



Peer Mediation

Learning to engage positively with conflict in Jersey schools

"I now know I can do good in this world."

Peer Mediator at La Moye

KEY DATES

Friday 14 March

Peer Mediator
Breakfast at Viberts

Wednesday 21 May

Graduation Ceremony
at The Grand Hotel

Friday 23 May

Jersey Oracy Festival
at D'Auvergne School

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Our Young Peacebuilders

By Richard Stevens, The Resolution Centre

Our world is becoming increasingly volatile. Conflict plays out on both a global and local scale and our children and young adults absorb these experiences. Now, more than ever, we must nurture an inclusive, empathetic, and peace-able approach to life, work, and community.

Whilst conflict is an inevitable part of life, our response to it does not have to be negative. The ability to resolve disputes and manage conflict constructively is an essential life skill. Our Peer Mediation programme helps develop these social skills, empowering young people to create positive changes in the lives of their peers. It can have incredible ripple effects – in their lives, in their communities, and in our society.

With the invaluable support of our sponsors, **Viberts**, we are investing in a more harmonious, connected Jersey for generations to come. We have had the pleasure of coaching many of your young people, and we look forward to building on these shared successes throughout the term.



Our Peer Mediation Community

Since launching at Grouville School in 2021, we have built a strong community of Peer Mediators who are now equipped with valuable conflict resolution skills. These children and young adults will carry these skills with them throughout their school careers and beyond.

Peer Mediation Coaching Easter Term

This term, we are delivering or have delivered training to:

- Primary Schools: Plat Douet (Year 5) and La Moye (Year 5).
- Secondary Schools: Victoria College (Year 12).
- Booster Sessions: Haut Vallée and Grainville (Year 10) as they roll out their programmes.

We are also conducting our termly supervision sessions, where we visit participating schools to observe progress, gather feedback, and offer additional support. This term, we have already visited Le Rocquier, Samarès, and St Clement.

"Everyone was involved, talking, and sharing ideas."

Student at Le Rocquier School



"Richard really helped me understand how to deal with different emotions."

Peer Mediator at Samarès School



Showcasing Peer Mediation in Your School

We would love to highlight the incredible ways you are encouraging positive engagements with conflict in your schools and empowering students to engage in meaningful conversations. If you would like to feature your school's Peer Mediation journey, please get in touch:

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"They have learned that listening can be just as important as speaking."

Mr Pateman, Head Teacher, Victoria College Prep

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Upcoming Events

Friday 14 March, 08:30-10:00 AM Peer Mediator Breakfast at Viberts

Our generous sponsors, Viberts, are hosting our third Peer Mediation Breakfast. This informal event offers a chance to share insights and learning from the programme.

Wednesday 21 May, afternoon Graduation Ceremony at The Grand Hotel

We are looking forward to welcoming some of our junior mediators to share their experiences alongside adults who have recently completed our Certificate in Peer Mediation and Mediation Skills (PCMMS). Our keynote speaker this year is the Deputy Bailiff, Mr Robert McRae.

Friday 23 May, all day Jersey Oracy Festival at D'Auvergne School

We are delighted to have been invited to run a workshop highlighting how Peer Mediation supports the Oracy Programme. Students from Grouville and Le Rocquier will showcase Peer Mediation in action. We look forward to seeing you there!

Growing Our Network

In partnership with **Scottish Mediation**, we have joined the **Peer Mediation National Network**, coordinated by the Civil Mediation Council.

As part of this initiative, we have been invited to participate in a national survey **measuring the impact of Peer Mediation across the UK.**



Our Community

Primary Schools

Grouville School, St Clement's School, Samarès Primary School, St Saviour's School, St Lawrence Primary School, La Moye School, Victoria College Prep, St Peter's School, Grand Vaux Primary School, Plat Douet School, Mont Nicolle School.

Secondary Schools

Le Rocquier School, Victoria College, Grainville School, Haute Vallée School



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New to Peer Mediation?

Welcome! Thank you for taking an interest in our vision for a more harmonious society.

Peer Mediation is a school programme that teaches children and young people how to engage positively with conflict. Student mediators support their peers in resolving disagreements by acting as neutral third parties.

Our Peer Mediation programmes develop social skills that promote healthier communication and empower young people to create positive change in their school communities.

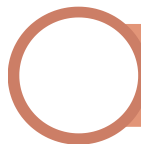
We coach primary schools & secondary schools. Typically, your school will receive:



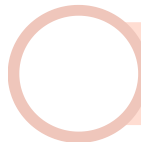
Two days of practical coaching from The Resolution Centre



Development of an in-school Peer Mediator Coordinator



Creation of Peer Mediators from within the student body



Termly Supervision visits

To find out more, email:
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Looking to the Future

We believe that the next generation can build a more stable world. Peer Mediation instils invaluable life skills, but these need to be nurtured and sustained throughout a young person's development.

As a small Island community of invested parents, teachers and politicians, we have a unique opportunity to cultivate and expand these initiatives. If you want to help us on this mission—or if you have bold and innovative ideas for supporting our shared goals—please get in touch today.

Together, we can we can build a more harmonious Jersey.

Peer Mediation in Numbers



1,631
Students trained



11
Primary
Schools

4
Secondary
Schools