

The looked After Children, Young People and Care Leavers in Shropshire. This pledge has been developed by the Children in Care Council and Leaving Care Forum. It is a set of promises that Shropshire Council are making to all children and young people who are in care and those leaving care.

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For more information about our promise to looked After Children, Young People and Care Leavers in Shropshire.

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The pledge reflects what is important to children and young people and will help us to ensure that you are supported to fulfil your potential.



**1. Keeping You Safe** – We will keep you safe and ensure you are living in an environment where you feel valued, are supported and protected from harm.

**2. Where You Live** – We will make sure you live in a stable home where you are happy, feel safe and are supported to become part of the community.

**3. Your Friends & Family** – We will make sure that you are able to keep in touch with those who are important to you while creating opportunities and experiences where you can have fun, meet new people and gain skills.

**4. Your Health, Wellbeing & Lifestyle** – We will make sure you're supported to live a happy and healthy life. If you ever feel that you need to talk to someone about how you feel, we will make sure you know what support is available and help you to access it.

**5. Your Voice** – We will support you to express your views, wishes and feelings, and involve you in decisions that affect your life. We want to know what we can do better and will give you opportunities to help shape the support we offer.

**6. Your Education, Work & Learning** – We will support you with your education and learning, to ensure that you have the opportunities to fulfil your potential. We will help you to gain the skills, qualifications and experience you need to start a career you're passionate about.

**7. Your Future** – We will support and prepare you for independence and ensure that you are equipped with the skills and confidence to live independently as part of the community. We will continue to support you into adulthood to ensure that you are happy, healthy and safe.

