

In Care

The Wirral Promise for young people

The leaflets in this pack have been developed with children and young people from Wirral to give you some information when you first become looked after. You can also visit our website for looked after children and young people: www.therightsideofcare.com

Your promise

We want Wirral Council and its partners to promise us these things to help us:

- 🗨️ be treated as individuals
- 🗨️ have a positive time while we are looked after
- 🗨️ plan for a great future.

Our involvement is the answer and your feedback is important.

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We want:

- To be treated the same as everyone else and not be judged
- A safe and stable home
- Our care plan to be clear and explained to us
- To be supported to achieve our best
- Information about what we are entitled to
- Our voices and opinions heard not just listened to
- Our meetings to be held outside of school
- To know how to get health information and who to contact
- More support in applying for jobs and preparing for interviews
- To be taught basic life skills by our foster carers
- To know and understand who can make decisions for us so we can get on with our everyday lives and enjoy growing up just like other young people.

Contacts

Wirral Council Central Advice
and Duty Team (CADT)

Tel: **0151 606 2008**

Wirral Council Emergency
Duty Team (EDT)

Tel: **0151 677 6557**

Children and Young People's
Inclusion Service

Tel: **0151 678 1936**

Mob: **07799 861 764**

Independent Reviewing Officer

Tel: **0151 666 4442**

Children's Complaints Officer

Tel: **0151 666 5677**

Freephone: **0800 328 7770**

Children's Commissioner
for England

Tel: **020 7783 8330**

www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk

Ofsted

Tel: **0300 123 1231**

enquiries@ofsted.gov.uk

Bullybusters

0800 169 6928

www.bullybusters.org.uk

Childline

0800 1111

www.childline.org.uk

If you would like this leaflet in an alternative format please call **0151 606 2020**.

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