

## SHANARRI WHEEL (prompts when filling in the evaluation wheel)

These prompts are a guide for assisting young people as they fill in the SHANARRI evaluation wheels. Youth work is built on critical dialogue<sup>1</sup>. To do that well we need to have regular, meaningful discussions with young people. SHANARRI gives us a framework for that and has the added advantage of giving us a common language with [other professions](#). In youth work we're interested in what it means to succeed in each of these areas. We also want to find out why youth work's informal approaches have a different impact to school. We want to explore reasons why home environments can help or hinder success. The information gathered is used to develop a narrative for when, why and where youth work is most effective. In guiding young people, you might need to make them aware that you are asking these questions at the start of the process and again in a few months' time, to see what progress has been made. Don't forget to use 'Shout Out' where you can highlight the amazing things you and young people achieve together. If you have any suggestions for ways you have made the SHANARRI wheel work, share it with us.

	Safe	Healthy	Active	Nurtured	Achieving	Respected	Responsible	Included
Youth Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is this a safe place to be?</li> <li>Do workers make sure you are safe when you are here and in your community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you learning to look after your physical, social and emotional health?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you try different activities and experiences?</li> <li>Are you more active through taking part?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do the staff take good care of you?</li> <li>Do staff link with your family or carers?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you supported to develop as a person?</li> <li>Have your skills and confidence grown through taking part?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you involved in decisions which affect you?</li> <li>Do you have a say in what you do and how you take part?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you get to take on any roles &amp; responsibilities?</li> <li>Do you do things for the benefit of others in the community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you feel accepted and included here?</li> <li>Do you learn ways to remove barriers for those that feel shut out?</li> </ul>
School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is school a safe place to be?</li> <li>Do teachers make sure you are safe when you are there?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you learning to look after your physical, social and emotional health?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you take part in a range of activities and experiences that help you grow and develop?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do staff take good care of you?</li> <li>Are there good links with your family or carers?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you supported in your learning?</li> <li>Have your skills and confidence grown at school?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are you involved in decisions which affect you?</li> <li>Do you have a say in what you do and how you take part?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you get to take on any roles &amp; responsibilities?</li> <li>Do you do things for the benefit of others in the community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do you feel accepted and included in school?</li> <li>Do you learn ways to remove barriers for those that feel shut out?</li> </ul>
Home	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Is home a safe place to be?</li> <li>Do your family or carers make sure you are safe at home?</li> <li>Do you feel safe in your community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At home, are you supported to look after your physical, social and emotional health?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At home, are you able to try different activities and experiences?</li> <li>Are you encouraged to be active at home and in your community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Are your family or carers able to take good care of you?</li> <li>Is there support for you and your family or carers when it is need it?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do your family or carers support your learning and development at home?</li> <li>At school?</li> <li>In the community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Does your family or carers involve you in decisions which affect you?</li> <li>Do you have a say in what you do and how you do it?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At home, do you take on any roles &amp; responsibilities?</li> <li>Do you do things for the benefit of others in your family?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At home, do you feel accepted and included?</li> <li>Do you learn ways to remove barriers for those that feel shut out?</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> See for example [this blog](#) that discusses current issues with youth work.