

CYNGOR SIR CEREDIGION

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Dyddiad y Cyfarfod:	4ydd Gorffennaf 2023
Teitl:	Cofnodion Cyfarfod Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion (17.03.23)
Pwrpas yr adroddiad:	Cyflwyno cofnodion cyfarfod diwethaf Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion
Er:	Gwybodaeth
Portffolio Cabinet ac Aelod Cabinet:	Y Cyngorydd Wyn Thomas, Aelod Cabinet ar gyfer Ysgolion, Dysgu Gydol Oes a Sgiliau

CEFNDIR:

Un o'r dyletswyddau a roddwyd i Awdurdodau Lleol o fewn Llywodraeth Cymru – Rhannu Pwrpas: Rhannu Dyfodol: Canllawiau Statudol i Ddeddf Llesiant Cenedlaethau'r Dyfodol (Cymru) 2015 - yw Atodiad B - y **Canllawiau Statudol ar Gyfranogiad Plant a Phobl Ifanc**.

Er mwyn cwrdd ag un o ofynion y ddeddfwriaeth, mae disgwyl i Awdurdodau Lleol weithio gyda phartneriaid perthnasol i:

- *Gefnogi Fforwm / Cyngor Ieuenctid y Sir fel corff cynrychioliadol o bobl ifanc i weithredu fel sianel ar gyfer barn pobl ifanc ar draws eu hawdurdod lleol a chynrychioli'r safbwyntiau hynny i gyrff gwneud penderfyniadau lleol a chenedlaethol.*
- *Dylent anelu at fod mor gynhwysol â phosibl o ran lledaeniad daearyddol, oedran, rhyw ac i gynrychioli anghenion arbenigol a phobl ifanc mwy ymylol.*
- *Er mwyn i Fforymau / Cyngorau Ieuenctid y Sir weithredu'n effeithiol, bydd angen iddynt gael eu cefnogi'n ddigonol gan Awdurdodau Lleol a ddylai ystyried pa gymorth sydd ei angen i wneud hyn.*
- *Dylent gael eu hysbysu a'u cysylltu â'u strwythurau democrataidd lleol.*
- *Bydd angen iddynt hefyd gael eu cysylltu'n effeithiol â strwythurau cyfranogi cenedlaethol fel Young Wales, Comisiynydd Plant Cymru a Chynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru.*

*Mae gan blant a phobl ifanc yr hawl ddynol i gael barn ac i'r safbwyntiau hyn fod o bwys. Mae'n dweud y dylid ystyried barn plant a phobl ifanc pan fydd pobl yn gwneud penderfyniadau am bethau sy'n eu cynnwys, ac ni ddylid eu diswyddo allan o law ar sail oedran. Mae hefyd yn dweud y dylid rhoi'r wybodaeth sydd ei hangen ar blant a phobl ifanc i wneud penderfyniadau da. **Erthygl 12 (Parch at farn y plentyn - Confensiwn y Cenedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn (CCUHP)***

Y SEFYLLFA BRESENNOL:

Gwasanaeth Gwaith Ieuenctid ac Ymgysylltu Ceredigion sy'n gyfrifol am gydlynu a rheoli Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion ers iddo gael ei sefydlu gyntaf yn Hydref 2015. Maent yn cwrdd pedair gwaith y flwyddyn (unwaith bob tymor) ac mae'r Cyngor yn cynnal digwyddiad ar ddiwedd eu blwyddyn 'yn y rôl'. Mae cyfarfodydd y Cyngor Ieuenctid bellach yn cael eu cynnal nol yn y Siambr ym Mhenmorfa.

Oes Aseiad Effaith Integredig wedi ei gwblhau? Os na, esboniwch pam

Llesiant Cenedlaethau'r Dyfodol:	Crynodeb: Hirdymor: Cydbwyso angen tymor byr â chynllunio tymor hir ar gyfer y dyfodol Integreiddio: Darparu ymyrraeth gynnar i leihau problemau rhag datblygu Cydweithio: Ystyried sut y gall llesiant pobl ifanc effeithio ar bob un o'r nodau llesiant Cynnwys: Gweithio gydag eraill i greu cyfleoedd i bobl ifanc Atal: Cynnwys pobl ifanc a cheisio eu barn
Argymhelliad / Argymhellion:	Cyflwyno cofnodion cyfarfod diwethaf Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion i Bwyllgor Trosolwg a Craffu Cymunedau Dysgu a Cabinet, er gwybodaeth.
Rheswm / Rhesymau dros y penderfyniad:	Cymeradwyo'r cais a bodloni gofynion y ddeddfwriaeth fel y nodir yn Atodiad B Llywodraeth Cymru - Rhannu Pwrpas: Rhannu Dyfodol: Canllawiau Statudol i Ddeddf Llesiant Cenedlaethau'r Dyfodol (Cymru) 2015 - yw Atodiad B - y Canllawiau Statudol ar Gyfranogiad Plant a Phobl Ifanc.
Trosolwg a Chraffu:	Pwyllgor Trosolwg a Chraffu Cymunedau Sy'n Dysgu
Fframwaith Polisi:	
Blaenoriaethau Gorfforaethol:	Strategaeth Gorfforaethol 2012-2027 Buddsoddi yn Nyfodol y Bobl
Goblygiadau Cyllid a Chaffael:	Dim
Goblygiadau cyfreithiol:	Dim
Goblygiadau staffio:	Dim
Goblygiadau eiddo / asedau:	Dim

Risg(iau):	Dim
Pwerau Statudol:	Canllawiau Statudol ar Gyfranogiad Plant a Phobl Ifanc. Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn.
Papurau Cefndir:	Dim
Atodiadau:	Atodiad 1: Atodiad B- Canllawiau Statudol ynghylch cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc Atodiad 2: Cofnodion Cyfarfod Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion 17.03.23
Swyddog Arweiniol Corfforaethol:	Elen James, Swyddog Arweiniol Corfforaethol: Porth Cymorth Cynnar
Swyddog Adrodd:	Lowri Evans / Gwion Bowen
Dyddiad:	10fed Mai 2023

Rhannu Pwrpas: Rhannu Dyfodol 3 – Rôl Gytûn (byrddau gwasanaethau cyhoeddus)

**SPSF 3 - ATODIAD B
CANLLAWIAU STATUDOL YNGHYLCH CYFRANOGIAD PLANT A PHOBL
IFANC**

Mae'r canllawiau statudol hyn yn cael eu cyhoeddi yn unol ag [Adran 17\(3\) o Fesur Plant a Theuluoedd \(Cymru\) 2010](#) ac maent yn berthnasol i awdurdodau lleol mewn perthynas â chynlluniau llesiant lleol, a phryd bynnag y byddant yn gwneud penderfyniadau a allai effeithio ar blant a phobl ifanc.

Mae gan Awdurdodau Lleol ddyletswydd i hybu a hwyluso cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc mewn penderfyniadau a allai effeithio arnynt. Y sail gyfreithiol ar gyfer y ddyletswydd hon yw Adran 12 o Fesur Plant a Theuluoedd (Cymru) 2010. Mae'n ei gwneud yn ofynnol i Awdurdodau Lleol *wneud trefniadau y maent yn ystyried sy'n addas i hybu a hwyluso cyfranogiad gan blant ym mhenderfyniadau'r awdurdod a allai effeithio arnynt, ac i gyhoeddi a diweddarau gwybodaeth am ei drefniadau*. Gallai'r dyletswyddau hyn gael eu cyflawni drwy'r cynllun llesiant lleol.

Mae Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn (CCUHP) yn gonfensiwn rhyngwladol sy'n nodi hawliau sifil, gwleidyddol, economaidd, cymdeithasol a diwylliannol plant hyd at 18 oed. Mae'n cydnabod nid yn unig eu hawliau dynol sylfaenol ond yn rhoi hawliau ychwanegol iddynt i'w hamddiffyn rhag niwed fel un o'r grwpiau mwyaf agored i niwed mewn cymdeithas. Mae gan CCUHP 54 o erthyglau. Mae erthyglau 1-41 yn nodi sut y dylai plant a phobl ifanc gael eu trin. Mae'r 13 o erthyglau eraill yn nodi sut y dylai llywodraethau ac oedolion gydweithio i sicrhau y gallai plant a phobl ifanc gael mynediad at eu hawliau.

Yng Nghymru, mae'r ymrwymiad i'r Confensiwn yn cael ei ymgorffori mewn deddfwriaeth gyda [Mesur Hawliau Plant a Phobl Ifance \(Cymru\) 2011](#).

Mae Adran 1 y Mesur yn gosod dyletswydd ar Weinidogion Cymru i roi sylw dyledus i'r Confensiwn wrth arfer eu swyddogaethau. Mae hyn yn golygu bod yn rhaid i Weinidogion Cymru ystyried sut mae'r hyn maent yn ei wneud yn

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cysylltu â'r hawliau a'r rhwymedigaethau yn CCUHP a manteisiwyd ar bob cyfle i nodi sut i wireddu'r hawliau perthnasol cyn gwneud penderfyniadau. O ganlyniad, mae hyn yn treiddio l lawr i'r lefel leol drwy ddeddfwriaeth, rheoliadau a chanllawiau statudol.

Mae'r canllawiau hyn yn ymwneud â hawl plant a phobl ifanc i gymryd rhan sy'n hawl sylfaenol ac yn hawl galluogi fel y nodir yn Erthygl 12 CCUHP:

Mae gan blant yr hawl i ddweud eu barn ynghylch beth maent yn meddwl a ddylai ddigwydd, pan fo oedolion yn gwneud penderfyniadau sy'n effeithio arnynt hwy, ac i gael eu barn wedi ei hystyried.

Mae erthyglau'r CCUHP wedi'u crynhoi'n [Saith Nod Craidd](#) a ddylai fod yn sail l arferion gwaith unrhyw ddarpariaeth gan wasanaeth sy'n gweithio gyda phlant a phobl ifanc yn genedlaethol ac yn lleol. Mae Nod Craidd 5 yn arbennig yn ymwneud â chyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc gyda'r nod

Bod pob plenty a person ifanc yn cael gwrandawriad, yn cael eu trin a pharch, ac yn cael eu hil a'u hunaniaeth ddiwylliannol wedi'u cynabod

Bwriad y canllaw hwn felly yw rhoi cyfle i bob plantyn a pherson ifanc gael gwrandawriad a chael cyfrannu at wneud penderfyniadau.

Gall llais a chyfranogiad y dinesydd fod yn erfyn pwysig i ddeall ble mae system yn methu a lle mae diffyg cyd-drefnu rhwng darparwyr gwasanaethau yn gwastraffu adnoddau heb wella canlyniadau, i ailgynllunio gwasanaethau o gwmpas anghenion pobl ac i bwysu a mesur effeithlonrwydd gwasanaeth. Dylai plant a phobl ifanc gael eu hystyried fel dinasyddion nawr, nid dinasyddion y dyfodol. Dylai Awdurdodau Lleol feddwl sut y gallant roi'r grym i blant a phobl ifanc gyfrannu at wneud penderfyniadau a sicrhau bod clust i glywed eu barn. Er y bod yn well gan y rhan fwyaf o blant a phobl ifanc

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gyfrannu mewn grŵp, dylid ystyried sut y gall unigolion fod yn rhan o brosesau cynllunio a phenderfynu.

Gofynion

Er mwyn bodloni gofynion y Ddeddfwriaeth, mae disgwyl i Awdurdodau Lleol weithio gyda phartneriaid perthnasol i:

- hyrwyddo a hwyluso cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc o fewn cyd-destun eang y CCUHP, fel rhan o'u polisiau, gwasanaethau a'r ymgysylltu ehangach â dinasyddion. Mae disgwyl i Awdurdodau Lleol sicrhau bod cymaint o blant a phobl ifanc â phosibl yn ymwybodol o'u hawliau fel y nodir hwy yn y Confensiwn, gan gynnwys eu hawl i gymryd rhan ac i'w barn gael ei chlywed, a'u hawl i fod yn rhan o wneud penderfyniadau am bolisiau a gwasanaethau sy'n effeithio ar eu bywydau;
- gwreiddio cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc ym mhob agwedd ar gynllunio, darparu ac adolygu gwasanaethau. Dylai hyn gynnwys Asesu Llesiant Lleol, y cynllun llesiant lleol ac is-gynlluniau perthnasol;
- mabwysiadu Safonau Cyfranogi Cenedlaethol. Mae cefnogaeth i'r Safonau Cyfranogi Cenedlaethol yn atgyfnerthu'r ymrwymiad i hawliau plant yng Nghymru a cheir llawer o enghreifftiau o arferion da o gyrrff sydd wedi mabwysiadu'r safonau fel cyfrwng i sicrhau bod unrhyw gyfranogiad yn ystyrlon ac effeithlon.
- cyhoeddi gwybodaeth am fanteision a threfniadau hyrwyddo a hwyluso cyfranogiad yn yr awdurdod, a rhannu enghreifftiau o arferion da, er enghraifft, trwy wefannau a thafleuni newyddion yn ogystal ag ar y Bod pob plentyn a pherson ifanc yn cael gwrandawriad, yn cael eu trin â pharch, ac yn cael eu hil a'u hunaniaeth ddiwylliannol wedi'u cydnabod. cyfryngau cymdeithasol a thrwy weithio gyda 'Young Wales'. Gall y plant a'r bobl ifanc eu hunain gymryd rhan amlwg i godi ymwybyddiaeth am

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bwysigrwydd cymryd rhan. Mae gan Lywodraeth Cymru lawer o adnoddau a allai gefnogi hyn ac y gellid eu haddasu yn ôl anghenion lleol. Yn ogystal â defnyddio adnoddau a'r cyfryngau sy'n rhwydd eu cyrraedd gan blant a phobl ifanc, gellid cynnwys gwybodaeth yn adroddiad cynnydd blynyddol y bwrdd gwasanaethau cyhoeddus;

- dylai gwybodaeth a deunyddiau sydd wedi'u hanelu at blant a phobl ifanc fod yn glir ac yn hawdd i'w deall. Dylent ateb eu cwestiynau a'r anghenion a nodwyd ganddynt, yn ogystal â bod yn gywir, yn gyfredol, yn berthnasol ac yn hygyrch o ran iaith a fformat.

- sicrhau bod ystod o gyfleoedd a'r gefnogaeth briodol yn cael eu darparu ar gyfer cyfranogiad effeithiol. Dylai'r cyfleoedd i blant a phobl ifanc fel unigolion gymryd rhan gael eu hintegreiddio i'r gwasanaethau o ddydd i ddydd yn ogystal â strwythurau cyfranogi penodol megis fforymau ar gyfer plant, fforymau ar gyfer pobl ifanc, neu grwpiau/fforymau sy'n cynrychioli plant a phobl ifanc sydd ar y cyrion, rhai sy'n agored i niwed neu rai sydd â diddordeb arbennig mewn mater penodol. Mae gan y fforymau a'r grwpiau hyn rôl allweddol i'w chwarae o ran cefnogi plant a phobl ifanc i gael llais ac i ddefnyddio eu hawliau fel y nodir hwy yn y Confensiwn;

- cefnogi Fforwm / Cyngor Ieuentid Sirol fel corff cynrychiadol o bobl ifanc i weithredu fel sianel ar gyfer barn pobl ifanc ar draws eu hawdurdod lleol a chynrychioli'r safbwyntiau hynny i gyrff gwneud penderfyniadau lleol a chenedlaethol. Dylent anelu at fod mor gynhwysol â phosibl o ran lledaeniad daearyddol, oedran, rhyw ac at gynrychioli anghenion arbenigol a phobl ifanc sy'n fwy ar yr ymylon. Er mwyn i Fforymau/ Cyngorau Ieuentid Sirol weithredu'n effeithiol, bydd angen iddynt gael eu cefnogi'n ddigonol gan Awdurdodau Lleol a ddylai ystyried pa gymorth sydd ei angen i wneud hyn. Dylent gael eu hysbysu gan eu strwythurau democrataidd lleol a'u cysylltu â hwy. Bydd angen iddynt hefyd gysylltu'n effeithiol i mewn i strwythurau cyfranogiad cenedlaethol megis 'Young Wales', Comisiynydd Plant Cymru a Chynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru.

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- rhoi ystyriaeth briodol i'r iaith Gymraeg wrth hyrwyddo a hwyluso cyfranogiad ac fel rhan o baratoi'r cynllun llesiant lleol, gan adlewyrchu ei statws swyddogol yng Nghymru a'r nod llesiant cenedlaethol sef 'y Gymraeg yn ffynnu'.

Gweithio gyda phartneriaid

Er bod y canllawiau statudol hyn, a gyhoeddwyd o dan [Fesur Plant a Theuluoedd \(Cymru\) 2010](#) yn ymwneud ag Awdurdodau Lleol yn unig, byddem yn eu hannog I weithio'n agos gyda phob un o'u partneriaid perthnasol. Mae gweithio mewn ffordd amlasiantaethol yn arfer da ac mae Adran 25 [Deddf Plant 2004](#) yn gosod dyletswydd gyfreithiol ar awdurdodau lleol i hyrwyddo cydweithrediad gyda'r bwriad o wella llesiant plant yn yr ardal. Ymhellach, mae [Adran 38 Deddf Llesiant Cenedlaethau'r Dyfodol \(Cymru\) 2015](#) yn rhoi gofyniad ar fyrddau gwasanaethau cyhoeddus hefyd I ymgynghori wrth asesu cyflwr llesiant economaidd, cymdeithasol, amgylcheddol a diwylliannol yn eu hardal.

Mae llawer o enghreifftiau o bartneriaid sy'n cyfrannu at gyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc ac yn ei brif ffrydio i'w meysydd gwaith a'u trefniadau ar gyfer ymgysylltu â dinasyddion. Gwelir rhai o'r rhain ar www.youngwales.wales and www.pupilvoicewales.org.uk.

Beth sy'n digwydd nawr?

Mae cwmpas y ddyletswydd i hyrwyddo a hwyluso cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc yn ehangach na chael eu cynnwys yn y cynllun llesiant lleol. Mae'n bwysig fod cyfranogiad yn dod yn rhan o bolisi ac arferion yr holl bartneriaid lleol. Dylai Awdurdodau Lleol weithio gyda phartneriaid lleol, gan gynnwys plant a phobl ifanc, er mwyn sicrhau bod cyfranogiad yn cael ei hyrwyddo a'i hwyluso.

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Fodd bynnag, gallai'r cynllun llesiant esbonio sut y gellid sicrhau bod pob agwedd ar gynllunio, darparu ac adolygu gwasanaethau a'u "trefniadau ar gyfer hyrwyddo a hwyluso cyfranogiad" wneud cyfranogiad ac ymgysylltiad plant a phobl ifanc yn ganolog iddynt. Gallai adroddiad cynnydd y bwrdd gwasanaethau cyhoeddus gynnwys crynodeb i esbonio sut mae'r dyletswyddau statudol hyn wedi'u cyflawni a sut y gellid gwneud yn well. Gallai adroddiad cynnydd blynyddol y byrddau gwasanaethau cyhoeddus ystyried y nodweddion gwarchoddedig, yn enwedig o ran oed, gan adrodd yn benodol ar ganlyniadau i blant a phobl ifanc.

Bydd Llywodraeth Cymru'n monitro trefniadau lleol ar gyfer cyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc. Hefyd, mae cynlluniau llesiant lleol yn rhoi tystiolaeth i Arolygiaethau a Swyddfa Archwilio Cymru (WAO) wrth iddynt gynnal adolygiadau o effeithlonrwydd ac effeithiolrwydd gwasanaethau lleol. Gallai Arolygiaethau a'r WAO hefyd adolygu'r canlyniadau a gyflawnwyd a'r gweithdrefnau cysylltiedig i ddangos pa mor effeithiol y mae plant a phobl ifanc yn cael eu clywed a'u cynnwys.

Mae gan blant a phobl ifanc yr hawl i gael gwrandawriad, i gael llais ac i allu cael mynediad at gyfleoedd i chwarae rhan weithredol mewn gwneud penderfyniadau lle bynnag y bônt - yn yr ysgol, o gwmpas yn y gymuned neu fel defnyddwyr gwasanaethau.

Ein huchelgais yw i bob plentyn a pherson ifanc yng Nghymru wireddu eu hawliau fel y nodir hwy yn y Confensiwn. Efallai y bydd yna weithiau rwystrau i gyflawni hyn, ond drwy weithio mewn ffordd gydweithredol, mae gennym ni i gyd rôl o ran ystyried ffyrdd y gallai'r rhwystrau hyn gael eu dileu neu eu goresgyn. Mae Cymru wedi bod yn arwain y ffordd o ran cyfranogaeth plant a phobl ifanc, a rhaid cynnal y momentwm.

Gellir gweld rhagor o wybodaeth am arfer da mewn perthynas â chyfranogiad plant a phobl ifanc ar www.childrensrights.wales neu

http://www.childrensrights.wales/images/PDF/Participation_En2.pdf

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Mae gwybodaeth, adnoddau, deunyddiau ac arfer da sy'n cefnogi cyfranogiad yng Nghymru ar gael hefyd yn www.youngwales.wales.

**Cofnodion Cyfarfod
Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion
Siambwr y Cyngor, Penmorfa
Dydd Gwener 17 Mawrth 2023**

(10:00 – 13.45)

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Ysgol Gyfun Aberaeron ac ASI SIDU
Ysgol Bro Pedr
Ysgol Bro Pedr
Ysgol Bro Pedr a Chadeirydd y Cyngor Ieuenctid
Ysgol Gyfun Penweddig
Ysgol Gyfun Penweddig
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Ysgol Penglais
Ysgol Penglais
Ysgol Henry Richard
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Coleg Ceredigion a Chenhadon Cymunedol Aberystwyth
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Agenda y Cyfarfod:



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	Agorodd Ifan Meredith y cyfarfod trwy estyn croeso i'r Cyngor Ieuenctid i'r Siambwr. Nodwyd yr ymddiheuriadau.

	<p>Hysbyswyd y Cyngor leuenctid o'r trefniadau ymarferol gan IM.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Siaradwyr • Dyfeisiau cyfieithu • Allanfeydd Tân • Toiledau • Cinio a lluniaeth <p>Esboniodd IM y bydd cofrestr yn mynd o gwmpas yn ystod y cyfarfod er mwyn i'r aelodau ei llenwi.</p>
2	<p>Ymgynghoriad a Holiadur Asesiad Strategol Trosedd ac Anrhefn Ceredigion</p> <p>Estynnodd y Cadeirydd groeso i Timothy Bray, Swyddog Partneriaeth Diogelwch Cymunedol ac Argyfyngau Sifil Posibl Cyngor Sir Ceredigion i'r cyfarfod.</p> <p>Rhoddodd Timothy gyflwyniad i'w rôl a'i gefndir o ran gyrfa, a rhannodd wybodaeth am waith y Bartneriaeth Diogelwch Cymunedol, sy'n eistedd o fewn Bwrdd Gwasanaethau Cyhoeddus Ceredigion.</p> <p>Ar hyn o bryd, mae Timothy a'i dîm yn hwyluso'r 'Asesiad Strategol Trosedd ac Anrhefn', sy'n cynnwys holiadur cyhoeddus sydd wedi bod yn fyw am bron i 3 wythnos. Mae fersiwn o'r holiadur ar gael ar gyfer pobl ifanc, ac maent yn awyddus i gasglu safbwyntiau pobl ifanc yng Ngheredigion i fod yn rhan o'r ymateb i'r arolwg.</p> <p>Rhannodd Timothy gyflwyniad ar y sgrin a rhoddodd gopiâu papur o'r holiadur i'r aelodau i'w llenwi.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>YP Crime and Disorder Questionnai</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Youth Council SA Presentation.pptx</p> </div> </div>
3	<p>Pobl Ifanc ac Iechyd Meddwl: Trafodaeth Grŵp</p>
	<p>Estynnodd y Cadeirydd groeso i Gyngorydd Wyn Thomas, Aelod Cabinet dros Ysgolion, Dysgu Gydol Oes a Sgiliau. Bu'r Cyngorydd Thomas yn hwyluso trafodaeth ynghylch Iechyd Meddwl a Lles a bu pobl ifanc yn rhannu eu safbwyntiau am y cymorth presennol sydd ar gael a'r bylchau yn y ddarpariaeth. Nododd y bobl ifanc bod rhestr aros er mwyn cael eich gweld gan y Gwasanaeth Cwnsela mewn Ysgolion.</p>
4	<p>Adborth am Brif Ganfyddiadau Prosiect Adolygu Ymgysylltu Cymunedol Gwledig Cymorth ac Atal</p>
	<p>Estynnodd y Cadeirydd groeso i Richard Timms, Ymgynghorydd gyda WELV Consulting i'r cyfarfod, a oedd wedi mynychu'r Cyngor leuenctid dan drefniant rhith ar 21/20/22 yn y lle cyntaf, i gynnal sesiwn ymgysylltu gyda phobl ifanc am eu hadolygiad ymgysylltu cymunedol gwledig.</p>

Mae Richard wedi dychwelyd er mwyn cynnig diweddariad a rhannu adborth am brif ganfyddiadau'r adroddiad.



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Soniodd Richard am y canfyddiadau, gan gynnig trosolwg lefel uchel o'r prif ganfyddiadau.

Holodd Richard a fyddai modd rhannu'r adroddiad (ar ôl iddo gael ei gymeradwyo) gydag aelodau'r Cyngor Ieuenctid. Cytunodd LE a GB y caiff ei rannu ar Sianel MS Teams y Cyngor Ieuenctid, a thrwy'r cofnodion.



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5 Adborth gan Is-grwpiau yr Amgylchedd ac Urddas Mislif

Rhoddodd LE a GB ddiweddariad i'r holl aelodau ar ran y ddau is-grŵp.

Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd

Cyflwynodd GB gylch gorchwyl drafft is-grŵp yr amgylchedd i holl aelodau'r Cyngor Ieuenctid, yr oedd yr aelodau wedi dylanwadu arno a helpu i'w gynllunio yn ystod cyfarfodydd blaenorol yr is-grŵp. Fel grŵp newydd, roedd yr aelodau wedi sicrhau bod diben a strwythur is-grŵp yr amgylchedd yn cael ei amlygu yn glir, a nodwyd sawl blaenoriaeth er mwyn sicrhau bod yr is-grŵp yn gallu cymryd camau bychain tuag at ei brif nod yn ystod ei flwyddyn gyntaf.

“Nod Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion:

Yn unol ag Erthygl 12 Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn (CCUHP), bydd is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn canolbwyntio ar faterion amgylcheddol ac sy'n ymwneud â newid hinsawdd sy'n effeithio ar Bobl Ifanc sy'n byw yn Sir Ceredigion a thu hwnt.”

Caiff y cylch gorchwyl ei gynnwys hefyd fel rhaglen arfaethedig ar gyfer yr is-grŵp ar gyfer 2023.

Cytunwyd ar a mabwysiadwyd cylch gorchwyl Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd gan y Cyngor Ieuenctid cyfan yn ystod y cyfarfod.



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Is-Grŵp Urddas Mislif

Cydnabu LE bod sawl aelod o'r Cyngor leuenctid wedi ffurfio'r Is-grŵp Urddas Mislif a'u bod wedi cyflawni rôl allweddol wrth siapio gwaith y grŵp, a mynegodd ei diolch i'r aelodau hynny am rannu eu hystyriaethau, eu syniadau a'u profiadau mewn perthynas ag Urddas Mislif. Bu hyn o gymorth mawr wrth sicrhau bod yr ymgyrch Urddas Mislif yn ystyried ac yn gweithredu ar sail llais pobl ifanc. Mae'r Is-Grŵp wedi cyfrannu cryn dipyn at y broses o wario Grant Urddas Mislif yr Awdurdod Lleol (a gafwyd gan Lywodraeth Cymru), er mwyn sicrhau ei fod yn bodloni anghenion pobl ifanc a chymunedau.

O ganlyniad i waith yr is-grŵp, mae hyn wedi ein galluogi i adolygu elfennau o'n dull gweithredu tuag at Urddas Mislif a Thlodi Mislif yng Ngheredigion, a'r hyn y gall y Cyngor leuenctid a'i is-grŵp ddylanwadu arno mewn ysgolion a chymuendau, yn enwedig ar gyfer pobl ifanc. Lluniwyd cynllun gwaith y llynedd, a rhoddodd JD ac AL gyflwyniad i fforwm y Penaethiaid. Er na fu popeth yn y cynllun gwaith o fewn cyrraedd eleni, mae'r wybodaeth ynddo ac a rannwyd gan aelodau'r is-grŵp wedi ein galluogi i ddeall yr hyn sy'n bwysig i bobl ifanc mewn perthynas ag Urddas Mislif.

Diweddariad o'r hyn a gyflawnwyd / yr hyn sy'n mynd rhagddo o ganlyniad i Is-Grŵp Urddas Mislif y Cyngor leuenctid:

- **Hyfforddiant Staff:** mae hwn yn rhywbeth a drafodwyd gan y grŵp ac roeddent yn teimlo y byddai'n cynorthwyo disgyblion mewn Addysg Gynradd, Uwchradd ac AB. Felly, trefnwyd hyfforddiant i staff am y glasoed ac urddas mislif ym mis Ebrill 2023, ac fe'i ddarparir gan elusen SRE, sef Brook. Nod yr hyfforddiant yw meithrin dealltwriaeth a chynyddu ymwybyddiaeth, gwybodaeth a hyder ymhlith gweithwyr proffesiynol, fel y gallant gynorthwyo disgyblion mewn perthynas â'r mislif, fel y gellir addysgu disgyblion am urddas mislif, a fel eu bod yn teimlo y gallant gael sgysiau agored gyda gweithwyr proffesiynol mewn lleoliadau amrywiol. Cynigir yr hyfforddiant i'r holl leoliadau cynradd, uwchradd ac AB, yn ogystal ag asiantaethau eraill sy'n gweithio gyda phobl ifanc, megis Gweithwyr leuenctid a Nyrsys Ysgol. Yn ogystal, estynnir gwahoddiad i aelodau'r Is-Grŵp sy'n dymuno mynychu'r hyfforddiant i staff efallai, er mwyn dysgu am yr hyn y mae'r hyfforddiant yn ei gynnig.

Gweithredu: LE i ganfod a oes unrhyw rai o aelodau'r Is-Grŵp yn dymuno mynychu'r hyfforddiant, a threfnu caniatâd gan eu hysgolion priodol, a chludiant yn ôl y gofyn.



Taflen Hyfforddiant
Urddas Mislif Staff 20

- **Hyfforddiant i Rieni / Gofalwyr:** Trefnwyd 2 webinar, gyda Brook unwaith eto. Mae'r rhain ar gyfer Rhieni a Gofalwyr plant a phobl ifanc yng Ngheredigion, er mwyn meithrin dealltwriaeth, ymwybyddiaeth a ffyrdd o gynorthwyo plant a phobl ifanc gyda'r mislif.



Taflen Gweminar
Urddas Mislif Rhieni~

- Cynhyrchion: Trafododd yr Is-Grŵp amrediad ac amrywiaeth y cynhyrchion sydd ar gael i bobl ifanc, a'r angen i gael dewis o gynhyrchion di-blastig, y mae modd eu hailddefnyddio neu ecogyfeillgar, yn ogystal â'r dewisiadau 'safonol'. Yn aml, gall y cynhyrchion hyn fod yn ddrud iawn, felly mae'n annhebygol y bydd pobl ifanc yn gallu fforddio prynu gwahanol eitemau er mwyn darganfod y rhai sydd fwyaf addas iddyn nhw, oherwydd eu pris. Felly, prynwyd cyflenwad mawr o gynhyrchion, ac ar ôl iddynt gyrraedd, cânt eu dosbarthu i Ysgolion Uwchradd a Cholegau a byddant ar gael i Ysgolion Cynradd hefyd. Dosbarthir cynhyrchion i sefydliadau a grwpiau cymunedol o hyd hefyd.
- Mynediad i gynhyrchion mewn ysgolion: Bu aelodau'r Is-Grŵp yn trafod ac yn cydnabod bod hyn yn amrywio o ysgol i ysgol, a bod cyfle i ddatblygu'r gwaith da a wnaethpwyd eisoes ar draws Ysgolion Uwchradd y Sir. Mae cynhyrchion ar gael yn nerbynfa neu gyfleuster hafan rhai ysgolion, ac mae cynhyrchion mewn ystafelloedd ymolchi neu ystafelloedd newid ysgolion eraill. Mae dull o sicrhau bod cynhyrchion ar gael i ddisgyblion, heb iddynt orfod gofyn amdanynt, mewn man canolog, sy'n lleihau'r stigma o fod angen cynhyrchion, yn bwysig. Gan ymateb i hyn, paratowyd taflenni a phosteri ar gyfer ysgolion, yn ogystal â 'stondinau' a gynigir i bob ysgol uwchradd, i'w lleoli mewn man addas yn eu barn nhw, fel y gall pobl ifanc gasglu amrywiaeth o gynhyrchion pryd bynnag y bydd angen iddynt wneud hynny.




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- Mynediad i gynhyrchion mewn cymunedau: mae sefydliadau a grwpiau cymunedol, megis llyfrgelloedd, banciau bwyd, canolfannau hamdden, canolfannau teuluoedd ac ati, yn cael stoc rheolaidd o gynhyrchion mislif i'w dosbarthu i bobl yn eu cymunedau, yn rhad ac am ddim. Roedd yr is-grŵp yn teimlo y byddai'n ddefnyddiol i bobl gael rhestr o'r manau hyn, fel eu bod yn gwybod ble y gallant gasglu cynhyrchion. O ganlyniad, lluniwyd cyfeiriadur o'r rhai sy'n eu cadw, ac mae ar gael ar wefan Cyngor Sir Ceredigion: [Urddas Mislif yng Ngheredigion – Cyngor Sir Ceredigion](#)



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- Dillad sbâr mewn ysgolion. Trafododd yr is-grŵp cael dillad sbâr (trowsus, teits, a dillad isaf) ar gael mewn ysgolion uwchradd ar gyfer urddas mislif. Roeddent yn teimlo y gallai hyn leihau'r stigma sy'n gysylltiedig â'r mislif. Felly, o ganlyniad, prynwyd stoc o

	<p>deits, trowsus a dillad isaf mewn amrywiaeth o feintiau ar gyfer pob ysgol uwchradd, fel eu bod ar gael os bydd eu hangen ar ddisgyblion.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addysg ar gyfer disgyblion: Teimlir y bydd cyfleu addysg a negeseuon cyson ynghylch y mislif ar draws holl ysgolion Ceredigion, yn rhai cynradd ac uwchradd, yn mynd i'r afael â rhywfaint o'r stigma sy'n ymwneud â'r mislif, gan gynnig addysg oes i blant a phobl ifanc. Bu'r is-grŵp yn trafod rhai o'r sialensiau sy'n gysylltiedig ag addysg am y glasoed mewn ysgolion cynradd, a'i fod wedi cael ei rannu yn ôl rhyw yn flaenorol, neu ar brydiau, nad yw'n cynnig yr addysg i bawb. O ganlyniad, bydd y Grant Urddas Mislif yn 2023-24 yn ariannu cyfres o sesiynau a ddarparir gan y sefydliad arbenigol, Brook, a chynigir y rhain i'r holl ysgolion ar gyfer disgyblion blwyddyn 7, 8 a 9 (yn yr uwchradd) ac i bob disgybl blwyddyn 5 a 6 (yn y cynradd). Cyflwynir y sesiynau hyn a chyfeirir atynt fel 'sioe deithiol gwybodaeth' rhwng mis Medi 2023 a mis Ionawr 2024. Rhennir gwybodaeth gydag ysgolion am y cynnig maes o law. <p>Unwaith eto, diolchodd LE i'r grŵp am eu mewnbwn yn ystod y flwyddyn, a'r gobraith yw y byddant yn gweld effaith eu gwaith cyn iddynt orffen ym Mlwyddyn 13. Wrth i'w cyfnod yn y swydd ddod i ben, dywedodd LE y byddai croeso i'r aelodau barhau fel rhan o'r is-grŵp ym mis Medi pe baent yn dymuno gwneud hynny.</p>
6	<p>Diweddariad gan Aelod SIDU Ceredigion yn Senedd Ieuenctid y Deyrnas Unedig (SIDU)</p>
	<p>Rhoddodd GB ddiweddariad byr ynghylch cyhoeddiad a wnaethpwyd gan Senedd y DU yn ddiweddar, a oedd yn cadarnhau y bydd Cyngor Ieuenctid Prydain yn parhau i arwain at Raglen SIDU ar gyfer 2023 – 2025.</p> <p>Yn ystod y tymor nesaf, bydd SIDU yn canolbwyntio ar yr argyfwng costau byw ac yn arbennig, prydau ysgol am ddim i <u>bob</u> disgybl yn ein hysgolion. Bydd SIDU yn lansio 'ymgyrch bwyd ar gyfer dysgu' a fydd yn ceisio sicrhau cefnogaeth yr AS lleol dros brydau ysgol am ddim i bob disgybl ysgol ar draws y DU.</p> <p>Fel rhan o raglen SIDU, cadarnhaodd AL ei fod yn edrych ymlaen i gyfarfod ASlau eraill o Gymru yn ystod cyfarfodydd misol (a gynhelir gan Blant yng Nghymru) a gweithio tuag at ddiwyddiad diwedd tymor SIDU, sef 'y ddadl fawr', a gynhelir yn Nhŷ'r Cyffredin, Llundain ym mis Tachwedd 2023.</p>
7	<p>Canlyniadau Ymgyrch Leol 'Rhoi dy Farn 2023' y Cyngor Ieuenctid</p>
	<p>Cyflwynodd GB ganlyniadau ymgyrch 'Rhoi dy Farn 2023'. Dywedodd GB bod 2184 o bobl ifanc wedi pleidleisio yn y bleidlais eleni, sef tua 37% o'r boblogaeth, o'i gymharu â'r sefyllfa y llynedd, lle'r oedd 2160 o bobl ifanc wedi pleidleisio ym mhleidlais Gwneud eich Marc Cyngor Ieuenctid Prydain.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Canlyniadau Rhoi Dy Farn.pptx</p> </div>

Esboniodd GB bod y 7 ysgol uwchradd wedi cymryd rhan, yn ogystal â Choleg Ceredigion (Aberystwyth ac Aberteifi), Hyfforddiant Ceredigion Training (HCT), Cenhadon Aberystwyth a Grŵp Ysbrydoli Ôl-16.



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Treuliodd yr aelodau ychydig amser yn pori trwy'r canlyniadau ac yn eu dadansoddi. Roedd yr aelodau yn cydnabod bod y canlyniadau yn cynrychioli'r prif faterion y mae pobl ifanc yn eu hwynebu ar hyn o bryd.

Soniodd IM y gallai nifer y pleidleisiau dros hyrwyddo'r iaith Gymraeg gael eu hystyried fel rhywbeth cadarnhaol hefyd, gan ei fod yn adlewyrchu'r gwaith a wneir gan Lywodraeth Cymru ac eraill i gyflawni'r targed o gael miliwn o siaradwyr Gymraeg erbyn 2025?

Awgrymodd AL ei bod yn anodd dewis un pwnc, gan eu bod oll yn bwysig. Awgrymodd MB bod y canlyniadau yn dangos sut y mae'r materion hyn yn effeithio ar bawb, a bod nifer o'r materion oll yn deillio o'r argyfwng costau byw, a phryderon sy'n ymwneud â thlodi i bob pwrpas. Er enghraifft, mae'r dadleuon ynghylch ail gartrefi a thrafnidiaeth oll yn ymwneud â fforddiadwyedd a'i bod yn rhesymol awgrymu mai'r 'argyfwng costau byw' sef pwnc y pleidleisiwyd drosto fwyaf, yw'r broblem fwyaf enbyd i bawb ar hyn o bryd.

Esboniodd GB bod gan yr aelodau ddewis nawr o ran pa bynciau y maent yn dymuno eu cyflwyno gerbron panelwyr Pawb a'i Farn ym mis Gorffennaf 2023. A ydynt yn dymuno adlewyrchu canlyniadau'r bleidlais yn llwyr, neu a ydynt yn dymuno ystyried unrhyw faterion eraill nad ydynt wedi sicrhau sgôr mor uchel yn y canlyniadau?

Y consensws cyffredinol ymhlith yr aelodau oedd yr hoffent ganolbwyntio ar y 4 pwnc a oedd wedi sicrhau nifer uchaf y pleidleisiau ymhlith pobl ifanc, sef:

- 1.) Yr argyfwng Costau Byw** – mwy o gymorth gyda chostau trafndiaeth, prydau ysgol ac ynni
- 2.) Gyrfaoedd** – Mwy o ddewis o brentisiaethau sy'n talu yn dda a mynediad i amrediad o gyfleoedd profiad gwaith
- 3.) Addysg** – dylid addysgu sgiliau busnes ac entrepreneuriaeth mewn ysgolion
- 4.) Trafnidiaeth** – mae angen bod bysiau yn rhedeg yn hwyrach yn ystod y nos ac mae'n rhaid iddynt fod yn fwy fforddiadwy, cysylltiadau trên gwell a llwybrau beic gwell

Ar ôl cinio, esboniodd GB y rhennir yr aelodau i grwpiau i ganolbwyntio ar lunio cwestiynau er mwyn ymateb i'r 4 pwnc llosg hwn, a gyflwynir i banel o ffigurau cyhoeddus yn ystod Pawb a'i Farn 2023. Bydd angen i'r aelodau benderfynu hefyd pwy hoffent eu gwahodd i ymuno â phanel Pawb a'i Farn 2023.

8 **Digwyddiad 'Pawb A'i Farn Ceredigion 2023': Pynciau y Digwyddiad, y Cwestiynau a'r Panel**

Yn ystod y sesiwn hon, rhannwyd y Cyngor leuenctid i grwpiau er mwyn iddynt ddechrau ystyried drafftio cwestiynau dan bob pwnc llosg. Aeth pob grŵp ati i baratoi cwestiwn i'w gyflwyno gerbron y panel, yna caiff y rhain eu mireinio a'u rhannu gydag aelodau'r panel cyn digwyddiad Pawb a'i Farn ym mis Gorffennaf 2023.

Costau Byw	Gyrfaoedd	Addysg	Trafnidiaeth
Aelodau: MJ, CJ, SB ac EM	Aelodau: AL, JD ac IE	Aelodau: MHe ac MHo	Aelodau: XSB, MB, LJ, MB ac IM

Yna, bu aelodau'r Cyngor leuenctid yn rhannu syniadau ac yn penderfynu ar yr aelodau panel yr hoffent eu gwahodd.

Dyweddodd GB bod Ben Lake AS yn aelod o'r panel bob blwyddyn a'i fod wedi cadarnhau y bydd yn mynychu yn 2023. Soniodd GB hefyd bod Comisiynydd Plant Cymru wedi mynychu yn flaenorol, ond yn anffodus, nid yw ar gael ar y dyddiad hwn, ond mae ei swyddfa wedi cynnig bod Sara Jarmin, Pennaeth Cyfathrebu a Pherfformiad yn Swyddfa Comisiynydd Plant Cymru, ar gael yn absenoldeb Rocco Cifuentes. Cadarnhaodd yr aelodau eu bod yn dymuno estyn gwahoddiad i Sara Jarmin o Swyddfa Comisiynydd Plant Cymru.

O ran materion sy'n ymwneud â Gyrfaoedd ac Addysg, roedd y Cyngor leuenctid yn dymuno estyn gwahoddiad i gynrychiolwyr o'r Awdurdod Lleol, a phenderfynwyd gwahodd y Cynghorydd Bryan Davies, Arweinydd y Cyngor a Mr Barry Rees, Cyfarwyddwr Corfforaethol Cyngor Sir Ceredigion.

Ymhellach, roedd y Cyngor leuenctid yn dymuno estyn gwahoddiad i un o Weinidogion Llywodraeth Cymru, ac ar ôl ystyried meysydd portffolio pob Gweinidog, teimlwyd mai Vaughan Gething AS, Gweinidog dros yr Economi, fyddai fwyaf addas i ymateb i bynciau llosg eleni.

Cydnabuwyd na fydd hi'n bosibl disgwyl i bob aelod arfaethedig o'r panel fynychu, oherwydd eu dyddiaduron prysur, ond bydd GB ac LE yn paratoi gwahoddiadau yn fuan ar ôl y cyfarfod, gan gadarnhau eu presenoldeb gyda'r Cyngor leuenctid cyn gynted ag y bo modd. Cydnabuwyd y bydd angen ystyried cydweithwyr eraill yn absenoldeb rhai o'r aelodau panel arfaethedig.

Aelodau Panel Arfaethedig i'w gwahodd i ddigwyddiad Pawb a'i Farn 2023
1.) Mr Ben Lake AS
2.) Ms Sara Jarmin, Pennaeth Cyfathrebu a Pherfformiad yn Swyddfa Comisiynydd Plant Cymru
3.) Mr Bryan Davies, Cynghorydd ac Arweinydd Cyngor Sir Ceredigion
4.) Mr Barry Rees, Cyfarwyddwr corfforaethol yng Nghyngor Sir Ceredigion
5.) Mr Vaughan Gething AS, Gweinidog dros yr Economi

Rhoddodd GB wybodaeth bellach ac ychydig gefndir am ddigwyddiadau pawb a'i Farn, gan esbonio y caiff 'cynulleidfa' eu gwahodd i ymuno o bob Ysgol Uwchradd, Coleg a sefydliad

	cynrychioliadol, a byddan nhw yn cael y cyfle i ymateb hefyd, gofyn cwestiynau neu roi adborth fel rhan o'r drafodaeth.
9	Rhannu Gwybodaeth a Dyddiad y Cyfarfod Nesaf
	<p>Gofynnodd y Cadeirydd i'r aelodau am unrhyw faterion eraill. Ni adroddwyd unrhyw faterion.</p> <p>Dywedodd GB mai'r tro nesaf y bydd y Cyngor leuenctid yn cyfarfod yn y Siambr fydd ar gyfer Digwyddiad diwedd cyfnod Pawb a'i Farn ar 14/07/23. Esboniodd GB y rhennir gwybodaeth gydag aelodau'r Cyngor leuenctid ac Ysgolion / Sefydliadau maes o law, ynghylch y trefniadau ar gyfer y digwyddiad, ac y bydd GB yn cysylltu cyn y digwyddiad efallai er mwyn cadarnhau rhai manylion o ran logisteg, manylion am y cwestiynau ac ati.</p> <p>Dyddiadau cyfarfodydd:</p> <p>Cyfarfod 1; 21/10/22 Cyfarfod 2; 03/02/23 Cyfarfod 3; 17/03/23 Diwedd y cyfnod, Digwyddiad Pawb a'i Farn; 14/07/23</p> <p>Gofynnodd y Cadeirydd i'r holl aelodau allgofnodi ar eu ffordd allan o Benmorfa, ac aros am eu cludiant yn y dderbynfa.</p> <p>Diolchodd y Cadeirydd a BG i'r grŵp am gyfarfod cynhyrchiol a chadarnhaol o Gyngor leuenctid 2022-23.</p> <p><i>Cyflwynir cofnodion cyfarfodydd y Cyngor leuenctid i'r Pwyllgor Trosolwg a Chraffu Cymunedau sy'n Dysgu a'r Cabinet Llawn, er mwyn sicrhau bod safbwyntiau pobl ifanc yn cael eu cyfleu i'r broses ddemocrataidd yng Ngheredigion.</i></p>

Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership



Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment 2023 Young Person Version

The Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership **want to hear your thoughts on crime and disorder** across the county through this survey.

You can learn more about the work of the Community Safety Partnership (CSP) on the next page.

You will need to respond to this survey by **midday on 28 March 2023**.

You can send it back to the address at the end of the form, by returning it to your local Library or by sending it to

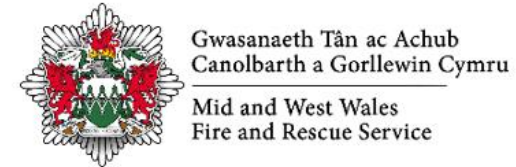
partnerships@ceredigion.gov.uk

You can also reply online by clicking [here](#).



Who is part of the Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership (CSP)?

Members of the Partnership are senior people who work in:



The CSP work together to protect local communities from crime and to help people feel safer. An important part of this work is to identify current issues and potential future threats that may affect Ceredigion. The answers given in response to this survey will tell us what worries people the most in terms of crime in Ceredigion. This will help us to plan and decide which activities should be prioritised.

Crime and Disorder Survey

Question 1: Tell us about your connection to Ceredigion.

- I live here.
- I work here.
- I live here and I work here.
- I am a student.
- I represent a Town or Community Council.



Question 2: Which of these areas do you identify with the most?

- Aberystwyth
- Tregaron
- Aberaeron
- Lampeter
- Cardigan
- Llandysul



Question 3: We want to know which of these issues are most important to you.



Very important A bit important Not important

Anti-social behaviour:

A person acts in a way which upsets someone who does not live with them.

Visible Police Presence (Town and Rural):

Seeing police officers in your area.

Substance Misuse (Drugs):

Using illegal drugs or medicine in a way that they are not meant to be used.

Illegal Supply of Drugs:

Giving or offering to give someone illegal drugs.

Substance Misuse (Alcohol):

Drinking alcohol in a way that is harmful.

Road Safety & Reducing Road Traffic Fatalities:

Teaching people how to behave safely when driving on or crossing the road.

Youth Offending – Protecting Young People:

Work with young people that get into trouble with the law and help them stay away from crime.

Vandalism, Criminal Damage and Graffiti:

When a person causes damage to something on purpose without permission.

Question 3: We want to know which of these issues are most important to you.

(Continued...)



Very important A bit important Not important

Violent Crime:

When a person uses violence or threatens to hurt someone in order to commit a crime.

Street Lighting:

Having lights by the side of the road or path when it's dark.

Vehicle Crime:

Stealing a vehicle, stealing something from a vehicle or causing damage to a vehicle.

Burglary:

Going into a building without permission to steal something.

Public Engagement and Media Influence:

Involving the public and sharing information to reduce crime.

Fear of Terrorism:

Violence or threats carried out by a person or group with a strong political opinion.

Public Order:

Making sure people behave properly in public.

Question 3: We want to know which of these issues are most important to you.

(Continued...)



Very important A bit important Not important

Arson and Deliberate Fires:

Starting a fire on purpose to damage something.

Reducing Business Crime:

When a business or person as part of their work is a victim of crime.

Rural Crime:

Crime and anti-social behaviour which happens in rural areas.

Violence Against Women and Girls:

Violence against females including physical, sexual or mental harm.

Domestic Abuse (including Stalking and Harassment):

Where a person controls, threatens or is violent to someone who lives with them.

Sexual Offences:

A sexual act directed at someone without the other person agreeing to it.

Hate Crime:

Crimes targeted at a person because of their race, religion, disability, sexuality or gender identity.

Question 3: We want to know which of these issues are most important to you.

(Continued...)



Very important A bit important Not important

Community Cohesion and Engagement, Reducing the Fear of Crime:

Different groups in the community coming together.

Reducing Reoffending:

Work with people who are in prison to help them stay away from crime when they come out.

Cyber & Online Crime:

Using a computer to carry out criminal activity.

Question 4: Tick the issues you think that have improved over the past 12 months.

- Anti-social behaviour
- Visible Police Presence (Town and Rural)
- Substance Misuse (Drugs)
- Targeting the Illegal Supply of Drugs
- Substance Misuse (Alcohol)



Question 4: Tick the issues you think that have improved over the past 12 months.
(Continued)

- Road Safety & Reducing Road Traffic Fatalities
- Youth Offending – Protecting Young People
- Vandalism, Criminal Damage and Graffiti
- Violent Crime
- Street Lighting
- Vehicle Crime
- Burglary
- Public Engagement and Media Influence
- Fear of Terrorism
- Public Order
- Arson and Deliberate Fires
- Reducing Business Crime
- Rural Crime
- Violence Against Women and Girls
- Domestic Abuse (inc. Stalking and Harassment)
- Sexual Offences



Question 4: Tick the issues you think that have improved over the past 12 months.

(Continued)

- Hate Crime
- Community Cohesion and Engagement, Reducing the Fear of Crime
- Reducing Reoffending
- Cyber & Online Crime



Question 5: Tick the issues you think that have got worse over the past 12 months.

- Anti-social behaviour
- Visible Police Presence (Town and Rural)
- Substance Misuse (Drugs)
- Illegal Supply of Drugs
- Substance Misuse (Alcohol)
- Road Safety & Reducing Road Traffic Fatalities
- Youth Offending – Protecting Young People
- Vandalism, Criminal Damage and Graffiti



Question 5: Tick the issues you think that have got worse over the past 12 months.
(Continued)

- Violent Crime
- Street Lighting
- Vehicle Crime
- Burglary
- Public Engagement and Media Influence
- Fear of Terrorism
- Public Order
- Arson and Deliberate Fires
- Reducing Business Crime
- Rural Crime
- Violence Against Women and Girls
- Domestic Abuse (inc. Stalking and Harassment)
- Sexual Offences
- Hate Crime



Question 5: Tick the issues you think that have got worse over the past 12 months.
(Continued)

- Community Cohesion and Engagement, Reducing the Fear of Crime
- Reducing Reoffending
- Cyber & Online Crime



Question 6: Has the amount of crime in your area changed over the last 12 months?

- A lot more crime
- A little more crime
- About the same amount of crime
- A little less crime
- A lot less crime



Question 7: Tell us about any new issues that we should be aware of.

Question 8: Do you think that alcohol abuse is a big problem in relation to crime in Ceredigion?

- Yes
 No



Question 9: Do you think that drug abuse is a big problem in relation to crime in Ceredigion?

- Yes
 No



Question 10: Do you know how to report Anti-social behaviour, and the ways it can be dealt with?

- Yes
 No



Question 11: Have you been a victim of cyber or online crime?



- Yes
- No

Question 12: What do you think might make you feel unsafe in your home?

[such as online crime, burglary, criminal damage]

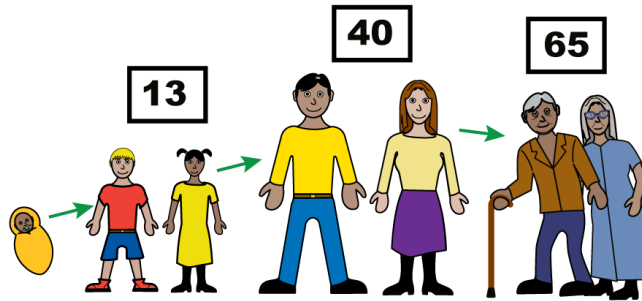
Question 13: Have you heard about the work of the Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership?



- Yes
- No

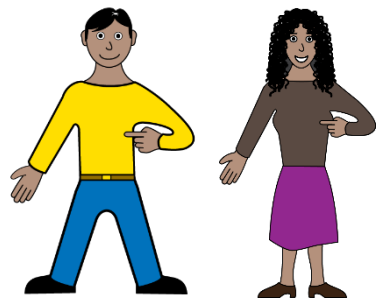
Question 14: Are there any other concerns that you would like to raise?

The next questions are about you. You don't have to answer them. They help us to understand if our survey has reached the right people.



Please write your age here:

Leave blank if you prefer not to say.



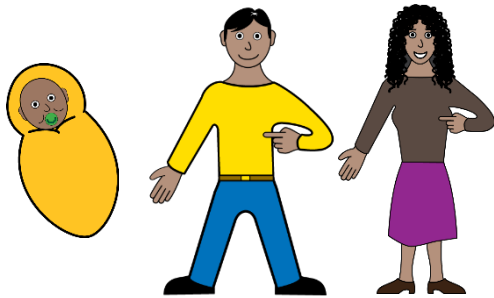
I am...

Male

Female

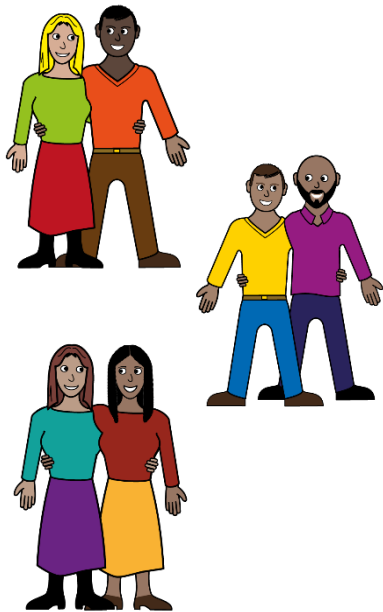
If you use a different word to describe yourself, please say what this is. _____

Leave blank if you prefer not to say.



Is your gender now the same as it was when you were born?

Leave blank if you prefer not to say.



I am...

Heterosexual / Straight

Gay

Bisexual

If you use a different word to describe yourself, please say what this is.

Leave blank if you prefer not to say.



National Identity: Are you...?

Welsh	<input type="checkbox"/>	English	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scottish	<input type="checkbox"/>	Northern Irish	<input type="checkbox"/>
Irish	<input type="checkbox"/>	British	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prefer not to say	<input type="checkbox"/>		

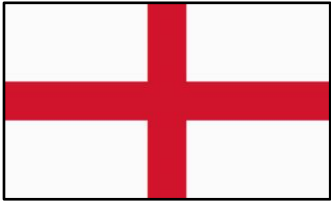
If you use a different word to describe yourself, please say what this is.



Race: Are you?

Asian	<input type="checkbox"/>
Black / African / Caribbean	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gypsy Traveller	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mixed	<input type="checkbox"/>
White	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you use a different word to describe yourself, please say what this is. _____



Language: What is your preferred language?

Welsh

English

Other

Prefer not to say

If you prefer to use a different language, please say what this is.

Language: Can you understand, speak, read or write Welsh?

Understand spoken Welsh

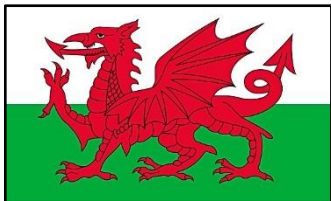
Speak Welsh

Read Welsh

Write Welsh

None of the above

Prefer not to say





Are you a disabled person? If yes, tick any of the boxes that says more about you.

Hearing difficulties

Sight difficulties

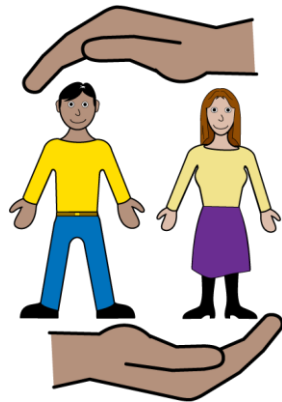
Speaking difficulties

Learning difficulties

Mental health condition

Physical disability

Please tell us here if you prefer to use your own words.

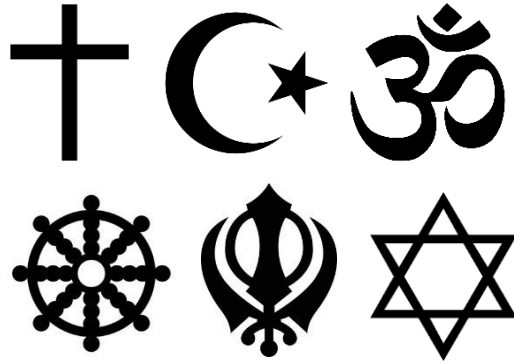


Are you a Young Carer?

Yes

No

A Young Carer looks after a friend or someone in their family. This may be because they are disabled or have a long illness or have problems because of their age.



What is your religion?

Please say if you do not have a religion.



We will only use your information for this survey. We will not share it without your permission.

We follow a law called the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) to keep your information safe.

We will keep your personal information for 1 year.

For more information about how we keep your information please read privacy policy here:

www.ceredigion.gov.uk/your-council/strategies-plans-policies/data-protection-and-gdpr-policy/

Thank you.

Your answers will help the Community Safety Partnership to keep Ceredigion safe.



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<http://www.ceredigion.gov.uk/your-council/consultations/crime-and-disorder-strategic-assessment-questionnaire/>

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Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership



Partneriaeth Diogelwch Cymunedol
Ceredigion

Background and Membership

- The Ceredigion Community Safety Partnership was established in 1999 and is one of 20 Community Safety Partnerships in Wales.
- Community Safety Partnerships (CSP) were formed following the **Crime and Disorder Act 1998**, which made it a statutory duty for each Local Authority area to have a CSP.
- CSPs are made up of representatives from the **Police, Local Authorities, Fire and Rescue Authorities, Health and Probation services**, as well as other invited organisations.

Cefndir ac Aelodaeth

- Sefydlwyd Partneriaeth Diogelwch Cymunedol Ceredigion yn 1999 fel un o blith 20 o Bartneriaethau Diogelwch Cymunedol yng Nghymru.
- Ffurfiwyd Partneriaethau Diogelwch Cymunedol (PDC) yn dilyn **Deddf Trosedd ac Anhwylder 1998**, a oedd yn ei gwneud yn ddyletswydd statudol i bob ardal Awdurdod Lleol gael Partneriaeth Diogelwch Cymunedol.
- Mae'r Bartneriaeth yn cynnwys cynrychiolwyr o'r **Heddlu, yr Awdurdod Lleol, yr Awdurdod Tân ac Achub, y gwasanaeth lechyd, y gwasanaeth Prawf**, yn ogystal â sefydliadau eraill sy'n cael eu gwahodd.



Heddlu Police
**DYFED
POWYS**

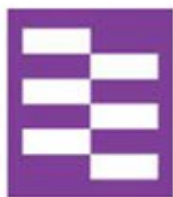


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Gwasanaeth Tân ac Achub
Canolbarth a Gorllewin Cymru
Mid and West Wales
Fire and Rescue Service

Prawf Cymru
Wales Probation



GIG
CYMRU
NHS
WALES

Bwrdd Iechyd Prifysgol
Hywel Dda
University Health Board



Home Office



Tai
Wales & West
Housing



barcud



Comisiynydd Heddlu a Throsedd
Dyfed-Powys
Police and Crime Commissioner

Cyngor Sir Gâr
Carmarthenshire
County Council



Maritime &
Coastguard
Agency



1872 PRIFYSGOL
ABERYSTWYTH
UNIVERSITY



Prifysgol Cymru
Y Drindod Dewi Sant
University of Wales
Trinity Saint David



Ceredigion Association
of Voluntary Organisations

Cymdeithas Mudiadau
Gwirfoddol Ceredigion

Role and Governance

- The CSP meet a minimum of 3 times a year – **This is usually 4 times, and on a quarterly basis.**
- The Ceredigion CSP is a sub-group of the **Ceredigion Public Services Board (PSB)**. You may recall that the Youth Council recently took part in an engagement activity, whereby you were asked to share your thoughts on the PSB's draft **Local Well-being Plan for 2023-28**.
- The CSP ensures contribution to community safety elements contained within the Local Well-being Plan.
- The current **Chair of the CSP is Barry Rees** (Corporate Director, Ceredigion County Council).

Rôl a Llywodraethu

- Mae'r BDC yn cwrdd o leiaf 3 gwaith y flwyddyn – **Mae hyn fel arfer yn 4 gwaith, ac yn chwarterol.**
- Mae'r BDC yn is-grŵp o **Fwrdd Gwasanaethau Cyhoeddus Ceredigion (BGC)**. Efallai eich bod yn cofio bod y Cyngor leuenctid wedi cymryd rhan mewn gweithgaredd ymgysylltu yn ddiweddar, lle gofynnwyd i chi rannu eich syniadau ar **Gynllun Llesiant Lleol drafft y BGC ar gyfer 2023-28**.
- Mae'r BDC yn sicrhau cyfraniad at elfennau diogelwch cymunedol sydd yn y Cynllun Llesiant Lleol.
- **Cadeirydd presennol y BDC yw Barry Rees** (Cyfarwyddwr Corfforaethol, Cyngor Sir Ceredigion).

Aims

- The CSP aim to **work together to reduce crime and disorder** across the county in order to protect local communities and help people feel safer.
- This is done in a number of ways – For example, sharing information, making sure resources are used to greatest effect, and working collaboratively to deliver on projects more effectively.
- A crucial area of the CSP's work is to **identify and examine current issues and potential future threats that may affect Ceredigion**.

Amcanion

- Nod y BDC yw **cydweithio i leihau troseddau ac anhrefn** ar draws y sir er mwyn diogelu cymunedau lleol a helpu pobl i deimlo'n fwy diogel.
- Mae hyn yn cael ei wneud mewn nifer o ffyrdd – Er enghraifft, rhannu gwybodaeth, sicrhau bod adnoddau'n cael eu defnyddio i'r effaith fwyaf, a chydweithio i gyflawni prosiectau yn fwy effeithiol.
- Rhan bwysig o waith y BDC yw **nodi ac archwilio'r materion cyfoes a bygythiadau posib a allai gael effaith ar Geredigion yn y dyfodol**.

Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment

- To help with this, the CSP are currently carrying out a **Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment**.
- As part of this Assessment, the CSP are gathering the views of Ceredigion's residents on crime and disorder in the county through a questionnaire.
- The CSP will also collect data from organisations in order to build a full picture of crime and disorder.

Aseiad Strategol Trosedd ac Anrhefn

- I helpu gyda hyn, mae'r BDC ar hyn o bryd yn cynnal **Aseiad Strategol Trosedd ac Anrhefn**.
- Fel rhan o'r Aseiad, mae'r BDC yn casglu barn trigolion Ceredigion ar droseddu ac anhrefn yn y sir drwy holiadur.
- Bydd y BDC hefyd yn casglu data gan sefydliadau er mwyn cael darlun llawn o droseddu ac anhrefn.

Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment

- The answers given to the questionnaire will help the CSP:
- **Identify the main issues affecting the local area.**
- **Gain perspective on important issues like fear of crime, anti-social behaviour and drug or alcohol misuse.**
- **Help to prioritise activities and manage resources.**

Aseiad Strategol Trosedd ac Anrhefn

- Bydd yr atebion a roddir i'r holiadur yn helpu'r BDC:
- **Nodi'r prif faterion sy'n effeithio ar yr ardal leol.**
- **Cael cipolwg ar faterion pwysig megis ofn troseddau, ymddygiad gwrthgymdeithasol a chamddefnydd cyffuriau ac alcohol.**
- **Cynorthwyo i ddyrannu adnoddau yn effeithiol a blaenoriaethu gweithgarwch.**

What happens next?

- The feedback from the questionnaire and data collected will tell the CSP what issues it needs to focus on for the coming year.
- The analysis from the questionnaire and data from organisations will be published in a report on the CSP webpage in June.
- **Your opinion is important. We need your help to make sure that we focus on the right priorities in 2023-2024.**

Beth sy'n digwydd nesaf?

- Bydd yr adborth o'r holiadur a'r data a gesglir yn dweud wrth y BDC pa faterion sydd angen canolbwyntio arnynt ar gyfer y flwyddyn i ddod.
- Bydd y dadansoddiad o'r ymatebion a'r data gan sefydliadau yn cael ei gyhoeddi mewn adroddiad ar wefan y BDC ym mis Mehefin.
- **Mae eich barn chi'n bwysig. Mae angen eich help arnom i sicrhau ein bod yn canolbwyntio ar y blaenoriaethau cywir yn 2023-2024.**

The questionnaire

- The questionnaire should take around **10 to 15 minutes** to complete.
- The first 14 questions allows you to share **how you feel about crime and disorder** in your local area, and any issues you are concerned about not covered by the questionnaire.
- The second part of the questionnaire relates to **information about you**. You do not have to answer these questions, but it helps make sure that we have reached a range of audiences and are hearing everyone's voice.

Yr Holiadur

- Dylai'r holiadur gymryd tua **10 i 15 munud** i'w gwblhau.
- Mae'r 14 cwestiwn cyntaf yn caniatáu ichi rannu **sut rydych chi'n teimlo am droseddu ac anrhefn** yn eich ardal leol, ac unrhyw faterion rydych chi'n pryderu amdant sydd ddim yn rhan o'r holiadur.
- Mae ail ran yr holiadur yn ymwneud â **gwybodaeth amdanoch chi**. Nid oes rhaid i chi ateb y cwestiynau hyn, ond mae'n helpu i sicrhau ein bod wedi cyrraedd amrywiaeth o gynulleidfaoedd ac yn clywed llais pawb.

The questionnaire

- Question 3, 4 and 5 relates to specific types of issues. The first time these issues are introduced (Q3), an explanation has been given under each heading to provide you with extra information.
- For example...

Question 3: We want to know which of these issues are most important to you.

Very important A bit important Not important

Anti-social behaviour:

A person acts in a way which upsets someone who does not live with them.

Visible Police Presence (Town and Rural):

Seeing police officers in your area.

Substance Misuse (Drugs):

Using illegal drugs or medicine in a way that they are not meant to be used.

Yr Holiadur

- Mae cwestiwn 3, 4 a 5 yn ymwneud â mathau penodol o faterion. Y tro cyntaf i'r materion hyn gael eu cyflwyno (C3), rhoddwyd esboniad o dan bob pennawd i roi gwybodaeth ychwanegol i chi.
- Er enghraifft...

Cwestiwn 3: Rydym am wybod pa rai o'r materion hyn sydd bwysicaf i chi.

Pwysig iawn Eithaf pwysig Ddim yn bwysig

Ymddygiad Gwrthgymdeithasol:

Pan mae person yn ymddwyn mewn ffordd sy'n achosi gofid i rywun sydd ddim yn byw gyda nhw.

Presenoldeb gweladwy gan yr Heddlu (yn y trefi ac yng nghefn gwlad):

Gweld heddwision yn eich ardal chi.

Camdefnyddio Sylweddau (Cyffuriau):

Defnyddio cyffuriau anghyfreithlon neu feddyginiaeth mewn ffordd nad ydynt i fod i gael eu defnyddio.

The questionnaire

- We will only use your information for this survey. We will not share it without your permission.
- We follow a law called the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) to keep your information safe.
- You **don't** need to include your name or identifiable information (such as your school) to your response sheet.
- **Please let us know if you have any questions, and thank you for your help in keeping Ceredigion safe.**

Yr Holiadur

- Byddwn yn defnyddio eich gwybodaeth ar gyfer yr arolwg hwn yn unig.
- Rydyn ni'n dilyn deddf o'r enw'r Rheoliad Cyffredinol ar Ddiogelu Data (GDPR) i gadw'ch gwybodaeth yn ddiogel.
- Does **dim angen** i chi gynnwys eich enw na gwybodaeth adnabyddus (fel eich ysgol) ar eich taflen ymateb.
- **Rhowch wybod os oes gennych unrhyw gwestiynau, a diolch am eich cymorth i gadw Ceredigion yn ddiogel.**

Support / Cymorth

Below are some **support charities and reporting avenues** should you require them.

Isod mae **rhai elusennau cymorth a llwybrau adrodd** pe bai chi eu hangen.



Gwasanaethau Dioddefwyr a Thystion / Victim and Witness Service

☎ 0300 1232996

CrimeStoppers.
Speak up. Stay safe.

Crimestoppers & Fearless
Rhoi gwybodaeth yn ddiennw / Give information anonymously

☎ 0800 555 111



ACT

Rhoi gwybod am ymddygiad amheus / Give information about suspicious behaviour

☎ 0800 555 111

ACT | ACTION COUNTERS TERRORISM

childline
ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME

Childline

Gwybodaeth a chyngor / Information and advice
☎ 0800 1111



Byw Heb Ofn / Life Fear Free

Cymorth ar drais yn erbyn menywod, cam-drin domestig a thrais rhywiol / Help about violence against women, domestic abuse and sexual violence
☎ 0808 801 0800



**Mewn argyfwng, ffoniwch 999.
In an emergency, phone 999.**



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Support & Prevention Rural Community Engagement Review
Feedback to the Youth Council March 2023



Purpose of the Review

Purpose



- Review the impact and sufficiency of the 'Rural Engagement and Outreach Provision' delivered by Support and Prevention teams in relation to six key questions

Overview of the project: Aims and Objectives

Where are we strongest?

Where are we weakest

What needs to change

How can we improve?

What is the best approach

How can we bolster partnerships and accessibility to specialist services



Outcome

- Clear overview of the Impact and sufficiency of support and prevention services, young people and communities.
- Support the Local Authority in developing stronger, more efficient and integrated approaches of delivery and management for the benefit of young people.



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Welsh Government Youth Work Strategy for Wales





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lead by example and no one is turned away. We are trusted by young people.

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Youth worker presence in schools: we value having the capacity to ensure that every secondary school has a youth worker onsite 4 days per week

Feedback on strengths

Engagement: Opportunities for young people to have a voice and to be actively involved in advising the council of their opinions about its decisions.

'Gold standard' of working together

Increased our mobile outreach work into communities

Personalised 1:1 work to boost the confidence and self-belief of young people.



Feedback on challenges and areas to improve

Expand opening hours and access to youth clubs

We need to provide more 'youth space' within a range of settings across the county

Continue to evolve and grow our range/offer of 'vocational based interventions', that focus on the needs and wishes of the young person, from work experience placements to work taster sessions



Feedback on challenges and areas to improve

We have seen a big increase in supporting mental health needs post Covid-19

More investment in the offer of mobile outreach youth work

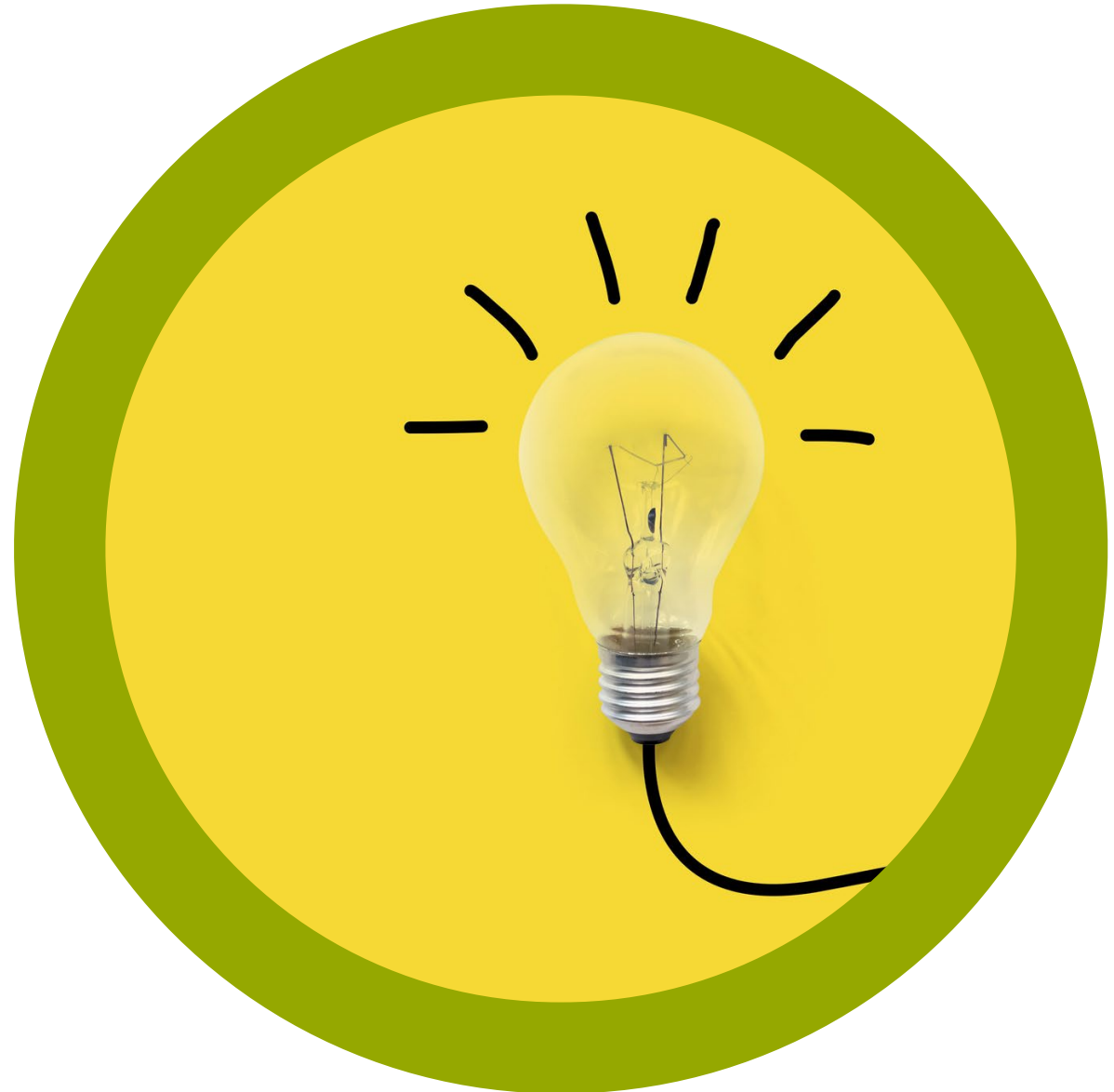
The lack of space for private meetings

Social Media presence, use of information technology is limited and could be more prolific and innovative.

Improvements to working in partnership with some schools



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- Consider the potential return on investment in developing a 'safe space' drop-in centre in Ceredigion for young people to receive support for an urgent mental health or emotional wellbeing need
- Strengthen the partnerships with local schools to further embed a supportive environment where young people are encouraged to fulfil their personal and academic potential, where they thrive, learn and develop emotionally and are supported to consider their career options in the world of business

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- Design a toolkit that supports local people and voluntary groups in how to set up a youth club
- Enhance the offer of the 4 statutory youth clubs allowing for staffing and the associated costs in providing an extension to the opening hours of all 4 youth clubs including weekend provision.
- In partnership with the Dyfed-Powys Police Youth Ambassadors, help shape and respond to a range of priorities that were identified in the youth survey over the summer/autumn of 2022.
- Youth Outreach/Mobile provision – Review impact and expansion opportunities

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Executive summary

Between the ages of 11 and 25 young people undergo significant change and development as they transition between childhood, adolescence and young adulthood. During this period, the support from people who are involved in youth work is crucial in helping to enable and guide young people, giving them the opportunities and experiences in which they can develop personally, socially and academically.

The aim of youth work is to enable young people to develop holistically, working with them to facilitate their personal, social and educational development, to enable them to develop their voice, influence and place in society and to reach their full potential.

In September 2022 Ceredigion County commissioned WELV Consulting Ltd (WELV) to lead on an independent review of the Community Engagement and Outreach provision with an aim to support the Local Authority in developing stronger, more efficient and integrated approaches of delivery and management for the benefit of young people.

A key aspect of the project was to capture a wide range of views, from children and young people who are residents of Ceredigion, and also from internal staff and other community partners and stakeholders, along with relevant committees and boards, who will benefit or be impacted on through the decisions made based on the recommendations within this report.

To help shape the focus of the review, six questions were used that formed the basis of both the aims for the project and the structure of all engagement activity.

The questions were to identify:

- **Where are we strongest?** What areas are working well? What do staff and stakeholders value the most? Where can we model good practice?
- **Where are we weakest?** What is most detrimental to service efficiency and delivery? What services and provisions require long term investment?
- **What needs to change?** What barriers are currently preventing progress and results
- **Where are we innovative and how can we best empower staff and stakeholders?**
- **How can we improve?** How can services develop, evolve and move forward?
- **Why is this best approach?** What research/evidence is available to promote change
- **How can statutory functions and roles best be delivered to improve early intervention and prevention pathways?** How can we bolster partnerships and accessibility to specialist services?

This report outlines the responses to these six questions from all the stakeholders who WELV met with between the months of October 2022 and February 2023.

Based on the results of these discussions a range of recommendations are included to support the council and it's partners to apply the learning from this project and move forward in delivering its aims and objectives for young people across Ceredigion.

The recommendations have been directly informed by the voices of young people in Ceredigion, they are outlined on pages 44-47 of the report, in summary they are:

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- To undertake a mapping and case tracking exercise to analyse the pathways, routes and timings of referrals into Support and Prevention, in order to agree upon clear transfer arrangements that ensure young people receive the help they require in terms of their care and support needs; both non-eligible wellbeing and prevention needs and eligible social care needs and outcomes.
- Boost the application and use of equipment and information technology, including the range of methods of communication when engaging with young people.
- Consider developing a web-portal (or an application such as Padlet) that seeks to support young people, wider youth support service professionals, as well as parents, with an overview of the Support and Prevention Service.
- Consider the potential return on investment in developing a 'safe space' drop-in centre in Ceredigion for young people to receive support for an urgent mental health or emotional wellbeing need.
- Design and publish a toolkit that supports local people and voluntary groups in how to set up a youth club which could further expand the offer of youth clubs within the rural communities of Ceredigion and operate as social enterprises.
- Source potential income/budget revenue(s) to further enhance the offer of the 4 statutory youth clubs, allowing for staffing and the associated costs in providing an extension to the opening hours of all 4 youth clubs; including weekend provision.
- Consider the potential learning opportunities of the Pembrokeshire YISP (Youth Inclusion Support Project) model that could further strengthen Ceredigion's reputation as a 'gold star' partnership arrangement (by Dyfed-Powys Police). Working with young people who are considered to be at risk of offending or anti-social behaviour, or where there are concerns about their emotional or mental health.
- To further extend and broaden the offer of support via 'mobile youth provision', which has significant value in rural Ceredigion.
- Improve how Support and Prevention mutually work in partnership together with schools to role model the core values of the Welsh Governments 'Framework on embedding a whole school approach to emotional and mental well-being' e.g. belonging, efficacy and having your voice heard.
- Undertake a review of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) in Tier's 1 and 2 at the earliest possible opportunity during 2023, involving Porth Cymorth Cynnar, Porth Cynnal and the Regional Partnership Board.

We recognise resources are tight and difficult decisions have had to be made. However, effective outreach youth work is reliant on meaningful investment, engagement with young people and trusted partnership working across the sector. Furthermore, young peoples outreach work remains a robust approach for empowering young people to use their voice, be heard and play an active role in designing, delivering and holding accountable the services that they access.

The development of this report is the culmination of an approach engaging with young people, staff and volunteers and we are very grateful to everyone for their contributions.

Overview of Ceredigion County Council Support and Prevention Service



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The Support and Prevention service is made up of multi-disciplined teams, with an overall aim of providing child and youth-led approaches to enable children and young people to be empowered, to achieve, to develop personally, emotionally, socially and be the best that they can be. The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) underpins everything that the teams do via the provision of universal and focused support for children and young people which includes:

- **Youth Work and Engagement** (youth work in schools, education progression, accredited learning and participation)
- **Support and Attainment** (primary/ secondary mentoring, transition, emotional wellbeing, nurturing and outreach)
- **Community Youth Work and Prevention** (16-24 support, community outreach, youth centres, focussed and universal provisions)

The Support and Prevention service has a clear focus on early intervention and targeted support; tailoring services/provision to meet the needs of young people in Ceredigion.

To achieve this, the service forms part of Ceredigion's 'Through Age and Wellbeing' integrated service delivery model (TAWM), that is designed to ensure young people get the right level and type of support, at the right time and should reduce the chances of the person developing established patterns of antisocial and harmful behaviour leading to involvement with statutory and specialist services.

Youth work and youth support services need to be seen as 'part of the team' and the Support and Prevention service work closely with a range of valued partners including:

- Education establishments e.g, primary and secondary schools
- Young people forums
- Further education providers
- Third and voluntary sector
- Dyfed-Powys Police Force (and other public sector organisations)

The Support and Prevention team and its partners, work together to reduce the duplication of services and increase the diversity of support on offer to young people within many aspects of support for a young person. This includes, but is not limited to; personal, social, educational, physical, mental and emotional wellbeing by promoting individual and family resilience, empowerment and independence.



Overview of the Support and Prevention service

Youth Work and Engagement

The aim of youth work and engagement is to enable young people to develop holistically, working with them to facilitate their personal, social and educational development, to enable them to develop their voice, influence and place in society and to reach their full potential.

School based Youth Workers engage with young people aged 11 – 18 both in universal and focussed contexts. Youth Workers strive to build and maintain meaningful relationships with all school pupils; that includes referred pupils whom are deemed at risk of disengagement from mainstream education due to one or a host of reasons. These reasons may include the inability to cope with conformity, breakdown within the home, family bereavement, abuse or exploitation.

Support and Attainment

The Children and Young People's Skills (CYP) Mentors support children and young people who may show behaviours that challenge as a result of their social and emotional experiences. The mentors provide support for children and young people in Primary Schools, Secondary Schools and other education settings across Ceredigion i.e. Alternative Curriculum and PRU. They engage with children and young people in both focussed one-to-one and small group based settings. The aim is to support children and young people to manage their emotions, channelling their energy positively, by focussing on attainment, both educationally and personally and providing restorative approaches to de-escalate behaviours that are not conducive to education and community settings.

Rather than focus on the child or young person being the 'issue', mentors promote an holistic and strengths-based approach to better understand the deeper reasons as to why they may be finding their current environment challenging and/or displaying negative behaviours.

Community Youth Work and Prevention

Youth work is a distinct profession with its own qualifications framework and National Occupational Standards (NOS). Youth Support Services are a suite of services that are given statutory basis in the 'The Learning & Skills Act' (2000) Section 123, which states; services which in the opinion of the National Assembly will encourage, enable or assist young persons (directly or indirectly): (a) to participate effectively in education or training, (b) to take advantage of opportunities for employment, or (c) to participate effectively and responsibly in the life of their communities. [programmes instead of officers.](#)

The council's Community Youth Work and Prevention team consists of youth workers, prevention and diversionary **officers** and support staff, all of whom provide targeted and universal interventions in line with the National Occupational Standards, 'Youth Work in Wales: Principles and Purposes' and the introduction of the Youth Justice Blueprint such as:

- Structured activity programmes
- Post-16 support i.e. engaging with those that are/at risk of becoming Not in Education, Employment or Training (NEET)
- Centre-based support i.e. Youth Club/Youth Centre and drop in provisions
- Detached/mobile outreach and pop up youth work
- Supporting youth justice preventions delivery, including Out Of Court Disposals and Diversion
- Promoting voluntary youth sector partnerships including managing Service Level Agreements

Aims of the project and the views of the Youth Council and young people in Ceredigion



Value

A key aspect of this project is to capture a wide range of views from children and young people who live in Ceredigion and also views of internal staff and other community partners, stakeholders and relevant committees and boards, who will benefit or be impacted upon through the decisions made based on the recommendations within the review.

The focus for the evaluation and review of the services and feasibility study is based on six questions which also form the basis of the aims for the project, these are to identify:

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To address the aims we used a mixed method approach to maximise engagement from all relevant stakeholders, that sought to gain an understanding of the qualitative impact of the services currently provided and what models of delivery are required for the future.

Pages 10 – 36 below provide a summative review on the responses, views and opinions of all the stakeholders to the six questions, which have been grouped into 'themes' based on the 5 aims of the Welsh Governments 'Youth Work Strategy for Wales' 2019:

- Young people are thriving
- Youth work is accessible and inclusive
- Voluntary and paid professional youth work staff are supported throughout their careers
- Youth work is valued and understood
- A sustainable model for youth work delivery

The responses to each question also include the views of young people in Ceredigion about what life is like living in Ceredigion and what they would like to see change.



Proposal and Methodology

To complete the project a number of stages were required as described in the table below:

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As part of the engagement activities we met with both the Ceredigion Youth Council (which consists of young people from every secondary school in the county) and representatives from young people's forums including Ceredigion Youth Service, Coleg Ceredigion and Ceredigion Actif, as well as young people who attend the Aberystwyth and Aberaeron youth clubs.

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WHERE ARE WE STRONGEST?



Where are we strongest?

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It is through youth work – the establishment of trusted relationships with adults, healthy relationships with peers and safe spaces in which to develop – that young people can be supported to build resilience and better understand how to make effective choices.

I would like help from someone who understands me, so I am able to grow so I can be the best I can be.

I want to get the best help possible from someone I trust.

- **Consistency** for young people, we have a well established team who are trusted by young people and our partners.
- **Trusted relationship:** the high levels of trust that exists across the teams really helps in generating co-operation and meaningful relationships between young people and their youth workers. Our knowledge and expertise helps us make an important contribution to achieving results as we anticipate and respond quickly to problems.
- **Advocacy:** we are the safe person/guardian, we listen and respond, giving young people tools to communicate with their families and teachers.
- **Young peoples voices are always heard first:** we listen and the views of young people are at the centre of our team.
- **Nurturing:** we go back to basics with young people and help them learn the skills they need.
- **Personalised** 1:1 work to boost the confidence and self-belief of young people.



Where are we strongest?

Youth work is accessible and inclusive

Youth work is accessible and inclusive to young people right across the country. While we must give important consideration to issues such as rurality and location of services, youth work must also be accessible and inclusive in a wider sense to all young people. It should reflect the range of diverse backgrounds, identities, experiences, and needs of young people in Wales.

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- **Inclusive and accommodating:** we lead by example and no one is turned away. We are trusted by young people.
- **Build understanding:** we take an holistic approach to the life of young people (vs an education only focused approach).
- **Create safe spaces:** that all young people can voluntarily choose to access – these safe spaces may be physical (in a club or centre, on the street, at leisure facilities, as part of outreach), virtual (over the phone, digital) or emotional (by establishing welcoming, understanding, young person-informed cultures).
- **Flexible:** all of our teams are creative, innovative and responsive to changing circumstances. We are accessible to all young people.
- **Engagement:** a strength is our level of engagement and opportunities for young people to have a voice and to be actively involved in advising the council of their opinions about its decisions. This works well, for example; we have a really effective and active Youth Council which has been established since 2015 and a range of youth forums and consultation workshops which we know young people value and helps them to build their self-esteem, confidence, and a sense of collective influence.



Where are we strongest?

Paid and voluntary professional youth work staff are supported and valued throughout their careers

Our greatest resource is the youth workforce – both voluntary and paid professional staff – that provide opportunities and experiences for young people across the county. These opportunities and experiences are often varied and diverse, but serve primarily as the means for furthering a young person's social, emotional and personal development. We value their effort and want to reward it with an offer of learning and support and by securing the recognition their profession deserves.

Working out in the gym is really helping me with my mental health and gives me an opportunity to talk to my youth worker who I trust.

Without the help and support of my mentor there's no way I would have the confidence to go to a job interview, they have really helped me turn my life around for the better.

- **We are valued:** we feel valued by managers who are very approachable and solution focused, this helps us achieve better outcomes for young people.
- **Communication** skills across the team; we communicate really well together and we do not shy away from asking for advice and guidance from one another and from our managers which helps to ensure our creditability in developing meaningful relationships with young people to help and empower them.
- **Team work:** we are proud of our team work ethic, for example; in helping to set up and support the Youth Council to meet together 3/4 times a year. We work well together and we value each others contributions and this is backed up in the amount of development and learning we can access.



A sustainable partnership model for youth work

The systems and structures for the planning and delivery of youth work operate consistently to a shared set of standards and a robust understanding of the nature of youth work in Wales, including how it is equitably funded, planned, delivered and held accountable.

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Where are we strongest?

- **Prevention work:** the earlier the better and we build on our trusted relationships. Early intervention via our nurturing programme helps us to catch issues before they escalate.
- **Youth worker presence in schools:** we value having the capacity to ensure that every secondary school has a youth worker onsite 4 days per week. This is particularly meaningful in rural areas where access to public transport for young people to travel to meet with us can be difficult. It works well as we are not expected to cover other schools, so we are able to build up a rapport with young people (and the teachers) and develop trusted relationships, including offering advice and support about the transition to life post education.
- **'Gold standard' of working together:** partnership working between Intact Team officers and Youth Services is 'gold standard' in Ceredigion. Partnership working and the sharing of relevant information is very cohesive, including project pathways and project safe programmes.
- **Effective outreach:** outreach works really well and Ceredigion Council leads on much of this work. We have a sustainable partnership that helps us protect and promote a young person's rights. The cohesive and efficient way we receive information strengthens how we respond to children and young people living in the area.
- **Community Safety Partnership meetings:** highly valued by the police as they enable them to become aware of the nature of crime and disorder, anti-social behaviour, and the misuse of drugs within the county. This was felt to be a really effective partnership which identifies methods of developing and implementing actions to reduce these problems and delivering direct resources to address them, with a strong 'evidence based', intelligence led foundation. The councils staff who work with young people are great at engaging with the police and comments included 'no one could achieve outcomes without each other, we trust and value their contribution'.
- **Work hard to sustain mutually beneficial relationships:** based on a clear understanding of the value of youth work in Ceredigion and a shared purpose to deliver enriching opportunities and experiences for our young people no matter their background or where they live.



Measuring the impact of support and prevention



Value

Where are we strongest? Measuring the impact

Measuring the impact of the strengths of Support and Prevention services

As part of the research in evaluating how the work of the Rural Engagement and Outreach Provision (provided by the Support and Prevention services) is having a positive impact on the Local Authority's vision of developing through-age services for young people, we undertook a range of desk top research using internal data supplied to us by the Support and Prevention service.

...through utilising additional funding via the UK Government Community Renewal Fund.

The tables below provide information on the number of young people who have been supported by the Support and Prevention teams from November 2021 to December 2022.

In total 308 young people received support in areas such as gaining a qualification and engaging in job searching to support with life skills.

In 2022 a total of 181 young people aged 16-25 engaged with post 16 support with projects such as Inspire, pop up events, structured activity programmes, one-to-one and small group outreach . A total of 89 workshops have been delivered and 66 young people have successfully been supported in entering education, employment and training.

Indicator	Target	Achieved Nov 21- Feb 2022	Achieved Mar 22 - Jun 22	Achieved Jul 22 - Sept 22	Achieved Oct 22 - Dec 22	Total Achieved	Difference
# of people supported to participate in education	0	0	46	20	46	112	-112
# of people supported to gain a qualification	0	0	5	4	5	14	-14
# of people supported to engage in job-searching	0	0	89	52	65	206	-206
# of people supported to gain employment	0	0	11	7	11	29	-29
# of people supported to engage in life skills	0	0	46	28	31	105	-105
Total Outputs	0	0	197	111		308	-308

Indicator	Target	Achieved Nov 21 - Feb 22	Achieved Mar 22 - Jun 22	Achieved Jul 22 - Sept 22	Achieved Oct 22 - Dec 22	Total Achieved	Difference
People engaged in job searching following support	25	27	32	20	16	95	-70
People in employment, including self-employment, following support	15	13	15	27	8	63	-48
People engaged in life skills support following interventions	50	27	46	28	31	132	-82
Total Outputs	90	67	93	75		235	-145



Where are we strongest?

Measuring the impact

The infographic below provides a summary of the impact of Rural Engagement and Outreach Provision provided by the Support and Prevention services.



95 young people engaged in job searching following support. This total exceeded the annual target by **70**



63 young people in employment, including self-employment following support. This total exceeded the annual target by **48**



132 young people engaged in life skills support following interventions. This total exceeded the annual target by **82**



112 young people participated in education following interventions who were risk of absconding or struggling with completing the curriculum

Where are we strongest?

Measuring the impact

The information below provides further evidence on the positive impact of meeting the wellbeing outcomes of young people following targeted support from the Support and Prevention teams



Project Pathway (ages 11-16): working with education providers and schools to improve their engagement with hard-to-reach young people which has led to reductions in offending and limiting the risk of exploitation in communities in partnership with multi-agencies including Dyfed-Powys Police, Team Around the Family and Choices.

01



Project Inspire (ages 17-25): engaging with people that are/at risk of becoming NEET and who are likely to commit criminal offences. Utilising centres to offer drop in provisions alongside workshops and activities to meet young peoples personal and social development. The activities and workshops that are offered to young people include personal and social development, money management; focusing on resilience, confidence and wellbeing.

02



Staff Project Evaluation Gym Sessions: 4 -week targeted Gym Programme aimed at working with 6 young people aged between 16-25 to develop their self-confidence, gain focus and reduce their anxiety. Targeted at people who have been excluded from school over the school year of 2021- 2022 and were at risk of becoming NEET. Impact has been significant improvement in their self-confidence, self-esteem, social skills and engaging better at school.

03



Emotional and Mental Wellbeing: a number of young people have been supported to apply for and obtain apprenticeships in sectors such as nursing, IT and sports science. The impact for these young people has been extensive, with improvements in self-confidence, personal resilience, self-awareness and self-esteem whilst also providing financial income generation for themselves, families and the local community.

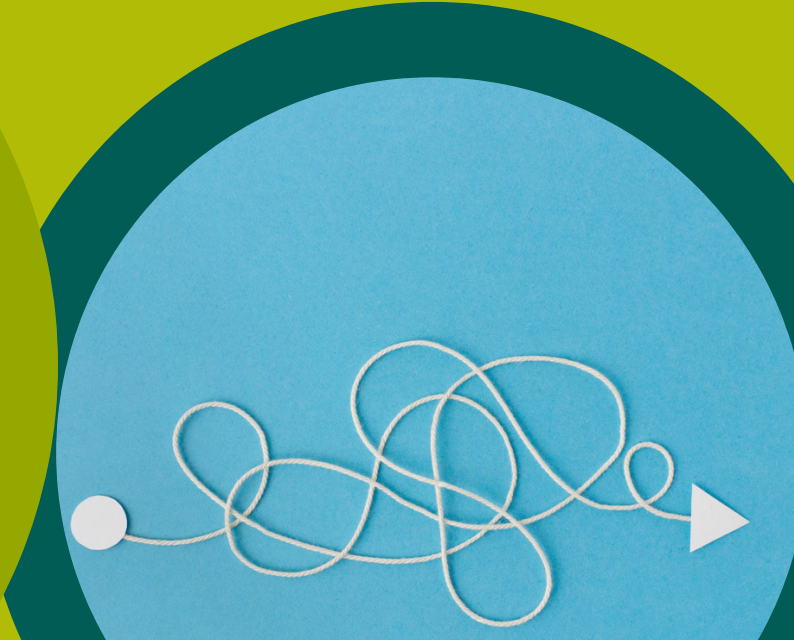
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'Y FAN': a collaborative and youth-led project funded by the National Lottery Fund; providing a mobile provision to rurally isolated areas, villages, and towns in Ceredigion. The aim is to provide bespoke youth club programmes and activities to engage with young people, particularly those who are disadvantaged, vulnerable and require support. Demand has been very high bringing new initiatives to communities to help individuals connect with each other. It is pivotal in providing a through-age approach to building community resilience and wellbeing for young people.

05

WHERE ARE WE WEAKEST?



Where are we weakest?

Due to the impact of Covid-19, in 2021 and early 2022 the Support and Prevention service mainly delivered targeted and focused provision within education settings and those categorised as essential community visits i.e., wellbeing walks, home visits and outreach for those young people identified as vulnerable.

There are currently **530** individual cases recorded on 'Child-view' (the service management information system) – which includes primary, secondary and post 16 young people already open to support. According to the Porth Cynnal service strategy proposal for levels of need, the thresholds for the referrals received can be categorised as:

- 10% Acute
 - 6% Complex
 - 84% Vulnerable, and
 - 0% universal
- change to:
20% complex
70% Vulnerable
10% Universal

Since September 2022, **212** new referrals have been made from schools across Ceredigion.

The service would typically have a reach of up to **5,000** children and young people annually via both targeted and universal provision i.e. youth clubs, holiday provision, after-school clubs etc. and through utilising Service Level Agreements and collaborative work with the third sector, that accounts for up to **51% of the youth population (16–18)** in Ceredigion.

As the Support and Prevention service continues to recover from Covid-19, universal provision restarted in January 2022 as well as the re-start of community-based provisions such as youth clubs and engagement, recreational and social projects for children, young people and families living in rural areas. [350 young people accessed weekly youth club provision and holiday activities between January 2022 - September 2022.](#)

As part of our engagement activity we met with a range of stakeholders and asked them to share with us:

'Where are we weakest?': this question included opinions on what aspects of the service model were most detrimental to efficiency and delivery and what services and provisions require long term investment?

The information on pages 23 to 25 provide a summary of the responses to this question.



Where are we weakest?

Youth work is valued and understood

Youth work has a vital role to play in partnership with formal education to help realise the four purposes of Curriculum for Wales 2022. Furthermore, youth work services are important to the delivery of the Youth Engagement and Progression Framework (2017), supporting young people to remain engaged in their education, employment and training or re-engage where appropriate. To maximise the contribution of youth work to these areas, it needs to be valued and understood at all levels in the system so it is at the forefront of decision-makers minds when commissioning or considering the impact of provision.

Youth work should be important to everyone!

Our schools focus too heavily on academic abilities rather than more focus on practical things like apprenticeships.

- **Fractionalised relationship** with the education system and schools, struggling to obtain 'buy in', which can create conflict and a lack of joined up working.
- **Managing expectations:** communication within schools is another challenge. What schools 'expect' and what the team's roles actually are sometimes leads us into counter-productive relationships and risk increasing tension in the partnership.
- **Managing relationships:** a large focus of our work is within schools and that relationship can be difficult to manage both in terms of an understanding of our role and in managing the expectations placed on us.
- **Lack of clarity of roles and responsibilities** across all teams within the TAWM model, which causes confusion and delays to the provision of targeted support for young people. There is little clarity on priorities in terms of where the gaps are and who will address them.



A sustainable partnership model of youth work

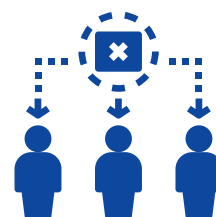
The systems and structures for the planning and delivery of youth work operate consistently to a shared set of standards and a robust understanding of the nature of youth work in Wales, including how it is equitably funded, planned, delivered and held accountable.

We need and want more youth clubs, more often, and for later in the evening.

I trust you but I'm worried and concerned about what will happen if you cannot support me later this year.

Where are we weakest?

- **We can often be seen as the '4th emergency service'** and sometimes only get to see a young person for 1 hr per week. Schools often 'refer' into us at crisis point and the age of referrals are getting younger due to the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic. Referrals do differ from school to school (town vs country) as the capacity within them is very different.
- **We have seen a big increase in supporting mental health needs post Covid-19:** our team do not have the sufficient capacity, the required range of specialist skills and knowledge sets, nor the resources and tools to manage the demand in a way that is person centred.
- **Sustainability of grant funds:** we do access grant provisions dependant on what is on the horizon at the time but we have some concerns over sustainability. The alternative curriculum is EU funded, which is a worry for us.
- **Increases in bespoke packages of care:** by providing personalised 1:1 we can sometimes get caught up in setting up bespoke packages for young people.
- **Staff capacity:** we cover such a vast area, including evening and weekend work, that it is hard to provide support and engage with young people consistently and we need to get the van out more. The 'van' (Y Fan) is a logistical challenge to manage and we need 2 vans and 2 dedicated staff per van as the demand for access to it is very high.
- **We don't say 'NO' enough:** we are seeing a significant increase in referrals that are not right for our intended purpose as a service and there is no exit strategy/transition plan in place for young people post 16yrs of age.
- **Increase in complex needs:** there has been a significant increase in the demands on our service to support young people with complex mental health needs e.g. self harming, anxiety, social and emotional developmental learning challenges. This impacts both on young peoples' confidence and self esteem and our capacity to provide the required levels of support. We also struggle to support young people in accessing CAMHS support. We feel very thinly spread but motivation and morale are still very good.



Where are we weakest?

Youth work is accessible and inclusive

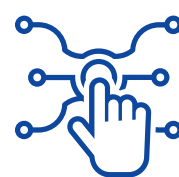
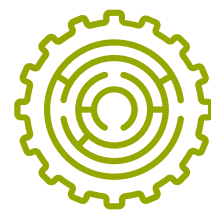
Youth work is accessible and inclusive to young people right across the country. While we must give important consideration to issues such as rurality and location of services, youth work must also be accessible and inclusive in a wider sense to all young people. It should reflect the range of diverse backgrounds, identities, experiences, and needs of young people in Wales.

Youth work must be accessible, including through outreach, in collaboration with schools and a range of partners, and digitally.

Everyone should be able to take part in the Gym activities but not many women seem to be signing up?

Can we develop more access to help for those of us who are not the best academically but have a lot to offer our communities, most support at our schools feels like it goes to those who achieve the required grades.

- **Resources and forms:** we still use paper forms (e.g. memberships and relevant information). We need e-forms accessible via tablets and smart phones so we are more efficient in our time and more carbon neutral.
- **Varied ICT systems:** the distribution and dissemination of relevant information in schools can sometimes be challenging. This is generally as a consequence of the various ICT systems that are used, which across the county, are not always interlinked and can cause confusion.
- **The lack of space for private meetings** in some of the schools makes it hard for us to find a suitable designated location for intervention work. Whilst this may sound basic, it is a growing area of weakness for both ourselves and the schools, that challenges our ability to hold trusted and confidential discussions.
- **Social Media presence:** use of information technology access is limited and could be more prolific and innovative.



WHAT NEEDS TO CHANGE?



What needs to change?

As part of our engagement activity we met with a range of stakeholders and asked them to share with us '**What needs to change?**'. This question included opinions on what barriers are currently preventing progress and results and how can we best empower staff and stakeholders to be innovative?

The information below provides a summary of the responses to this question.

A sustainable partnership model of youth work

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Could more local businesses be encouraged to offer bursaries for young people for training or equipment required our chosen vocation?

Most of my friends have moved away due to better job prospects or to study in universities. They think life in Ceredigion is hard due to the lack of good public transport and limited leisure facilities.



Youth Work isn't just 9-5pm. We need to change/review staff structures, hours, contracts so we can provide a service that is both flexible and better enables young people to access the support required



Ideally we would want to expand and increase our nurturing provision for those young people who are not in a place ready to learn. The need for this intervention is increasing and is a core part of early prevention

What needs to change?

A sustainable partnership model of youth work



Can we improve collaboration in local communities to set up and manage more Youth Clubs, work closely with Area 43. We should not expect the council to always have to finance and manage them



Can we consider more investment in acquiring a second van (Y Fan) service model. Demand is so high and we need to continue to change and be innovative in how we provide young people with access to a youth club model given the rurality of the county



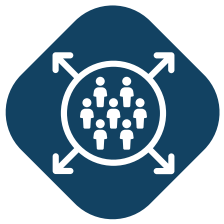
Each youth worker carries a high case load supporting young people with increasingly complex needs. Our ability to provide early intervention and prevention work is harder. As we recover from Covid-19 we need to re-introduce targeted prevention work wherever possible



All of the TAWM teams are holding onto an allocated caseload for longer to try and avoid escalation into specialist support as more young people are being referred to us in crisis. There is a risk of addressing the symptoms of the crisis and not the cause

What needs to change?

A sustainable partnership model of youth work



We need to provide youth worker capacity to the 'pupil referral unit'. This could be addressed via a grant application as part of the new shared prosperity fund



We need to provide more youth space within a range of settings across the county, i.e the wellbeing centre in Lampeter and widen our mobile outreach as access to any form of public transport in some towns and villages is minimal at best

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Can we change the tools and ICT support in how we 'capture and measure' some of our work (impact) as it is important to allow young people to simply 'offload' and that is very difficult to measure but is so important in terms of their wellbeing



We need an action plan for improving co-operation between schools and youth work. This plan of action must bring school and youth services closer together to foster a sense of community, enable participation and facilitate early interventions for both parties



Clarity about priorities relating to our service provision e.g. are we meant to be in schools and/or communities and what constitutes an appropriate referral within our remit and function



Can we do more around developing a marketing plan that improves understanding of the positive power and impact of youth work in Ceredigion



HOW CAN WE IMPROVE?



How can we improve?

As part of our engagement activity we met with a range of stakeholders and asked them to share with us 'How can we improve?'. This question included sharing views and reflections on how can services develop, evolve and move forward?

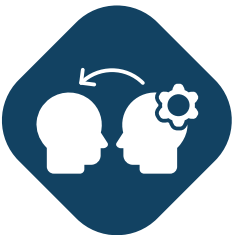
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Young people are thriving

To help ensure young people are able to thrive, we need to ensure we are creating safe spaces and youth work cultures that are caring, inclusive and understanding and which build trust and a sense of belonging. This is not just about providing these experiences, but ensuring that young people play an important role in the decisions that affect them now and in the future.

I want safe places to hang out, make friends, and try new things.

Our schools focus too heavily on academic abilities rather than more focus on practical things like apprenticeships.



Young people with higher needs are taking up a lot of resources and moving the team away from 'prevention' work towards 'targeted' support. We can improve by offering more mentors which would help in the short term but it isn't a longer-term solution



Can we consider evolving and growing our range/offer of 'vocational based interventions', that focus on the needs and wishes of the young person, from work experience placements to work taster sessions

How can we improve?

Youth work is accessible and inclusive



Can we improve our offer of centre-based support i.e. Youth Club/ Youth Centre and drop in provisions by extending our opening hours to evenings and weekends (youth clubs operate on after school hours)



Widen our group of younger people who complete an induction to our gym sessions and broaden the offer of health and sports recreational interventions. Encourage more females to take part and be there for them with a plan B if things might not work out



We need to improve on our model for detached/mobile, outreach and pop up youth work.

Could we also consider improving our detached youth work in parks, cafés, shopping centres and other spaces that young people have chosen to be



Our team could support local community groups to assist them in how to set up a youth club e.g. governance, registration, insurance, training and a framework for support

How can we improve?

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(age 16–18yrs old)

Life can be boring for us. There is little in the way of sport and leisure facilities in the rural areas and buses cost too much to travel to larger towns.



More work is required to support parents who are in severe distress and as a consequence of which, impacts on the health and wellbeing of their children. Perhaps widening our multi-agency and multi-disciplinary approach aimed at intervening early with families where behavioural difficulties are emerging so we can bridge the gap where universal interventions have been unsuccessful and where families do not meet the criteria for other services such as specialist CAMHS



Can we improve the support from CAMHS who themselves are overstretched. CAMHS undertake work based on strict commissioning and assessment criteria and many young people with complex conditions who are at risk of developing long-term mental health problems are falling through the net. This is because their mental health conditions/problems do not meet current threshold criteria for specialist mental health services. It comes at the expense of early intervention to support young people before their mental health problems become entrenched and severe thus requiring admission to inpatient services

How can we improve?

A sustainable partnership model of youth work



Look at Pembrokeshire model (YISP: Youth Inclusion Support Project) around referral partnerships meetings every 2 weeks to decide who is the best service to support young people. Issues are dealt with quicker via early intervention



Make further improvements to referral processes, the earlier the better, as escalated behaviours are naturally more expensive to manage



We need to further empower communities to take ownership and become intergenerational – active citizens focused on:

- Mental health support for young victims
 - Substance mis-use prevention activities for young people
 - Support for young adults who are committing low level offences, to build their confidence and access training and employment
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Work with the Dyfed-Powys Police Youth Ambassadors through the Support and Prevention team to help shape and respond to a range of priorities that were identified in the youth survey over the summer and autumn of 2022

Why is this best approach?



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What research evidence is available to promote change?

This section describes a range of research evidence and/or best practice examples that align to how Ceredigion County Council can further improve and develop stronger, more efficient and integrated approaches of delivery and management of support and prevention services for its residents.

An area of concern for all the teams in Support and Prevention was the significant increase in mental health needs of young people (and the increase in children under the age of 11 yrs post the Covid-19 pandemic), with schools often 'referring into' the teams at crisis point and waiting lists for mental health assessments and support are getting longer.

Outlined below are best practice examples of how Regional Partnership Boards are responding to this challenge, in implementing a 'no wrong door' approach to mental health and well-being.

No Wrong Door follow up report 2022

The Children's Commissioner for Wales report 'Making Wales a No Wrong Door Nation - how are we doing?' 2022', makes a call for every region to adopt a 'No Wrong Door' commitment so that children, young people and their families do not get bounced between services.

No Wrong Door touches on many children's human rights under the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC), including article 24 – the right to the best possible standard of healthcare; article 20 – the right to special help if a child does not live with their family and article 23 – the right to special care if a child has a disability or mental health need. The report includes best practice examples and measurable outcomes relating to early help and prevention as to what a 'No Wrong Door' model should 'look and feel' like for children and young people.

Planning and implementing a No Wrong Door approach

- Cardiff & Vale Council have embedded mental health practitioners across schools, youth services and early help teams in the region to improve their support offer. Cardiff social services is piloting a new CAMHS social worker post, with the role designed to build bridges between health and social care. There are also 'Thinking Together' conversations taking place as casework supervision, using a Signs of Safety and Team around the Worker approach and following an agreed framework document.



Why is this best approach?

What research evidence is available to promote change?

No Wrong Door Follow Up report 2022 (Contd.)

Planning and implementing a No Wrong Door approach

- Cwm Taf Morgannwg have appointed a new 'Whole School Approach Coordinator' employed by the Health Board, who is currently developing a self-assessment tool to assess schools' abilities to meet the emotional wellbeing needs of children and young people. The new In-Reach (CAMHS) service is also recruiting 13+ mental health nurses & practitioners to work with schools across the region to develop a new service. This work is being taken forward using the NEST framework as a planning tool to guide the direction of operational service development.
- In North Wales there are also plans for a new 'safe space' drop-in centre in Wrexham for children aged 13-18 to receive support for an urgent mental health or emotional wellbeing need. The centre will be led by CAMHS regional clinical lead, coordinated by health colleagues and the Local Authority. The project hopes to expand further to include third sector organisations. It will be open in the evenings, nights and weekends. The project aims to prevent or reduce deterioration in a young person's emotional, behavioural or wellbeing state which may otherwise result in an application of section 136 of the Mental Health Act.
- Powys RPB have established a 'Junior Start Well Board', made up of young people aged 11-25, which has now met several times. The Board has its own terms of reference and nominated their own chair. The Chairs of the Start Well Board (adult sub-group of the main Board) attend every meeting, and there is a standing item on the Start Well Board agenda to update all RPB Board members about access to support for their emotional wellbeing across the county.
- In West Glamorgan the health board have recently launched a website offering advice and support for children and young people based on good mental health and wellbeing called Tidy Minds. It provides advice and signposting for children and young people, as well as support for parents and carers. This website was co-produced with children and young people.
<https://tidyminds.org.uk>



Why is this best approach?

What research evidence is available to promote change?

One Voice Wales Community Engagement Best Practice Guide

Another common theme that stakeholders frequently mentioned as a challenge or barrier to working with young people was the lack of 'suitable' private spaces to have discussions with young people. The One Voice Wales Community Engagement Best Practice Guide's focus is on sharing the learning and experiences of other Councils to build an opportunity to plan how local communities can be engaged in local projects and decision making.

As an example of best practice, the guide describes how Wrexham County Borough Council and Brymbo Community Council support young people to regularly meet and socialise in a private space. The approach could be adopted by the Support and Prevention service.



Brymbo Detached Youth Work project incorporating Dickie's Bench

Brymbo detached team operates under a Service Level Agreement between Wrexham County Borough Council and Brymbo Community Council. The aim of the project is to support young people through youth work intervention, developing services where young people regularly meet and socialise.

"Dickies Bench" developed because young people asked for a space to talk confidentially with staff across health and social care. Dickies Bench developed naturally – it is a park bench that has been "adopted" by the young people near the MUGA area in the community. If young people need support or a confidential chat, they sit on the bench and the workers know they are needed.

Dickies Bench is close enough to the MUGA area for staff not to become isolated, but far enough away to facilitate confidential conversations.

Dickies Bench is an integral part of the youth service delivery in Brymbo and is a focal point of provision in the area. It provides enough privacy for confidential conversations as well as maintaining the concept of still being in a bigger group.

The model has provided the opportunity for young people to access support on a number of issues, some of which include:

- Sexual health and advise
- Information on drug/substance misuse
- Loneliness and isolation, including bereavement.
- Sometimes leaflets have been left on Dickies Bench as young people have asked for information that they want to read on their own



Why is this best approach?

What research evidence is available to promote change?

Youth work in Wales: principles and purposes

With empowerment making up one of the key pillars prescribed in 'Youth Work in Wales 3 Principles and Purposes', a further challenge identified by stakeholders related to having efficient and easy access to a range of tools and resources to deliver effective youth work to a broader range of young people in Ceredigion.

In 2021 Estyn published a research report on how Cardiff Council is transforming its open access youth work in communities, street-based youth work, youth mentoring support aligned to schools, as well as a post-16 offer, to support the Youth Engagement and Progression Framework and the approach may be of value to the Support and Prevention service.

Estyn: Transforming youth work provision: young person led digital innovation

Youth work was a focus for Estyn during Cardiff Council's inspection in 2021. The council's youth service worked in partnership with local young people to develop an innovative digital youth work offer in creating a bespoke, young person friendly website for the youth service teams.

The online offer from Cardiff Youth Service in 2021 was extremely limited, consisting of a few staff members using social media infrequently. This caused concern, considering young peoples use of social media and digital technology in their everyday lives.

They researched the evidence base and best practice examples for digital youth work with much of this coming from countries in Europe. They used the philosophy of Digital EU which describes digital youth work as 'proactively using or addressing digital media and technology in youth work'. Digital youth work is not a youth work method – digital youth work can be included in any youth work setting (open youth work, youth information and counselling, youth clubs, detached youth work).

From the engagement work between youth workers and young people they identified a need for information about the services that Cardiff Youth Service offered, as well as information on wider youth support services, to be easily accessible to all in a single online site. Young people told youth workers that they wanted opportunities to develop digital skills including filming, photography and editing and to communicate with youth workers through access to social media and safe digital spaces.

A website development group was set up and group members met weekly online to explore other websites and generate ideas about important features and site design. The group met with the web developer to outline their views, opinions and vision for the site. The site was improved and now contains useful information about Cardiff Youth Service, including a meet the team section, resources, membership forms, information about wider youth support services and a blog feature. The site can be accessed here: <https://www.cardiffyouthservices.wales/index.php/en/>

To ensure that young people can access the site, the street-based team explored how this can be done through QR codes. This system has been adopted throughout the service with the codes on posters and business cards.



**How can statutory functions
and roles best be delivered to
improve early intervention
and prevention pathways?**



Improving early intervention and prevention pathways?

This section describes a range of observations from the engagement feedback from stakeholders that align to how Ceredigion County Council can further improve and develop statutory functions, the roles in the Support and Prevention service and bolster partnerships to improve early intervention and prevention pathway for its residents.

We have captured these views as outputs for suggested improvements which are listed below.



Consider developing a Support and Prevention 'Young People's Emotional Wellbeing' toolkit* for schools and colleges that provides staff with a comprehensive suite of resource tools and outlines the support available across Ceredigion, outlining any threshold referral criteria



Develop an integrated, innovative mental health youth hub, provided by a consortium led by the council, a voluntary sector organisation and CAMHS workers, based on a needs-led model with no pre-determined intervention. The workers have the flexibility to be creative in terms of how they support young people



Undertake a review of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) in Tier's 1 and 2 at the earliest possible opportunity during 2023, involving Porth Cymorth Cynnar, Porth Cynnal and the Regional Partnership Board



Cross-service referral model and pathways to be re-defined including key referral criteria and points of access based on level of need, age range and input for any specific provision that may be more resource intensive




Recommendations



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The recommendations below have been proposed based on the engagement activity undertaken to capture a wide range of views and opinions across a number of stakeholders, including feedback from children and young people, internal staff, managers and community partners.

The recommendations below are not listed in an order of priority, what needs to be done first, second and so forth but they are intended to be reviewed by Ceredigion Council to support the Local Authority in developing stronger, more efficient and integrated approaches of delivery and management and for consideration as to what would be most helpful to align with the Through Age Wellbeing Model and Action Plan 2021-2027.

-  Referral pathways and criteria: to review the referral process into and move on out of the Support and Prevention services. To undertake a mapping and case tracking exercise to analyse the pathways, routes and timings of referrals into Support and Prevention in order to agree upon clear transfer arrangements that ensure young people receive the help they need in terms of their care and support needs, both non-eligible wellbeing and prevention needs and eligible social care needs and outcomes. It also means teams are able to take on a case in the knowledge that this has been done safely and all the relevant information has been passed onto them.
-  Establish a sustainable and fit for future purpose referral pathway based on the outcomes of the review (as outlined above) and ensure that roles and responsibilities of the wider partners are captured within it. To potentially include MDT/bubble/partnership meetings on a regular basis where all partner agencies working around a young person regularly come together to information share via a formalised process.
-  Social Media/Information Technology: boost the application and use of equipment and information technology, including the range of methods of communication when engaging with young people across Ceredigion. Expand the application and use of social media, sharing of information via WhatsApp groups etc.

Consider developing a web-portal (or an application such as Padlet) that seeks to support young people, youth workers, wider youth support service professionals, as well as parents and wider community members with an overview of the Support and Prevention Service. Co-producing content with young people and partners that seeks to inform, support and educate young people in issues that affect their lives and linked to the expansion of social media.



Recommendations

- ✔ Consider the potential learning opportunities of the Pembrokeshire YISP (Youth Inclusion Support Project) model that could further strengthen Ceredigion's reputation as a 'gold star' partnership arrangement (by Dyfed-Powys Police). Working with young people who are considered to be at risk of offending or anti-social behaviour, or where there are concerns about their emotional or mental health.
- ✔ It is recognised that the concept of a 'mobile youth provision' has significant value in rural Ceredigion but further consideration needs to be given to how best to ensure it has the most effective impact for the community. The current van is proving difficult to manage logistically due to the demand for access across the rurality of the county and we would suggest some thought be given to staffing the van with a 'permanent' role and 'activity plan' in order to establish the impact and outputs before potentially considering expansion of the offer of an additional vehicle/van.
- ✔ Develop a Support and Prevention 'Young People's Emotional Wellbeing' toolkit* for schools and colleges that provides staff with a comprehensive suite of resource tools and the support available across Ceredigion outlining any threshold referral criteria. The toolkit could be developed as a bespoke project or as part of a suite of resources for the youth service portal recommendation (outlined on the previous page).
- ✔ Consider the potential return on investment in developing a 'safe space' drop-in centre in Ceredigion for young people to receive support for an urgent mental health or emotional wellbeing need. The centre could be led by a CAMHS regional clinical lead, co-ordinated by health colleagues and the Local Authority, with an aim to prevent or reduce deterioration in a young person's emotional, behavioural or wellbeing and without the required support increases and risks of the need for specialist support.
- ✔ Collaborate with schools to improve how Support and Prevention work in partnership with schools to role model the core values of the Welsh Government's 'Framework on embedding a whole-school approach to emotional and mental well-being' e.g. belonging, efficacy and having your voice heard.



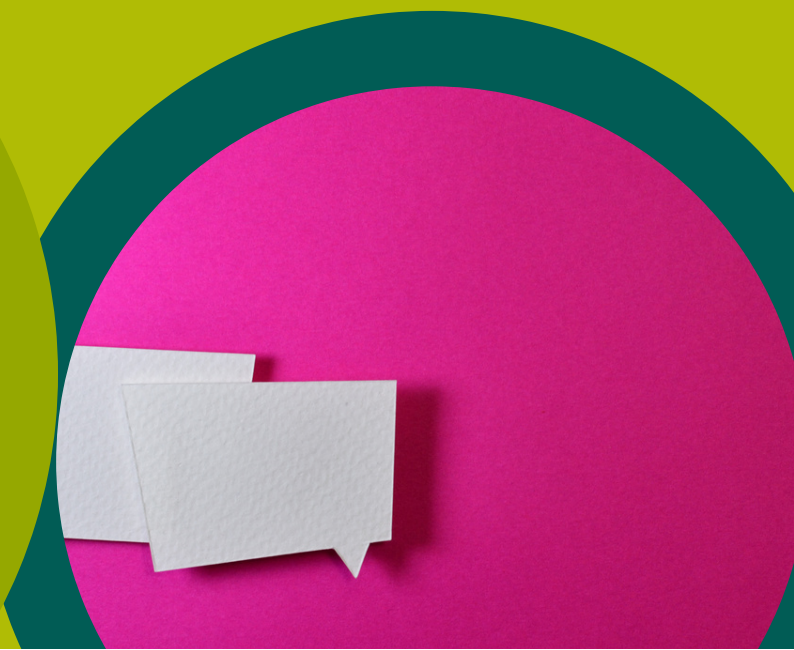
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- ✔ Design and publish a toolkit that supports local people and voluntary groups in how to set up a youth club e.g., governance, registration, insurance, training and a framework for support which could further expand the offer of youth clubs within the rural communities of Ceredigion and operate as social enterprises.
- ✔ Source potential income/budget revenue(s) to further enhance the offer of the 4 statutory youth clubs allowing for staffing and the associated costs in providing an extension to the opening hours of all 4 youth clubs including weekend provision.
- ✔ Seek improvements in the availability of internal resources/tools for staff to be able to access in an efficient and timely manner when working with young people.
- ✔ In partnership with the Dyfed-Powys Police Youth Ambassadors help shape and respond to a range of priorities that were identified in the youth survey over the summer/autumn of 2022.



Appendix

List of stakeholders



Stakeholders engaged with and contacted

- Aberaeron Youth Club
- Aberystwyth Youth Club
- Area 43 – Cardigan Youth Charity
- CAVO – Ceredigion Association of Voluntary Organisations
- Ceredigion Youth Council
- CWVYS – Council for Wales of Voluntary Youth Services
- Aberystwyth Community Ambassadors
- Children and Young People Provider Forum
- Community Youth Work and Prevention Team
- Heddlu Dyfed–Powys Police Force
- Support and Attainment Team
- Tir Dewi (Farm Support)
- Young Farmers Club
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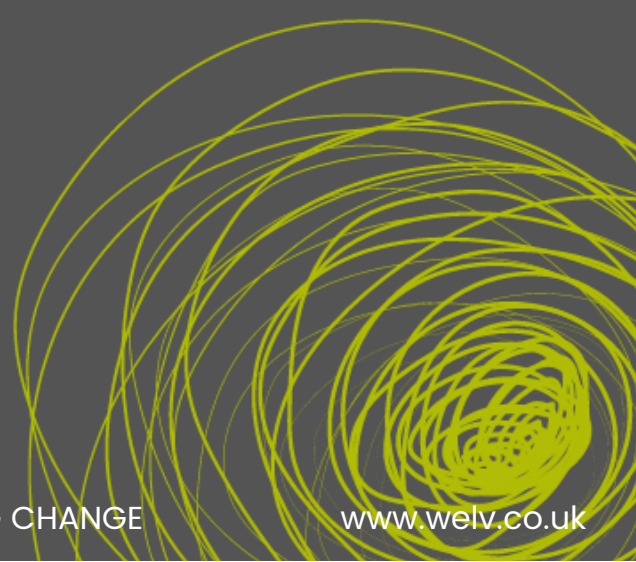
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Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cynghor Ieuenctid Ceredigion CYLCH GORCHWYL Ionawr 2023

Nod Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cynghor Ieuenctid Ceredigion:

Yn unol ag Erthygl 12 Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn (CCUHP), bydd is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cynghor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn canolbwyntio ar faterion amgylcheddol ac sy'n ymwneud â newid hinsawdd, sy'n effeithio ar Bobl Ifanc sy'n byw yn Sir Ceredigion a thu hwnt.

Yng Nghyd-destun CCUHP

Mae hanes hir yng Nghymru i'r ymrwymiad i gynorthwyo plant a phobl ifanc i sicrhau bod eu llais yn cael ei glywed ac i ddylanwadu ar weithgarwch gwneud penderfyniadau. Mae hwn yn rhywbeth a gefnogir gan Gyngor Ieuenctid Sir Ceredigion.

Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn – Mae Confensiwn y Cenhedloedd Unedig ar Hawliau'r Plentyn (CCUHP) yn amlinellu'r gofynion lleiaf o ran diogelu, darparu a chyfranogi y dylai pob plentyn a pherson ifanc ddisgwyl eu cael er mwyn byw bywydau diogel, hapus a boddhaus. Mae Erthygl 12 CCUHP yn gwarantu'r hawl i blant gael eu clywed ym mhob proses lle y caiff penderfyniadau eu gwneud ac y gallent effeithio arny'n nhw:

“ 1.) Nodir y bydd Partïon yn cynnig sicrwydd i'r plentyn sy'n gallu ffurfio eu safbwyntiau eu hunain y byddant yn cael yr hawl i fynegi'r safbwyntiau hynny mewn ffordd rydd ym mhob mater sy'n effeithio ar y plentyn, a rhoddir ystyriaeth briodol i safbwyntiau'r plentyn yn unol ag oedran ac aeddfedrwydd y plentyn.”

Diben Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd

Diben Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd yw sicrhau platfform i bobl ifanc godi ymwybyddiaeth, addysgu, eirioli ac ymgyrchu ar ran pobl ifanc arall ynghylch dull gweithredu cynaliadwy tuag at wella eu hamgylchedd lleol a'r hinsawdd yng Ngheredigion (a thu hwnt o bryd i'w gilydd).

Blaenoriaethau'r Is-Grŵp ar gyfer 2022/23

Bydd Cynghor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn cefnogi Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd a fydd yn:

- 1) Sefydlu Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd newydd ar gyfer Cynghor Ieuenctid Ceredigion
- 2) Penderfynu ar enw ar gyfer is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd sy'n briodol i'w ddiben
- 3) Cytuno ar raglen flynyddol a fydd yn cynnwys cyfarfodydd rhith a chyfarfodydd wyneb yn wyneb
- 4) Rhoi blaenoriaeth i un maes gwaith a fydd yn amlygu effaith gadarnhaol er mwyn sicrhau newid i'r amgylchedd a'r hinsawdd yng Ngheredigion
- 5) Croesawu siaradwyr gwadd a mynychu lleoliad/digwyddiad/gweithgarwch a fydd yn gwella gwybodaeth am bwnc

Aelodaeth Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd:

Bydd aelodaeth y fforwm ar agor i unrhyw aelodau Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion ac unrhyw berson(au) ifanc sy'n byw yng Ngheredigion yn gyffredinol. Ni fydd uchafswm o ran nifer yr aelodau a ganiateir a bydd yr Is-grŵp yn ceisio datblygu cysylltiadau agos gyda Chynghorau/Grwpiau Eco Ysgolion unigol wrth iddo ddatblygu.

Cyfarfodydd a Rhaglen

Bydd Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn cyfarfod dan drefniant rhith a wyneb yn wyneb. Trefnir cyfarfodydd fel y cytunir yn y rhaglen gweithgareddau.

Cynhelir cyfarfodydd rhith ar **ddydd Llun rhwng 1yp - 1.30yp**, a chytunir ar weithgareddau wyneb yn wyneb wrth gyfarfod dan drefniant rhith.

Rhaglen Ddrafft Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion: Tymor 2022/23	
Gweithgaredd	Amserlen
Cyfarfod Cychwynnol rhith Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd	Rhagfyr 2022 7/12/22 a 15/12/22
Paratoi Cylch Gorchwyl drafft gydag aelodau Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd, a fydd yn cynnwys rhaglen arfaethedig a chyfeiriad at Flaenoriaeth 1	Ionawr 2023
Cyfarfod Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion: Eitem ar yr Agenda	3 Chwefror 2023
Cyfarfod rhith Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd: Blaenoriaeth 1	Mawrth 2023
Cyfarfod Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion: Eitem ar yr Agenda	17 Mawrth 2023
Cyfarfod rhith/wyneb yn wyneb Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd: Blaenoriaeth 1	Ebrill/Mai 2023
Arholiadau	Mai – Mehefin 2023
Digwyddiad Cyngor Ieuenctid: Pawb A'i Farn Ceredigion 2023	14 Gorffennaf 2023
Cyfarfod rhith/wyneb yn wyneb Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd: Blaenoriaeth 1	Gorffennaf 2023
Taith/Ymweliad Gwyliau Haf	Awst 2023
Cyfarfod rhith Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd: Adolygu Blaenoriaeth 1	Hydref 2023
Cyfarfod rhith Is-Grŵp yr Amgylchedd: Grŵp newydd	Rhagfyr 2023

YSGRIFENYDDIAETH

Cyflawnir swyddogaeth Ysgrifenyddiaeth y cyfarfod gan Wasanaeth Ieuenctid Ceredigion, a fydd yn cynnig rhaglen flynyddol a fydd yn cynnwys trefnu'r lleoliad ar gyfer cyfarfodydd wyneb yn wyneb.

Bydd Gwasanaeth Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn cynorthwyo gyda'r gwaith o lunio agenda ar gyfer y cyfarfodydd, gan gyhoeddi papurau a chymryd nodiadau yn ystod y cyfarfodydd.

Cadeirydd

Cadeirir cyfarfodydd yr is-grŵp dan drefniant cylchdro o aelodau'r cyngor ieuenctid sy'n bresennol yn y cyfarfodydd.

Adolygiad Blynyddol Cylch Gorchwyl Is-grŵp yr Amgylchedd

Bydd adolygiad blynyddol o'r cylch gorchwyl yn galluogi is-grŵp yr amgylchedd i gynnig blaenoriaethau blynyddol newydd a rhaglen o ddigwyddiadau y bydd gofyn cytuno arnynt ar gyfer pob blwyddyn. Cynigir y dyddiad adolygu nesaf ar gyfer cyfarfod yr Is-grŵp a gynhelir ym mis Rhagfyr 2023.

Cytunwyd ar y Cylch Gorchwyl gan Gyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn ystod trydydd cyfarfod llawn Cyngor Ieuenctid 2022/23 a gynhaliwyd yn Siambr y Cyngor, Penmorfa, Aberaeron.

Dyddiad: 17eg o Fawrth 2023

Hyfforddiant Urddas Mislif a'r Glasoed

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Ar gyfer athrawon, staff cynorthwyol ac asiantaethau sy'n gweithio gyda phlant a phobl ifanc yng Ngheredigion.

Dewiswch o un o'r sesiynau canlynol:

25/04/23, 9.30yb - 12.30yp
~ Ystafell Ystwyth, Penmorfa, Aberaeron

26/04/23, 9.30yb - 12.30yp
~ Canolfan Hamdden Aberteifi, Aberteifi

27/04/23, 9.30yb - 12.30yp
~ Ystafell Medrus 3, Penbryn,
Campws Penglais, Prifysgol Aberystwyth

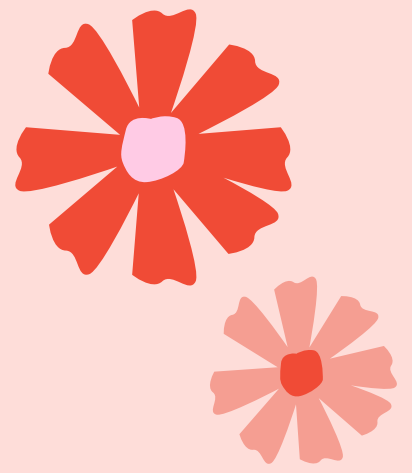
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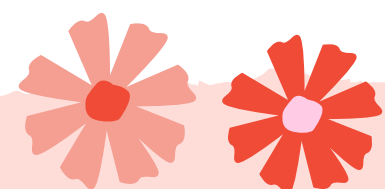
Nod yr Hyfforddiant:

I rannu gwybodaeth a dealltwriaeth gyda gweithwyr proffesiynol am y broses o'r mislif, darparu dealltwriaeth o'r hyn y mae urddas mislif yn ei olygu, a rhoi sgiliau ymarferol i weithwyr proffesiynol addysgu eu disgyblion am y mislif.



Canlyniadau Dysgu:

- Cydnabod y gof ynion statudol ar gyfer ACRh ac addysg mislif.
- Deall 'Cynllun Gweithredu Strategol ar gyfer Urddas Mislif' Llywodraeth Cymru.
- Deall y broses fislif.
- Mynd i'r afael â mythau a thabw sy'n ymwneud â'r mislif.
- Deall pa gynhyrchion sydd ar gael, gan gynnwys cynhyrchion y gellir eu hailddefnyddio.
- Deall pa rwystrau all wynebu pobl sy'n cael mislif a sut i fynd i'r afael â'r rhain.
- Nodi newidiadau ymarferol i sicrhau bod ysgolion a lleoliadau addysg yn annog diwylliant sy'n rhoi urddas mislif i ddisgyblion.



Mae'r hyfforddiant hwn, sydd wedi'i ariannu gan Grant Urddas Mislif Llywodraeth Cymru, yn rhad ac am ddim.

Nifer cyfyngedig o lefydd ar gael*

Gweminar Urddas Mislif i Rieni a Gofalwyr

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Ar gyfer rhieni a gofalwyr plant a phobl
ifanc yng Ngheredigion

Dewiswch o un o'r sesiynau
canlynol:

25/04/23, 6.30yh - 7.30yh
~ dros Zoom

26/04/23, 5.30yh - 6.30yh
~ dros Zoom

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mislif fod yn un ohonyn nhw.

Nod yr Hyfforddiant:

I gynnig dealltwriaeth i rieni a gofalwyr o'r mislif a chynhyrchion mislif amrywiol, ac i ystyried sut y gallant gefnogi eu plentyn/person ifanc gyda'r mislif.

Canlyniadau Dysgu:

- Deall y broses fislif.
- Deall mythau a thabw sy'n ymwneud â'r mislif, a pha rwystrau sy'n gallu wynebu'r rhai sy'n cael mislif.
- Deall beth yw cynhyrchion y gellir eu hailddefnyddio, a pha gynhyrchion mislif sydd ar gael.
- Deall sut i gefnogi'r rhai sy'n cael mislif.

Mae'r ddwy weminar yma, sydd wedi'u hariannu gan Grant Urddas Mislif Llywodraeth Cymru, yn rhad ac am ddim. Bydd dolen Zoom yn cael ei rhannu gyda'r rhai sydd wedi cofrestru.


Nifer cyfyngedig o lefydd ar gael*

CYNNYRCH MISLIF BACH O BOPETH!

Cymer yr hyn sydd ei angen arnat,
pryd bynnag fydd ei angen.

Mae Cyngor Ieuencid
Ceredigion yn gweithio i fynd
i'r afael â thlodi mislif drwy
sicrhau bod pob person ifanc
yng Ngheredigion yn gallu
cael gafael ar gynhyrchion
mislif, yn rhad ac am ddim,
pryd bynnag y mae eu hangen!



 Mae Cyngor Ieuenctid Ceredigion yn meddwl ei fod yn bwysig bod pobl ifanc yn gallu gwneud dewisiadau deallus am yr hyn sydd fwyaf addas i'w cyrff o ran eu mislif.

Mae Cynnyrch Mislif 'Bach o Bopeth' yn rhoi'r cyfle i chi roi cynnig ar amrywiaeth o gynhyrchion mislif **am ddim**, gan eich galluogi chi ddewis y cynhyrchion sy'n gweithio orau i chi.

Bwriad y cynllun hwn yw i hybu urddas mislif a mynd i'r afael â thlodi mislif.

Mae llawer o'r opsiynau yn eco-gyfeillgar, ddim yn cynnwys plastig neu'n ail-ddefnyddiadwy.

Cymerwch yr hyn sydd ei angen arnoch, pryd bynnag sydd ei angen.

Mae digon o bethau i boeni am mewn bywyd, ni ddylai'r mislif fod yn un ohonyn nhw.



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CYNNYRCH MISLIF


I'R GYMUNED



Cymer yr hyn sydd ei angen arnat,
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Mae Cyngor Ieuencid
Ceredigion yn gweithio i fynd
i'r afael â thlodi mislif drwy
sicrhau bod pob person yng
Ngheredigion yn gallu cael
gafael ar gynhyrchion mislif,
yn rhad ac am ddim, pryd
bynnag y mae eu hangen!



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Ymgyrch 'Rhoi Dy Farn 2023' Campaign

Canlyniadau / Results



Pwnc Llosg / Hot Topic	Cyfanswm / Total	Safle/Ranking
Addysg - gwella mynediad i gyfleoedd galwedigaethol a mwy o ddewis, gan gynnwys sgiliau bywyd / Education - improve access to vocational opportunities and greater choice that should include life skills	234	6 th
Addysg - dylid addysgu sgiliau busnes ac entrepreneuriaeth mewn ysgolion / Education - business and entrepreneurship skills should be taught in schools	267	3 rd
Ail Gartrefi - Tai fforddiadwy a mynediad i bobl ifanc lleol / Second Homes - Affordable housing and access for local young people	244	5 th
Argyfwng costau byw - mwy o gefnogaeth gyda chostau cludiant, cinio ysgol ac ynni / Cost of living Crisis - more support with costs of transport, school meals and energy	515	1 st
Cydraddoldeb - mwy o gyfleoedd chwaraeon i ferched mewn ysgolion ac yn y gymuned / Equality - more sports opportunities for girls in schools and in the community	201	7 th
Gyrfaoedd - Mwy o ddewis o brentisiaethau sy'n talu'n well a mynediad at amrywiaeth o gyfleoedd profiad gwaith / Careers - A greater choice of better paid apprenticeships and access to a range of work experience opportunities	372	2 nd
Hybu'r Gymraeg - mae angen gwneud mwy i hybu'r iaith / Promoting the Welsh language - more needs to be done to promote the language	95	8 th
Trafnidiaeth - mae angen i fysiau redeg yn hwyrach a bod yn fwy fforddiadwy, gwell cysylltiadau trên a gwell llwybrau beicio /Transport - buses need to run later and be more affordable, better train links and improved bike routes	256	4 th
Cyfanswm Pleidleisiau / Total Votes	2184	



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Mae canlyniadau'r bleidlais flynyddol yn nodi'r blaenoriaethau a fydd yn rhoi ffocws i ddigwyddiad blynyddol 'pawb a'i farn' y Cyngor Ieuenctid adeg tymor yr haf. / The results of the annual ballot sets out the priorities that will provide focus for the Youth Council's annual 'pawb a'i farn' event in the summer.