# **Our Accountability Statement**

Our commitment to children and young people



# We envision a world where every person is connected, feels safe, valued and empowered to thrive.

We commit to sharing information in ways that are: easy to understand, involve children and young people in decisions, and are transparent about what we can and cannot do. We will ensure regular, honest communication, provide clear and accessible information about care plans, provide information about children's rights, and support young people through every stage of their journey — from understanding why they are in care to preparing for independent living. We promise to listen, explain, and act with transparency and respect.

When we fall short, we will listen, explain, and improve — because accountability means learning and growing together.

# **Transparency**

We are honest in our communication to build trust and engagement

#### **Involvement**

We include children and young people in decision-making processes to enhance their voices

#### **Feedback**

We listen to children and young people's voices to improve services and practices

## **Support**

We provide ongoing guidance through periods of transition to ensure emotional and cultural safety

## **Empowerment**

We provide training and resources to enable youth leadership and advocacy

# Our Values guide our behaviours in how we engage with children and young people





















We are respectful We are imaginative We are responsive We build relationships We are courageous