

Children and Young Peoples Directorate Strategic Priorities 2019-20

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BE THE BEST BOROUGH IN THE NORTH

Our vision is to ensure all children in Calderdale are HEALTHY, SUCCESSFUL AND SAFE

HEALTHY SUCCESSFUL

SAFE

What will success look like

- Reduced proportion of children classed as "obese" in Reception and Year 6
- The proportion of children achieving a 'Good Level of Development' will meet the national average
- Attainment at the end of Key Stages 1 and 2, especially in writing, will be closer to the national average
- Attainment gaps between disadvantaged (including children looked after) and other pupils will be in line with the national average
- The proportion of schools and settings judged to be good or better by Ofsted will be higher than the national average
- We will have less children looked after by the local authority
- We will have less children involved in harmful and risky behaviours
- We will have fewer placement moves of our children who we look after

Our Aims

- More children taking part in activities outside school and sports
- All children in Calderdale will be "school ready"
- Improve outcomes for all children to be able to achieve well in line with their peers and aspire to good future careers
- All our schools and settings will be judged GOOD or better by Ofsted



- Ensure services help to keep children safe within their family
- Ensure services help to keep children safe within their community
- Ensure children are safely cared for by their corporate parents

Our Actions

- Encourage parents and families to do '50 things with children before they are 5'
- Increase the proportion of children with a 'healthy weight'
- Increase the proportion of children who achieve a 'Good Level of Development' by the end of the Reception year
- Raise attainment at the end of Key Stages 1 and 2, especially in writing
- Narrow the attainment gap between disadvantaged (including children looked after) and other pupils at all Key Stages
- Continue to increase the proportion of school and early year's setting judged to be good or better by Ofsted