a Youth Service Community Club membership form.</i></p> 	<p>Fun indoor climbing session and NICAS climbing awards with instructors from REACH Outdoors. (Club Members Only)</p> <p>6.30-7.30PM: Ages 9-13 years 7.30-8.30PM: Ages 14-17 years All year round</p> <p>Information and Support youth drop-in session and relaxed five a side football for all! Delivered by the Torquay United Community Sports Trust.</p> <p>6.30PM- 8.30PM 11-17 years term time only.</p> <p>The C-card is available from 13 years plus 1st Friday of the month.</p>
<p>"DOING IT DIFFERENTLY"</p> <p>Youth Drop-in Group Every Saturday 1.00PM-3.00PM</p> <p>At Chill'd Out Youth Project. Belgrave Road, Torquay, TQ2 5HP</p> 	<p>An open drop-in group. Activities include, games, music, arts & crafts, life skills, cooking, quizzes, IT, pool, info & support, plus well-being Projects and activities.</p> <p>For young people aged 11 to 17 years. Term time only.</p> <p>The C-card is available 13 years plus.</p>

Please email us youthservice@torbay.gov.uk
For information [\(torbayfamilyhub.org.uk\)](mailto:Youth Service - Torbay Council (torbayfamilyhub.org.uk))

For all enquiries regarding the SHE and US young women's group and the "Doing it Differently" group offers please contact: Paul Taylor, Senior Youth Worker. Tel: 07766990922

For Tabletop Roleplay enquiries, Kaleidoscope LGBTQIA+ enquiries and activities in Brixham please contact: Jenny Hunt, Senior Youth Worker. Tel: 07920806455.