

**Cumbria  
Junior CiCC's  
Newsletter**



The Junior CiCC's are activity meetings that take place in the three areas of the County; North, West and South. They are for young people aged 11 and under and their foster families.

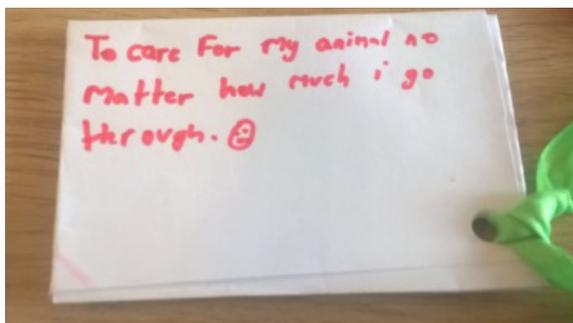
**What the Juniors did in 2018**

Various activities took place in 2018. These included build a bear sessions, Lakeland Maize Maze visit, swimming sessions, Happy Hooves, magical afternoon teas and arts and crafts afternoons.



Approximately 65 juniors from across the county participated in these activities, making friends, building confidence and self-esteem and having their voices heard.





Some of the promises that were made to their bears once they had made them.

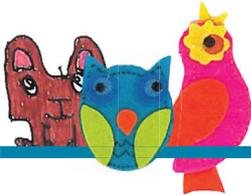
This was part of a project that the Juniors worked on across the County, they developed a Junior Promise that was more meaningful to them and in a language that they could understand.

This is their completed Promise





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The Junior Promise



Those who are helping to look after you promise to:

**See you as you are**

- We promise to know you, what you like and what you don't like.
- We promise to listen to your wishes and feelings.
- We promise to give you everything you need to be yourself.

**Make sure you have what you need**

- We promise to always ALWAYS look after you.
- We will find a home for you where you can be safe and happy.
- We promise that you will have a social worker to help you and make sure you have their phone number.
- We promise to do our best to make sure you keep your social worker for as long as possible.
- We promise to let you play and play with you.
- We promise to hug you if you want us to.
- We promise to keep you safe.

**Help you stay in touch with the important people in your life**

- We promise we will do everything we can for you to stay with your family if it is safe.
- We promise to make sure that you can in touch with all the people that are special to you.

**Care about your education**

- We promise to get you all the help you need to learn.

**Help you stay healthy**

- We promise we will make sure you have a doctor and a dentist.
- We promise we will help you enjoy your hobbies and after school activities.

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**So What does 2019 have in store for our Juniors?**

- An Awesomeness Day
- Family Learning Day
- Under The Sea Adventure
- Ugly Bug Ball
- Forest Adventures
- Stream of Life



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