



Warwickshire Fire & Rescue Service



Fire Safety Education in Secondary Schools

Key Stage 4 (age 14 – 16)

Introduction

We developed a programme for pupils at key stage 4, which was piloted in Secondary Schools throughout the county during the summer term 2007.

The pilot programme was very well received and a full evaluation took place. The revised version is now available to all Warwickshire Safer Secondary Schools.

The programme entitled 'Elements of Risk' looks at arson, joy riding, anti-social behaviour and peer pressure.

A session delivered by a Community Fire Safety Officer delivered to each year 10 class can be followed up by the class teacher using pupil booklets provided free of charge.

Content of year 10 or year 11 session

- ◆ Introduction
- ◆ Cost & Consequences of arson – focus on arson in schools
- ◆ Elements DVD – produced by Kent Fire & Rescue
- ◆ Follow up discussion – consequences of young people involved in the DVD.
- ◆ Summary and questions

Teacher resource to facilitate follow up work.

- ◆ Pupil booklets 'Elements of Risk'

Resources to give to pupils at the end of the session

- ◆ 'Make your Plan – Get Out Alive' – Home Office leaflet
- ◆ Pens – Make Your Plan
- ◆ Wristbands – 'Make your Escape Plan'.
- ◆ Leaflet for parents

