

The Flourish Awards are back for 2025 – with nominations now officially open!

The awards recognise the people, projects, teams and organisations that have made outstanding contributions to helping children and young people in Norfolk to Flourish.

Any project, team, individual or organisation can be nominated by members of the public, other professionals or themselves.

Award winners will be decided by a panel of children and young people and parents.

There will be one winner, two finalists and two highly commended awards available within each of the 8 categories.

All of which will be announced at the very special presentation event taking place in September 2025.

Visit www.norfolk.gov.uk/flourishawards2025 to make a nomination using our quick and simple form. Nominations are open until 30<sup>th</sup> May 2025.

There are eight Flourish Awards up for grabs, each based on an area of children and young people's lives which are important to them.

## **Award Categories**

- **F** The Family & Friends Award: For outstanding contribution in supporting children and young people to understand and engage in healthy, safe relationships with friends and family.
- L The Learning Award: For outstanding contribution towards helping children and young people achieve their full potential and develop skills which prepare them for life.
- O The Opportunity Award: For outstanding contribution towards ensuring children and young people can access a wide range of opportunities which nurture their interests and talents.
- **U The Understood Award:** For outstanding contribution towards ensuring children and young people feel listened to, understood and part of the decision-making that impacts them.
- R The Resilience Award: For outstanding contribution towards helping children and young people develop the confidence and skills to make their own decisions and take on life's challenges.
- I The Individual Award: For outstanding contribution towards ensuring children and young people are respected as individuals, confident in their own identity and appreciative of their own and others' uniqueness.
- **S** The Safe & Secure Award: For outstanding contribution towards keeping children and young people safe from harm.
- **H** The Healthy Award: For outstanding contribution towards helping children and young people understand decisions that impact their health and be empowered to lead their happiest and healthiest lives.