



#Virtual

Staying connected in lockdown

# Hello!

Thank you to everyone who has kept up with V4C using Zoom. Some of you will have taken part in group Zoom meetings, and others in one-to-one meetings with your group leader.

If you haven't joined a Zoom meeting yet, have a chat with your V4C group leader for details.

I like to see my friends on the phone through Zoom as it keeps me in contact with them. It makes me smile when I see them.

Zoom meetings are organised by your V4C group leader. They will give you a special meeting code and password. This means that only people who are invited can join.

We're now looking at how Zoom can be used by V4C to do some work. Our big projects at the moment are:

- Language That Cares - changing the way we talk about Children in Care.
- Caring Promise - what we promise to do for you.

Contact your V4C group leader for more details about Zoom meetings:

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The Lincoln and West Lindsey group have completed a challenge to cook and decorate a pancake. There were some very impressive creations. Well done all!



Their cress head challenge is under way. They also had a Zoom quiz - hope nobody was cheating!



The Boston and South Holland group have been playing bingo on Zoom! Bingo cards were sent out to the group before the meeting. Two of the group had their own little bingo game at home and offered to



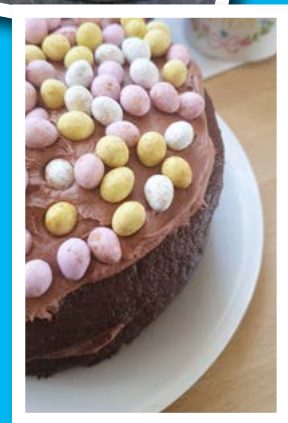
be our bingo callers for the evening. Some of the group saved paper by popping it up on their computers and using little dots to cover the numbers! It was an amazing opportunity to help develop relationships with each other.



All of the young people and staff really enjoyed themselves. The group decided the next meeting will be a quiz night!

The young people in the Boston and South Holland V4C group love to set challenges for one another. Week one saw the Great Virus Bake Off, where they set each other the task to bake anything they liked. However, the theme had to represent where they would first be visiting or would want to visit when lockdown is over. There were some incredible bakes, including McDonalds Cupcakes and Milkshake cakes!

The following week the young people set a craft challenge. This time they challenged each other to create anything that represented the NHS. Some young people used Hamma Beads, others drew pictures. The staff also get involved in the challenges and Amy drew a nurse dressed as super hero!



The third challenge that was set, again by the young people, was to practise their talent over the week ready to bring it to the next meeting and share with each other! Our last session became a talent show amongst the young people. We had some young people playing musical instruments, one young person signed to a song, another wrote and read out a beautiful poem and some young people just wanted to be part of the group and watch.

We are excited to see what other weekly challenges are set!!

## WHY

- Why one way and not the other way
- Why blue up and black at blue up at night
- Why green down when below that is brown  
and wiggle down
- Why an earth so round when people die to  
prove its straight
- Why pictures and words why not rhyme and  
mimes
- Why fairies and trolls
- Why Lego imagination and not real
- Why hugs and kisses why not kisses and hugs
- Why bed time and night time with raves and  
drugs
- Why oranges and not orange
- Why peanut butter jelly  
why not jam and bread

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