

Community Planning - Children and Young People's Arts & Creativity Campaign 2016



COMMUNITY PLANNING EXPLAINED

Fermanagh and Omagh District Council and others are developing the first ever



Community Plan for the district.

Isn't this exciting?

The Aim of Community Planning is to improve social (things that help people and communities), economic (things that help the economy £££, infrastructure and skills of people), and environmental (the trees, animals and lovely countryside and places here) well-being and to tackle poverty, exclusion and disadvantage.

The '*Community Plan in a nutshell*' document is attached to this sheet and outlines the long term vision suggested for the Fermanagh and Omagh area over the next 15 years, alongside 9 outcomes (the way we hope things will turn out). The people living in, working in, or visiting here should benefit from these, but how?

IMAGINING THE FUTURE

An Arts and Creativity Campaign '*Imagining the Future*' aims to encourage children and young people to interpret the draft Fermanagh and Omagh Community Plan vision and 9 outcomes as drawings. All Children should be encouraged to think about what the future might look like for people living in, working in, or visiting the Fermanagh and Omagh area in 15 years' time.

The future is sometimes hard to imagine, especially for children, who live in the here and now. So we would encourage you to assist the children and young people by asking them to think about the following tips on the next page when drawing their picture. If you want to find out more about community planning you could also visit our web page and have a look at: www.fermanaghomagh.com.



TIPS AND HELPFUL PROMPTS

Look at the landscape and think about what you see and love

What about keeping the countryside safe—how do you think we could do this this ?

How do you think you can be healthy ?

Where would you like to work ?

Where do you play ? Or where would you like to play? Think about your safety too.

What activities do you love to do as a family ? i.e pantomimes, carnivals, festivals



My name isI am.....Years old

I live inMy address is.....

I go to School. My parents/guardians give permission for my drawing to be showcased at the events and if selected for it to be printed along with my name and age in the Community Plan.

Signed:.....Date:.....

Use this box to draw what you think the future should look like here (or if you would prefer to use your own bigger page - that's fine too). Why not tell us a little bit about your picture, give it a special title or even write a poem about it.

Submit your drawing through your school or post it to:

Fermanagh and Omagh District Council, the Grange, Omagh, County Tyrone , BT79 7BL

Telephone: 0300 303 1777 Email: communityplanning@fermanaghomagh.com

Thank you for taking part in the campaign and look out for your drawing at our forthcoming showcases in Omagh and Enniskillen ‘*Imagining the Future*’ in December 2016