

Substance Misuse Education Service

Fife Locality

This page provides introductory information regarding the Barnardo's Fife Locality Substance Misuse Education service.

The Barnardo's Substance Misuse Education Service is funded by Fife Alcohol and Drug Partnership to deliver educational inputs to all primary (P7) and secondary schools (S2, S3) in Fife, and works to contribute to Curriculum for Excellence HWB learning outcomes by facilitating an interactive session with pupils on the topic of substance misuse. The service also delivers education sessions to 'priority groups' of young people and professionals across a wide range of settings.

Pupil learning is evidenced through anonymous self-reported evaluation sheets, which all participants and teaching staff complete at the end of each session.

The Barnardo's Substance Misuse Education Service takes a capacity building approach and, to this end, provides a toolkit of lesson plans and resources for teaching staff; the service also offers staff update sessions, all of which serve to support teaching staff with their wider work on the topic of substance use/misuse.

Primary school pupil generic learning outcomes (P7):

Increased knowledge of the effect that a range of substances can have on the body and mind.

Increased knowledge of the wider impact of substance misuse.

Secondary school pupil generic learning outcomes (S2 + S3):

Increased knowledge of the effect that a range of substances can have on the body and mind.

Increased knowledge of the wider impact of substance misuse.

Increased knowledge of associated risks.

Increased knowledge of actions that can be applied in challenging situations.

Below is a screenshot of the "Teacher's Toolkit" main navigation page:

