

Consultation on the Vision for Children and Young People's Services South Ayrshire

Youth Conference, 4th November 2016, County Halls, County Buildings

At the South Ayrshire Youth Forum Conference held in November 2016 young people attending were invited to take part in a brief consultation about the draft vision for South Ayrshire Children's and Young People's Services.

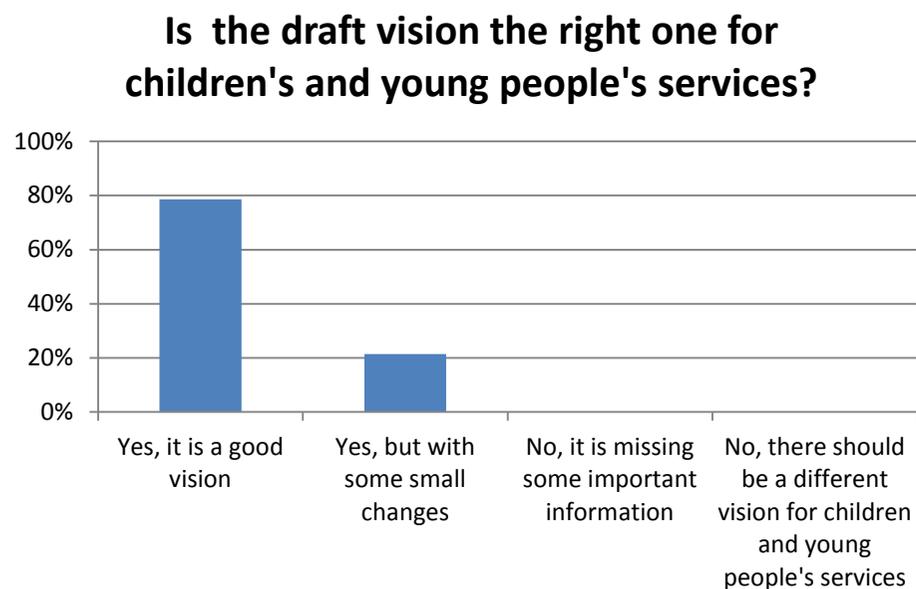
Young people were provided with copy of the draft vision, below, to read and asked whether they felt it was an appropriate aim, vision for children's and young people's services in South Ayrshire. Young people responded anonymously during the conference.

Every child and young person in South Ayrshire deserves the chance to reach their full potential. We will support those who start at a disadvantage and remove barriers for those who are struggling, we will stretch the most able and protect and nurture the most vulnerable. Our aim is to close the poverty gap in outcomes for children and young people so that all can achieve their potential.

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Consultation Responses

Forty-two young people chose to vote. All young people agreed that the vision was appropriate for children and young people's services. Of these, 79% (33) young people voted 'Yes, it is a good vision / Yes, I like it as it is'. The remaining 21% (9) young people agreed that it was an appropriate aim but that there should be some small changes 'Yes, but with some small changes'. No young people disagreed¹ with the proposed vision for South Ayrshire Children's and Young People's Services. O



¹ There were two options to disagree: 'No, some important information is missing.' And 'No, something different is needed.'

Almost half of the young people (43%) provided comments about the vision.

Yes, it is a good vision	Yes, with some changes
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• It's good.• Clear.• It's very clear.• The aim is a good aim which is achievable.• It is what I would like to see achieved in the community.• It tells us that all the info about the children's and young thing. It's really important.• I hope you succeed.• I like that you are trying to close the poverty gap to give everyone an equal opportunity.• It is a good vision with really good clear intentions.• I think it's very positive.• It is a good vision with clear intentions, it should be incredibly helpful.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Most of it's good.• Very good it allows everyone to be equal with the right support.• Most of it very good. (x2)• Very good description but changes could be made.• Lots of new information and facts.• I think everyone should be stretched to their full potential.• I think there should be more groups / clubs for teenagers / young adults