

A Bright Future

Our Vision for all Children and young people in Plymouth to have a bright future

We are ambitious for all of our children to live full and happy lives; receiving good quality health services, attending high quality education, and having fun, while staying safe.

As a Partnership we will prioritise activity that ensures that children and young people are

- Healthy and happy
- Aspire and achieve
- Safe



A Bright Future 2021-2026

- Partnership plan for children and young people
- Recognition of the impact of Covid
- If Plymouth had 100 children...
- Refresh of the Ten Wishes by Young Safeguarders
- Priorities grouped under **Safe, Healthy and Happy and Aspire and Achieve**
- Underpinned by iThrive and Trauma Informed approaches
- Includes key projects such as Pause and development of our Family Hubs
- Ambitious for all of the city's children...



A Bright Future: Principles

We are strengths based

- Prevention is a fundamental aspect of provision
- Early help will be embedded across the system
- Innovation and evidence informs our interventions with families
- Systems should be responsive and accessible, not waiting for crisis to happen before help is offered
- Approaches must build on the strength and resilience of individuals, families and communities



A Bright Future: Principles

Improving the quality of education for all will support improved life chances

- We explore the root causes of disadvantage and improve inclusion and improve opportunities for inclusion
- Raising attainment is critical to reducing the impact of poverty



A Bright Future: Principles

We are restorative and reflective

- We listen to what children, young people and families tell us and use this to drive change
- We challenge ourselves to make sure we have the right support available at the right time and in the right place to support families
- We ask ourselves whether we are working together as well as we can
- We consider whether we are taking into account all the factors/context in the life of a child, including both resilience and risk



A Bright Future: governance to support change



Next steps

Finalising governance proposals:

- Establishing a Strategic System Leadership Board
- Creation of a new Healthy and Happy group
- Plymouth Education Board = Aspire and Achieve
- Plymouth Safeguarding Children's Partnership = Safe
- Ceasing the CYP System Design Group
- Clarity on where key projects cross more than one governance group, e.g. Emotional Health and Wellbeing Steering Group
- Visibility of reporting into Local Care Partnership

