Young Adult Carers' Commitment at Capel Manor College

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February 2018

Our urgent journey - November 2017- February 2018

Senior Leadership Team

- Place importance on the project and benefits to young people
- Drive the cross College approach and empower staff at all levels of the organisation
- Shared and championed by Governors (Link Governor)
- Aligns to the College's new direction and correlates with Growth Mind-Sets



Our urgent journey - November 2017- February 2018

Establish a team / share responsibility

- Across all sites
- Across levels and roles within the organisation
 - Heads of School
 - Welfare Teams
 - MIS / Registry and Student Services
 - Teaching and front face staff
 - Involve and consult with learners (inc REPS) and outside agencies



Journey / Improvements thus far...

- Use the Quality Standards in Carer Support assessment as a vehicle, not just a destination
- Application Form update
- Carer Commitment Form
- Staff and Student Policies in place
- Bursary



Journey / Improvements thus far...

- Induction staff and students
- Staff training via local partnerships (EPIC)
- Wider training for Heads of School / CPD
- Outreach awareness events and student campaigns



Impact and Case Study



Considerations / where next

- Consistency across all sites
- Challenge external Government agencies that are 'school centric'
- Build into wider careers advice / destination support
- Measure wider impact via achievement gap analysis
- Ensure sustainability of support, as demand increases
- Achieve the QSCS



Questions please

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