

# Children's Plan Shadow Board

## "Young people joined up to challenge leaders"

The Children's Plan Shadow Board took place on the 7<sup>th</sup> November 2016 in the Council House. The Chair of the Shadow Board, Olivia McFadden, welcomed everyone and brought all the young people up to speed with the board's activity to date.



Kirston Nelson – Director of Education, Cllr Kevin Maton, Matthew Stokes - Coventry Improvement Partner and Anne Brennan - 11 - 19 (25) Advisor all introduced themselves and showed a short film "The School System" The young people attended from Tile Hill Wood & Woodlands Academy, President Kennedy, The Westwood Academy, Blue Coat School, Stoke Park School, Youth Council and Voices of Care.



In group discussions the young people were asked their views on the Education System, these views will be fed back to the Partnership Board where actions and next steps will be decided.

The young people were very pleased that views have been listened to and the feedback from the event was very positive. One school feedback "My student leaders enjoyed being able to voice their opinion on something that matters to them. I thought it was a great event"