

detention and training order

Information for young people

Warwickshire Youth Offending Team

WHAT IS A DETENTION AND TRAINING ORDER?

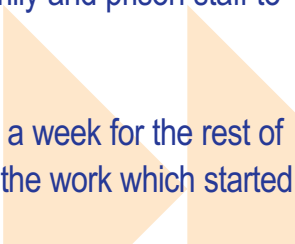
A Detention and Training Order is a Court Order.

The Court will tell you how long the Order will last.

You will spend half of the Order in a Prison or a Secure Unit. When you are released you will be supervised by a worker from the Youth Offending Team.


WHAT DOES A YOUTH OFFENDING TEAM WORKER DO?

He or she will:

- visit you in prison or secure unit
 - plan work with you, your family and prison staff to help you to stop offending
 - meet with you at least twice a week for the rest of your Order to continue with the work which started in prison.
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WHAT SORT OF WORK WILL BE PLANNED?

You will be receiving education or training in prison. You, your family and workers will meet during this time to plan how you can be helped to:

- think about your behaviour
 - see what harm offending can do to yourself and others
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- **learn new skills**
- **deal with your problems**
- **plan for your future**
- **arrange future education or training**

WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO WHEN I AM RELEASED?

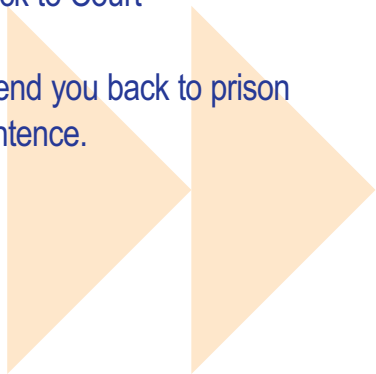
You must:

- keep out of trouble
- do what your worker asks you
- be on time for appointments
- let your worker know if you cannot meet him or her
- attend educational classes as required.

WHAT HAPPENS IF I DON'T CO-OPERATE WITH A DETENTION AND TRAINING ORDER?

If you fail to co-operate then:

- you may be breached by your YOT worker which means you will be taken back to Court
- the Court could decide to send you back to prison to serve the rest of your sentence.



EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

We will treat you fairly and with respect.

We expect you not to use comments or behaviour which is:

- **racist**
- **sexist**
- **makes others feel uncomfortable.**

YOUR RIGHTS

If you are unhappy with how you have been treated by a person from the Youth Offending Team tell us by:

- talking to your worker

OR

- telephoning the Unit Manager at your worker's office

OR

- ask for the Complaints Leaflet

CONTACTS

Warwickshire County Council
departments of Education and Social
Services, in partnership with
Warwickshire Health Authority,
Warwickshire Probation, Warwickshire
Police with Bail/Remand Services
provided by Barnardos.

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