



Children and Young People's Plan 2024-2027



Manchester Children and Young People's Partnership: working together to build a safe, happy, healthy, independent and successful future for the city's children and young people

VALUES

Children and young people matter in Manchester and we are investing in the next generation to build a successful, world class city that is full of opportunities. The priorities in this plan have been informed by children and young people and we will achieve our priorities through a children's rights based approach that is: accountable, participatory, transparent, non discriminatory and that puts the best interests of children at the hear of everything we do.



BEHAVIOURS

In everything we do, we'll make sure that:

- ✓ We work together and trust each other
- ✓ We're proud and passionate about Manchester
- ✓ We take time to listen and understand
- ✓ We 'own' it and aren't afraid to try new things
- ✓ We show that we value our differences and treat people fairly

Priorities

Priority 1: We will make sure children and young people are kept safe and feel safe in their communities

Priority 2: We are committed to prevention and early intervention, providing the right service at the right time in the right place

Priority 3: We will challenge and work together to mitigate the things that can hold children back, like poverty, lack of equity or family circumstances

Priority 4: Our schools and settings will be supported to be inclusive and will deliver high quality education for every child

Priority 5: We will enable every child to be confident and to thrive in a city that strives to meet their needs

Priority 6: We will improve health outcomes for children and young people so that they have the best possible health and wellbeing

Strategies that help us delivery out priorities

Early Help Strategy

Inclusion Strategy

Health & Wellbeing Strategy

Education Strategy

Making Manchester Fairer/Anti Poverty Strategy

ACES/Trauma Informed Practice Strategy

Young Carer's Strategy

Start Well Strategy

Manchester Work and Skills Strategy

Cross Cutting Themes

Environment

Meeting the ambition of zero carbon

Addressing Poverty

So that children are not held back

Equity

So that inequalities are addressed

Inclusion

So that nobody is excluded

Early Help

The right help at the right time

Children's Rights

The voice of CYP will inform a Children's Rights approach

How children and young people informed the Children & Young People's Plan

The views of children and young people helped create the Children & Young People's Plan. Over 11,000 children were consulted during the discovery phase of our bid for UNICEF Child Friendly City status and 60,000 pupils in 187 schools across Greater Manchester took part in the Bee Well Survey. The findings from those consultations have shaped and informed this plan.



Outcome Framework

We will measure progress on our priorities through a number of ways. This will include monitoring data, learning about what works well, looking at impact, gathering feedback. Most of all we will be listening to the views of children and young people. An annual review of progress and impact is also produced each year.

