



York's Children's Rights and Advocacy Service

Privacy Notice

Speak Up is the name of York's Children's Rights and Advocacy Service and this agreement relates to the participation and consultation work delivered by the service including, but not limited to, the work of the Children in Care Council and Care Leavers Forum.

York's Children in Care Council (Show Me That I Matter) and Care Leavers Forum (I Still Matter)

The aim of the Children in Care Council and Care Leavers Forum is to provide an opportunity for children and young people who have been looked after by the City of York Council, to have their say by talking to decision makers about their experiences and the things that they feel need changing.

Our Privacy Notice - What we do with your information

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