

## Key Action 1 – to increase the recognition of the importance of children’s play

Objectives	Lead Agency	Partners	Actions Year 1	Actions Year 2	Actions Year 3 and beyond
To develop and agree a 5 year strategy to improve play opportunities within South Hams District	South Hams District Council	SHAPES Devon Play Early Year and Childcare Services, Zero 14 + Family Play bus	<p>Agree Strategy and Key Actions</p> <p>Identify projects for the Big Lottery Funding which fit within the identified areas of need</p> <p>Identify Budget requirements</p> <p>Agree Service delivery plan, monitor and evaluate biannually</p>	<p>Review Strategy and Actions</p> <p>Manage and lead on project portfolio for the Big Lottery Funding</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>Service delivery plan, monitor and evaluate biannually</p>	<p>Review Strategy and Actions</p> <p>Evaluate and consult on projects to inform future delivery</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>Service delivery plan, monitor and evaluate biannually</p>
<p>Raise the profile of play and increase recognition of its value</p> <p>Cont.over</p>	SHAPES South Hams District Council	Police Safer Communities Youth Services Devonplay and other partners across Devon.	Encourage relevant organisations to identify lead person with focus on play	Ongoing	Ongoing

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<p>Raise the profile of play and increase recognition of its value</p>		<p>Early Year and Childcare Services, Zero 14+ Children Trust Local Forums SPARC Voluntary Sector Parishes Family Playbus</p>	<p>Encourage relevant organisations to identify lead person with focus on play</p> <p>Work with other departments within the local authority and partners to ensure play has a place within their wider work programmes and projects</p> <p>Encourage other organisations whose work impacts on the lives of children to agree the Play Policy</p>	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>Ongoing</p>	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>Ongoing</p>

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Change perception of Play and Children's right to participate in freely chosen activity	Torbay Borough Council	Teignbridge District Council South Hams District Council Safer Communities GOSW Vol Sector, In particular SHAPES, TEEPEE, Torbay Play Forum and Devonplay Schools PCT Youth Offending Team Playbus	Identify project and funding stream  Prepare detailed project plan  Develop and strengthen SHAPES and the Play Partnership for cross boundary working	Deliver project  Evaluate impact	Respond to impact  Continue to promote children and young peoples right to play and clarify play as an activity not to be viewed as antisocial behaviour