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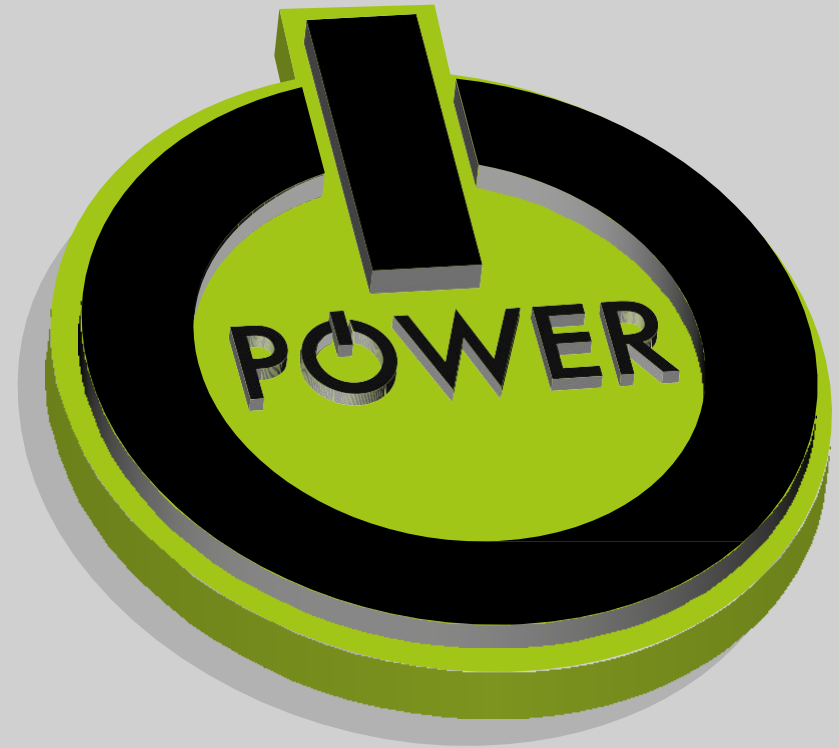
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What is the POWER project?

The POWER project is a targeted early intervention and prevention in Essex Youth Justice Service across Southend, Essex and Thurrock (SET). POWER practitioners offer direct support to children aged 8-13 and their parents or carers to help them develop the emotional resilience to cope with challenging situations at home, at school and in their communities. POWER also supports schools to develop effective methods to enable children to be successful in school.

Typically, the children will be struggling to engage at school. They will also be known to Essex Police (perhaps as a victim, a perpetrator, through anti-social behaviour or through issues at home). However, they will not have been charged for an offence.

Children who are already receiving statutory support from statutory Social Care, the Youth Justice Service or CAMHS are not eligible for support from the POWER project.

Who can refer?

- Essex Police, either directly or through an Out of court Disposal (OCD) Panel
- Primary, secondary and special schools, education services and Pupil Referral Units (PRUs)
- Others, such as 0-19 services and The Children's Society

What to expect from the POWER project

A flow chart of our work is on the next page.

