**Henfield Parish Council**

**Children & Young People Strategy 2023 -2026**

**OUR VISION**

**To support the children and young people of Henfield regardless of race, gender and abilities and to encourage them to be healthy, safe and active participants in their community**

**AIMS**.

* To promote an environment where children feel safe and engaged, liaising with appropriate organisations on matters of common interest.
* Promote initiatives in regard to children’s health and wellbeing in line with their development needs
* To seek to identify gaps in provision and to research potential development opportunities facilitating consultation with outside organisations.
* To support access to local businesses, youth club and voluntary organisations in order for young people to develop valuable skills and experience.
* To reach out to young people for their opinions and views in a format and language they associate with encouraging active participation in relevant decision making.

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**Children & Young People – Development Needs analysis**

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| **Key Stage 1: Years 1 to 2 (5-7 years old)****Key Stage 2: Years 3 to 6 (7-11 years old)** | Safe and secureDirection Motor skills - craft, art Language/ listening skills |
| **Key Stage 3: Years 7 to 9 (11-14 years old)** | Physical ActivityManaging timeMaking choicesBoundaries |
| **Key Stage 4: Years 10 to 11 (14-16 years old)** | Communication skills. Personal organisationTaking ResponsibilityFriendship |
| **Key Stage 5: College / Sixth Form.** | Social skillsIndependenceFreedom and trustManaging money |

**LOOKING FORWARD**

**Future Objectives**

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**Future Projects**

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**Future Funding**

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