



# Gendered Intelligence Youth Groups



## London

### Walk-In Days 16-30s

After September, we are pausing walk-in days for Autumn 2023.  
London LGBTQ+ Centre, 11-6pm  
**Sept 18**

### 8-12s

Second Saturday each month,  
12.45-3.45pm, Prospex, Under-  
ground Youth Centre, N78TQ  
**Sept 9 / Nov 11**

### Community Saturdays

Last Saturday monthly, 1-4pm,  
for 11-25s, siblings aged 11-25  
welcome, Prospex, N78TQ  
**Oct 28 / Nov 25**

### 11-16s

Third Saturday of each month,  
1-4pm, Prospex, Underground  
Youth Centre, N78TQ  
**Sept 16 / Oct 21 / Nov 18**

### TPOCalypse 11-16s

Paused until 2023  
**TBC**

### 16-20s

Second Tuesday of each  
month, 6-9pm, Caxton House  
Community Centre, N19 3RQ  
**Sept 12 / Oct 10 / Nov 14**

### TPOCalypse 16-25s

Third Tuesday of each month,  
5.30-8.30pm, QueerCircle,  
SE10 0BN  
**Sept 19 / Oct 17 / Nov 21**

### 18-30s

Third Monday of each month,  
6-8pm, Email for venue:  
[youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk](mailto:youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk)  
**Sept 18 / Oct 16 / Nov 20**

### Swim

Second & last Saturday every month. 4.30pm - meet at Elephant & Castle tube station. 5.00pm - arrive at The Castle Centre, 2 St Gabriel Walk, SE1 6FG.  
8-15 years:  
**Sept 9 / Nov 11**  
11-25s years:  
**Oct 28 / Nov 25**

## Leeds

### Community Saturdays

Last Saturday of every other  
month, 1-4pm, Yorkshire  
Dance, LS9 8AS  
**TBC**

### 8-12s

Second Saturday each month,  
2.30-5.30pm, Woodhouse  
Community Centre, LS6 2NY  
**Oct 14 / Nov 11**

### Swimming

Third Sunday each month,  
5-8pm, Bramley Baths,  
LS133DF  
**Sep 17 / Oct 15 / Nov 19**

### 12-21s

Second Tuesday of each  
month, 6-8.30pm, Yorkshire  
Dance, LS9 8AS  
**Sept 12 / Oct 10 / Nov 14**

# Online

## Nature Connections

Third Wednesday of each month, 6-8pm  
Sept 20 / Oct 18 / Nov 15

## 8-12s

Third Friday of each month, 5.30-7.30pm  
Sept 15 / Oct 20 / Nov 17

## TPOCalypse 18-30s

First Tuesday of each month, 5.30-7.30pm  
Sept 5 / Oct 3 / Nov 7

## 11-16s

Last Friday of each month, 5.30-7.30pm  
Sept 29 / Oct 27 / Nov 24

## Transfems 13-25s

First Wednesday of each month, 6-8pm  
Sept 6 / Oct 4 / Nov 1

## 16-20s

First Thursday of each month, 6-8pm  
Sept 7 / Oct 5 / Nov 2

## Transitions 16-25s

Last Thursday of each month, 6-8pm  
Sept 28 / Oct 26 / Nov 30

## 18-30s

Last Tuesday of each month, 7-9pm  
Sept 26 / Oct 31 / Nov 28

## Youth Board

Second and last Wednesday of each month, 6.30-8.30pm  
Sept 27 / Oct 11 & 25 / Nov 8 & 29

# Online Youth Service

Each group starts with an optional go-around in which you can share your name and pronouns. Across the year our experienced youth workers will prepare sessions based on different themes, including Pride, relationships, self-care and games. You can join in discussions, share your own experiences, make new friends or just have fun and play some games together. You can participate online in a way that fits your needs - you can have your video on, use the microphone or type in the chat.

## Nature Connections

We run an online space for us to slow down as a community together and connect with the world around us, and trips will be arranged as part of the group. We share animal facts, contemplate natural structures, share poetry, watch videos, and discuss our latest nature findings. The group has a calm atmosphere and is a nice way to chill out.



## Transfem

Our transfem group provides a space to connect, build friendships, play games, share experiences and have a laugh together. On top of that, there are different special projects and in-person meet ups across the year. The group is aimed at young trans women, trans girls, and non-binary people who were registered male at birth. There is no right way to be transfeminine and we proudly welcome people with a variety of different gender expressions, and people at different points of their trans journeys.

## Transitions

A space to talk about and explore medical and social transitions. We know there is no one-way to be trans and no one-size-fits-all transition. This is a space to hear experiences, share your own and ask questions.

## Youth Board

The Youth Board is your place to have a say in how GI is run, to create projects, and share your ideas with other young people. Feedback about GI can be taken back to our workers and board of trustees. You can also get involved with reviewing GI documents and with helping us recruit new staff.



# In-Person Youth Service

Whether in London or in Leeds, our in-person spaces give young trans people the opportunity to get together, meet other trans, non-binary and gender-exploring people, and speak to trustworthy adults who are also trans.

After arrivals each group starts with an (optional) opening circle in which everyone gets to introduce themselves with their name and pronouns. After that, there are activities planned by youth workers you can join, do arts and crafts, take part in conversations, eat snacks, or just enjoy the space and chill. You get to choose what you want to do in the group, and your youth workers will be there to support you to make the group work for you and your needs.

## Community Saturdays

Community Saturdays in London and Leeds provide space for young people and their siblings, as well as parents and carers (in a separate space) to come together. Across the year we run a wide range of different events, from Community Picnic to Halloween Party to End of Year Showcase, panels with trans adults, clothes swaps and sessions focusing on topics like Trans Pride and self-care. There is no need to register in advance - just turn up on the day.



## Swimming

Gendered Intelligence runs different swimming sessions for young trans people between the ages of 8-25, with sessions operating in both London and Leeds. Sessions are run/ accompanied by youth workers. Wear whatever you like as long as your bottom half is covered. Check out our youth page for more information.



## TPOCalypse

Our trans POC groups are a space for joy, sharing, getting creative and feeling inspired! Full of great vibes and even greater snacks (usually). We understand trans and non-binary people of colour can experience additional barriers and stigma, even within the trans community. We want to be mindful of the impact of things like colourism within our space. So we invite all people who identify as a Black and/ or a Person of Colour or questioning around that identity. If you are unsure whether these groups are for you or not, we are always open to having conversations and helping you to explore this aspect of your identity, so please reach out!

## Summer Camp

Every summer we take a group of young trans people camping with us. At the camp, you get to spend more time with other trans, non-binary and gender-exploring people, have fun, join in activities like raft building or archery, make your own food, share stories around a campfire, and sleep in a tent.

Our camps are suitable for experienced campers as well as people who have never slept in a tent before. We can also provide some indoor sleeping options for those who need access. On top of our annual camps, we also provide other residential for different groups, identities and geographical locations (see the next page for these all listed).



# Events, Residentials & Camp

Our residentials, trips and summer camp happen alongside the monthly groups. They are great opportunities to spend more in-person time with other trans and nonbinary young people, as well as visit some amazing places and trial fun activities. They are all free of charge and travel bursaries are available. Email [youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk](mailto:youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk) for more info.

## Transfem Residential

1-night residential for young trans women, trans girls and transfeminine people  
**16-17th February 2023**

## Summer Picnic

Our London youth service reopening event following its closure over August  
**9th September 2023**

## Trans Pride Brighton

2-night trip for young people to Trans Pride Brighton  
**14-16th July 2023**

## TPOCalypse Residential

Weekend residential for young trans people of colour  
**30th Sept - 2nd Oct 2023**

## Imagining Our Futures

Young people and families meet trans adults navigating life in the working world (**April 29**) and starting families (**27 May**)

## Northern Residential

GI's first year of offering this weekend residential for those from the North of England  
**13-15th October**

## Camp 11-17s

The UK's largest trans & nonbinary youth trip full of activities and community  
**31 July -3 August 2023**

## Trans Day of Celebration

Trans Day of Remembrance event for trans and nonbinary youth in the London area  
**16th November 2023**

## Leeds Pride

Day trip for our Northern cohort  
**6th August 2023**

## Showcase

GI end of year showcase  
**16th December 2023**

## Camp 16-25s

Our annual Camp for 16-25s  
**18-21st August 2023**

# One-to-one Support

Our experienced youth work team offer 1-1 support to young people who are struggling with specific issues. The general goal of this support is to help individuals build confidence and resilience, so that they can access our groups and trips where they can find additional support, community and friendship.

If you would like to chat with a youth worker with similar identities/experiences (EG transfeminine, trans person of colour, etc.), let us know when you email [youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk](mailto:youthwork@genderedintelligence.co.uk).

# Families & Carers

The Families group is open to all parents and carers of young trans, non-binary or gender questioning people. The monthly forum for parents and carers provides a safe space where practical information is exchanged, and empathetic support given. To join, email [families@genderedintelligence.co.uk](mailto:families@genderedintelligence.co.uk).

## Ldn

Last Saturday each month 1-4pm  
**Sept 30 / Oct 28  
Nov 25**

## Leeds

Last Saturday every other month 1-4pm  
**TBC**

## Online

Third Thursday each month 8-9.30pm  
**Sept 21 / Oct 19  
Nov 16**



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