

# INFORMATION SHEET



## Our work in schools

Most of our individual work with CYP is carried out within schools and we have developed good working links with local primary and high schools throughout the Falkirk area. We have delivered presentations on the impact of abuse and trauma to school teaching staff supporting children who have experienced Domestic Abuse.

Our specialist trained CYP Team have also developed and facilitated bespoke group work programmes to work with local high school age young people in Falkirk.

Just before lockdown in March 2019 we delivered awareness raising sessions to 104 4th year pupils in PSE class at Grangemouth High. This was received very well by young people and followed on from a successful pilot the previous year. Unfortunately plans to continue this work was impacted by the pandemic but we hope to commence very soon.

We also have delivered groupwork sessions in the Mariner education centre with Groups of 12- 16 year olds. Again this was very successful in raising awareness of domestic abuse, how to get help, safety planning and healthy / unhealthy relationships.

Here is some of the feedback we received from students:

**"I loved having someone to talk to about my worries and feelings"** (boy aged 8)

**"being able to talk to someone has helped me try and control my anger"** (boy aged 13)

**"I'm not afraid of him anymore and I have calmed down a lot"** (boy aged 11)

**"I have thoroughly enjoyed working with you and your colleagues from CEA. Your service offers such tailored and much needed support for young people, families and our school as well. You are an absolute star and I will very much miss working with you. I would like to say a very big thank you to you and your team for your support over the years."** (Headteacher moving to another area Aug 2021)

**"CEA is the one service that I know if I make a referral it will be picked up right away, the passion and commitment from staff are exceptional"** (Headteacher local Primary school)

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