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A ground-breaking strategy from SOLVE: The Centre for Youth Violence and Conflict. This approach unites the latest research with practical solutions to tackle youth violence and conflict in educational settings. Adaptability and long-term impact are at its core, engaging the whole community in a united effort against these complex challenges."



STAGE 1

Children and Young People Engagement



Staff Development



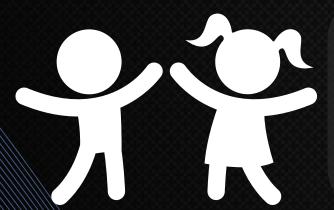
Parental Involvement



Monitoring and Evaluation

## Target Market

Who will be impacted by The Solve 360° Approach?



### Children & Young People

Empower. Support. Guide



### **Professionals**

Relate. Educate. Upskill



### Parents/Carers

Teach. Learn. Grow



The SOLVE 360 Approach, underpinned by the expertise and ground-breaking research of professionals like Craig Pinkney, promises a transformative impact in addressing youth violence and conflict. This approach leverages the knowledge and experience of a diverse team, including therapists, clinical psychologists, youth workers and researchers, each bringing their specialised insights to the forefront.

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#### Overview

With this multidisciplinary team, the SOLVE 360 Approach offers a unique and comprehensive strategy, intertwining the latest research and practical knowhow in fields such as psychology, criminology, and youth work. This blend of expertise ensures that the methodology is not only grounded in theory but also resonates with real-world applications, making it a potent tool in combating the multifaceted issue of youth violence and conflict.



### Conclusion

At its core, the SOLVE 360 Approach is designed to be adaptive, catering to the varying needs of communities and individuals. By focusing on longterm impact over short-term interventions, the approach aims to foster sustainable change, addressing youth violence and conflict from multiple angles and in diverse settings. This holistic and allencompassing strategy ensures that every aspect of the community, from children and young people to staff and parents, is engaged and empowered, creating a unified front against the challenges faced.

# Stage: Children and Young People Engagement

"In the first stage, SOLVE delivers impactful workshops to children and young people, focusing on crucial topics like youth violence, criminal exploitation, radicalisation, mental health, substance misuse, bullying, unhealthy relationships, misogyny, racism, peer pressure, and social media influence. These sessions are designed to enhance awareness and build resilience, encouraging the young participants to extend their understanding and responses beyond the traditional classroom environment."



# Stage: Staff Development



"Stage 2 extends training to all staff members within an institution, including teaching, pastoral, maintenance, and kitchen staff, moving beyond traditional, brief assembly-based approaches. This stage employs a trauma-informed, person-centred methodology, incorporating insights from youth work, psychology, and the creative arts. It involves leading experts to provide a unique educational experience, aimed at upskilling staff in comprehensively understanding and supporting children and young people."



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### Parental Involvement

"The third stage involves engaging parents and guardians, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to reinforce the learnings from the workshops and classroom teachings. These sessions, conducted both face-to-face and online to fit parents' schedules, are crucial for extending the impact of SOLVE 'teachings into the home environment, ensuring a holistic approach to addressing the issues at hand."





## Monitoring and Evaluation

"In the Monitoring and Evaluation stage of the SOLVE 360 Approach, a combination of quantitative and qualitative methods is used to evaluate impact and effectiveness. This stage involves recording participant numbers across all sessions, alongside conducting preand post-session surveys to assess changes in awareness and attitudes. Further evaluation of longterm impact is achieved through follow-up surveys. Feedback gathered from staff, parents, and participants is integral, offering essential insights for continuous programme improvement. This data is analysed to discern trends and areas requiring development, culminating in detailed reports to assist institutions in their future planning and decision-making processes for ensuing academic years."



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