Prevention

Help children & youth:

- stay in school
- avoid substance misuse
- develop better relationships
- avoid gangs, violence and criminal behaviour
- increase self-awareness
- develop coping skills
- create a sense of belonging
- improve education retention and job readiness



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Intervention

Help children and youth who have been victims of:

- violence
- substance misuse
- abandonment
- bullying
- neglect
- social exclusion
- intergeneration effects



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Child & Youth Life Skills



Module I: Insight

- Get along with others
- Work with others
- Form friendships
- Help others
- Develop empathy

Topics Discussed:

- Gossip
- Bullying
- Decision Making
- Respect
- Responsibility
- Relationships
- Communication
- Trust
- Helping Others
- Consequences
- Selfishness
- Patience

Module III: Patience

- Problem solve
- Recognize thinking patterns
- Care for self and others
- Deal with abandonment issues
- Understand guilt and shame
- Value justice
- Demonstrate respect

Module II: Others

- Take responsibility
- Develop social skills
- Control anger
- Avoid bullying
- Understand consequences
- Recognize choices
- Make decisions

Participants Will:

- Build an emotional vocabulary
- Understand feelings and emotions of both self and others
- Recognize emotions and communicate in appropriate ways
- Express emotions with words instead of actions
- Learn problem solving skills and evaluate their decisions
- Be aware of emotions in others
- Increase self-esteem

Module IV: Relationships

- Work out conflicts
- Be trustworthy
- Increase patience
- Listen to others
- Ask for help
- Be truthful