### **Jigsaw Programme**

# Working towards the prevention of exploitative relationships amongst children and young people.

The programme has three strands; Jigsaw Education Programme, Jigsaw Parents and Jigsaw Professionals. The Education Programme provides interactive sessions in schools, youth groups and other settings for 7 year olds up to those in college and further education establishments. We explore topics around grooming both on and offline, healthy relationships, sexting, internet safety and cyberbullying so we can raise awareness on these issues and help children and young people to stay safe.

The parent strand offers information for parents/carers who are concerned about these topics, particularly internet safety. We have delivered information sessions in schools and other locations to help parents/carers to be able to share information with each other, learn more about current technology trends that their children are using and where to get further support and advice. We work across Norfolk. Last academic year 89% of 2014 children and young people said they had learnt something from the lessons. Due to our current funding for this programme we are generally able to offer these two strands to schools free of charge. *"Thank you so much, this helps us stay safe." Year 8 student.* 

Finally the third strand is aimed at professionals who are working with children, young people and parents/carers. We offer three training courses; 'An Introduction to Child Sexual Exploitation', 'Child Sexual Exploitation Awareness Course' and 'CEOP Think u Know course'. The third course is delivered by an Ambassador of CEOP from within our organisation. We can deliver these courses in house or in multi-agency settings and our costs are very reasonable.

"Once again many thanks for all of the time you have taken in helping our school become a safer place for our pupils." Headteacher.

Schools will be able to access some elements of the Jigsaw Programme for free. For more information please contact the Programme Co-ordinator, Sara Plastow on 01603 610256 or jigsaw@magdalenegroup.org

For more information see the flyer below or you can also visit our website <u>www.jigsawprogramme.org</u>





working towards the prevention of exploitative relationships of young people are the young people in your care aware of how to avoid exploitative relationships? jigsaw can help you give them the answers www.jigsawprogramme.org

## Jigsaw Education Programme

The Jigsaw Education Programme alerts young people in schools, colleges, youth clubs and other organisations to the dangers of exploitative relationships.

Jigsaw can visit your organisation and offer lessons and assemblies for children and young people.

Jigsaw explores topics including healthy relationships, grooming, internet safety, sexting and cyberbullying in a fun and interactive way. All of the lessons tie in with the National Curriculum.

83% of students have said they've learnt something from the Jigsaw Programme.

### Jigsaw Parents

Jigsaw Parents offers help and guidance for parents and carers around young people's use of technology and the risks this can present. This is done through Parent Information Sessions and our website.

### **Jigsaw Professionals**

Jigsaw Professionals offers Information Sessions around the issues of the risks of Sexual Exploitation, Internet Safety, Grooming and Cyberbullying. Please see the dedicated section on our website for more information. We also deliver the Child Exploitation Online Protection Centre's half a day's Think u Know training to enable professionals to become qualified to use the Think u Know lesson plans and materials.

A child sex crime was recorded every 20 minutes in England and Wales from April 2009 to March 2010. Research conducted by the NSPCC.

If you'd like any more information or would like to arrange a visit from the Jigsaw team then please do contact us.

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