

The Hear by Right resources include:

- Hear by Right book
- Electronic mapping and planning tool
- Building standards – tools to involve children and young people
- Involving children and young people: an introduction
- Children's and Young People's Trusts briefing
- **WHAT'S CHANGED – A TOOL TO RECORD AND EVALUATE WHAT HAS CHANGED BECAUSE OF GENUINE DIALOGUE WITH CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE** ✓

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standards for the active involvement
of children and young people (2005)

What's Changed

Participation Outcomes Tool



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What's Changed – Participation Outcomes Tool

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The issue raised by children and young people: Nothing to do on a Friday Evening

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Evidence from	Listening	Action	What's changed
Organisation	Young people where hanging around on the streets on Friday evenings telling members of the Neighbourhood Police that they had nothing to do.	The Police contacted partner agencies to attend a meeting which included the housing association A2dominion, Open Door Church, Kick London and Surrey Youth Focus. A plan was put together to set up a weekly free football coaching session on Friday evenings.	The young people have a positive alternative to get involved in on a Friday evening. They are developing there football skills and have the opportunity to form a 5-a-side team that will represent Sunbury at a tournament organised by A2dominion Readings taking place at Reading FC's Madejski Stadium.
Specific children and young people	<i>"We talked to the Police and said we would be interested in attending a football coaching session if one could be arranged."</i>	<i>"In order to make the football project possible and to participate in the activity we have signed up to a behaviour promise which includes 'to not behave in a antisocial manner in the community at all times' and to 'respect the area I am in.'</i>	<i>"We are exited to be taking part in a football tournament."</i> <i>"If it wasn't doing football tonight I would be hanging around with my mates on the street."</i>
Other children and young people and the wider community	<i>"We spent time building relationships with the young people and they showed a keen interest in Football."</i>	<i>"The agencies worked together in order to apply for funding to pay for a football coach and rent a pitch."(Police)</i> <i>"We did some free coaching sessions to help get the project started" (Kick London)</i> <i>"We helped to advertise the project & organised for the young people to enter a tournament." (A2dominion)</i>	<i>"We had lots of reports of anti-social behaviour on Friday evenings and since this project has started these have greatly reduced. It has also helped us to build a stronger relationship with the young people" (Police)</i>

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Improved outcomes for children and young people:

The project runs every Friday evening between 5:00pm – 6:00pm at a floodlit Astro turf pitch at the local school. The project is open to young people aged between 10 and 15 years old and is regularly attended by 10 young people.

This project meets the every child matters agenda through young people keeping healthy, enjoying and achieving as part of a new team and engaging in a positive activity which is safe and enjoyable.