

Children's Services: Our Vision



Children are at the heart of everything we do.

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They are involved as key partners in planning and decision making.

High quality, child-centred and effective services.

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We deliver high quality, child centred, effective help and support to children and young people, their parents/carers and family. Providing the right intervention at the right time and in the right way. We provide integrated services and seamless clear pathways from early help to specialist support.

Reflective and responsive to change.

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Our services reflect and respond to the changing needs of Coventry's diverse population of children and young people.

Working with families.

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We work with families to equip them with the understanding and skills they need to raise their children in a loving, happy, healthy and safe environment, which enables them to become confident and responsible adults.

Outcome-driven and impactful.

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Services are outcome driven and we are clear about the impact we are having on children.

Services around children and families.

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Children are supported to live at home whenever possible. When they cannot remain with their families, they are able to live in or near Coventry in the most appropriate caring home. Services wrap-around the child so as to minimise any disruption to children's lives.

Top class early help.

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We deliver top class services for early help and early years, to optimise prospects of the best start in life for all children.

Mature partnerships.

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Our partnerships are mature, trusting and effective at both strategic and operational level. In our partnership work, the focus remains on the child. Partners actively contribute to enhance the local authority offer.

Committed workforce.

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Our workforce is stable, skilled, motivated and committed to delivering excellent services to children and young people in Coventry. They feel supported to make decisions, assess and hold risk and to develop creative and innovative solutions.

High-performing.

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The outcomes we achieve for children and young people compare favourably with high performing local authorities. We make an active contribution to Coventry's ambition of achieving Top 10 city status.