

Flip the Script Youth Work Offer

1. This is a targeted Youth Work programme with and for young people aged 11 to 17 years helping the young person to think about their future following an Early Help Assessment.
2. All referrals come through Early Help via the Panel Outcomes or is signed off by an Early Help Manager or the Vulnerable Pupils Team lead.

Our allocated youth worker will meet the young person at their house or a place where they feel comfortable and together with a parent or carer, we will form an informal plan. This may involve some 1 to 1 time with a maximum of 12 sessions available where the need for more in-depth youth work processes is evident. We will work with the young person to think about their interests, explore their talents, and find new ways forward in their life. We will start by getting to know the young person...and they us. It may be that they need some support with certain areas in their life as we all do at times, and things have been particularly difficult since the Covid-19 situation. Some of the things we can support young people with through this pathway are:

- Having someone to talk to and to be listened to.
- Finding things to do that young people enjoy.
- Getting out and about, especially if the young person has been feeling isolated.
- Thinking about the young person's home life.
- Thinking about aspirations as well as School, College, and Education.
- Thinking about relationships – including friendships and family.
- Supporting young people with thinking about their identity.
- Having fun!

We will work as part of the Team around the Family with our partners to support the young person.

- Our Flip the Script team consists of 2 experienced and qualified Senior youth workers, our full-time trained youth support worker and our part time experienced LGBTQIA+ Participation worker.
- The team utilises the youth work process to build trust with the young person, following the *National Youth Agency Curriculum* areas and utilizing such models as the *Outcomes Star Framework*.
- We use various youth work mediums to encourage engagement and participation.
- We gain the views of the young person to ensure their voice is at the centre of our work together and in any multi-agency planning.
- We work with the young person to promote active decision making and personal development, involving the family/carers where appropriate.
- We can offer young people the opportunity to gain our accreditation, the "Doing it Differently" award.

Youth Service Community Club Young People can sign up themselves to join aged 11-17 years to come along to some of our Groups and Activities listed overleaf.

Please complete the referral form and referral checklist fully – filling out all the sections.

We also have a Sign-up form for self-referrals from young people for the Youth Service Community.

We will also require parental consent for any involvement in any Youth Service Groups for any young people aged under 18 years or for those who are not living independently aged 16 years and over.


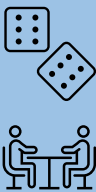



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Torbay Youth Service Group Offer 2023/24

<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 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.