

Supporting young people's ambitions – what's your pledge?

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I will ensure that PfA is a theme within the work plan for our new participation worker

I will continue to advocate for meaningful employment opportunities for young people

I will run a workshop on aspirations and ambitions

I will ask about what they dream about having or doing

I will network with other workers to share ideas

I will bring adult social care workers and SEN workers together to improve person centred planning and better PfA outcomes based on aspirations and ambitions

I will ensure our EHC plans and processes make a difference by making the way we work and our expectations line up with what works for young people rather than what works for the process

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I will develop a tool to capture the aspirations of young people

I will encourage staff to help children the work with to have dreams and ambitions

I will take their aspirations and make it happen – not just talk!

I will ensure social workers reflect the voices of young people in assessment and support planning

I will work with colleagues to promote the engagement of young people in planning and decision making

I will use my skills, knowledge and life experience to help our young people have the same life opportunities I have had

I will always place a focus first and foremost on the child and young person

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I will respectfully challenge those who are not actively listening to child or young person's voice

I will arrange with colleagues a big plan for the young people and families leaving next summer

I will review the travel policy and strategy to train bus drivers to support independent travelling

I will work out what 0-25 could look like locally

I will ask for views and listen to the response

I will develop a process to "hear" the young person's voice at a strategic level

I will make sure I ask young people what their dreams are