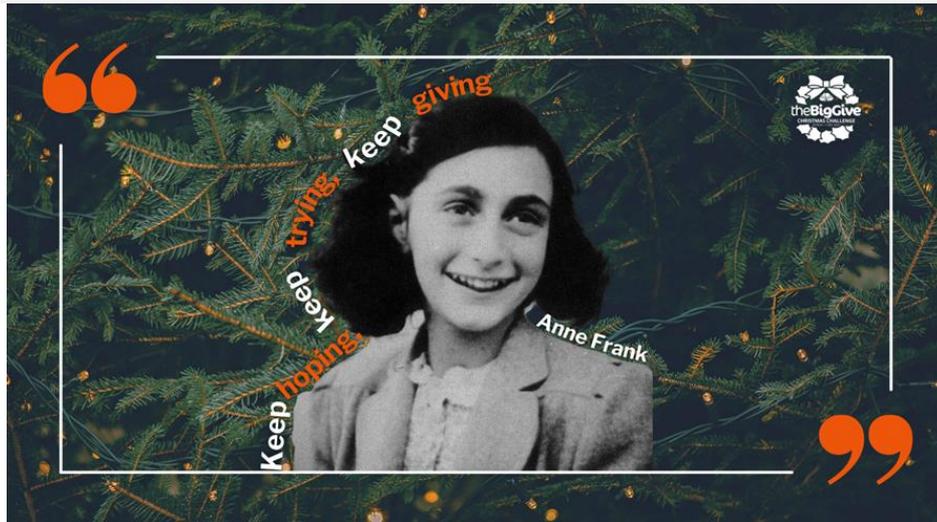




The Anne Frank Trust UK

## ANNE FRANK TRUST NEWS

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*"Give and you shall receive much more than you ever thought possible...Keep hoping, keep trying, keep giving! People who give will never be poor!"*

*Anne Frank, from her short story, Give!*

### WE'VE EXCEEDED OUR TARGET

**Thanks to your generosity during The Big Give - we have reached our £75k goal.**

Your support for our first ever Big Give Christmas Challenge has been amazing!

Your donations have been doubling all week and we are so thankful for your wonderful generosity. Thanks to you we have exceeded our target and raised over £78,000 towards our work.

We are so grateful to everyone who donated and shared our campaign. And a big thank you to Bim and Pardeep Sandhu and the Reed Foundation for being our match funders. Creating a world free



from prejudice is a group effort, and it's amazing to see so many passionate people helping to build it.

Thank you!

*Every donation will go towards anti-prejudice education, and empowering young people to stand against hate.*

## ANNUAL LUNCH TICKETS SELLING FAST

**Book your tickets for our Annual Lunch 2022 - limited tickets available.**



Join us for an event to mark Holocaust Memorial Day and the 75th anniversary of the publication of Anne Frank's diary.

With a VVIP and Joanna Lumley as guest speakers, this will be a truly special event.

There will be a poignant candle-lighting as we hear from people who have experienced prejudice, both past and present. As well as the premiere of our creative film project, led by young people from our programmes.

Book your tickets today to attend on Thursday 20 January 2021 at the Intercontinental, London, Park Lane.

[Buy tickets](#)

## #JUSTBEINGHUMAN ONLINE EVENT

**On 16 November we launched the brilliant results of our impact report.**

We were pleased to be joined online by supporters and friends to share the key findings of our evaluation report for 2020-2021. And the evidence of our work's value is clear-**92.5% of**



*young people surveyed improve in their attitudes towards at least one group of people different to themselves.*

This is a brilliant result and was supported by the words of Aysha, Safa and Brooke, previous participants in our programme who shared their experiences.

*"The Anne Frank exhibition opened me up to understand how much Jewish families went through...it gave me more of an ability to identify prejudice and feel like I could speak out against it"* Brooke, Notre Dame High, Glasgow

***"We come together now, 5 years from our initial funding, having achieved so much. The report clearly shows the impact of the programme, so many young people saying that they're more confident to speak up about prejudice after completing it." - Will Quince MP***

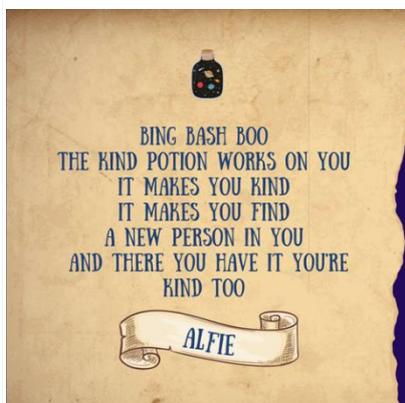
The full report is available to read [here](#) and more highlights from the event are up on our [twitter page](#)

Thanks to Will Quince MP, Dominic Abrams, Katie Goodbun and our Anne Frank Ambassadors Aysha, Safa and Brooke for their brilliant words highlighting the work we do and why it's so important.

## #ONEKINDWORD ONLINE EVENT

**On 17 November we marked antibullying week online with poet Shagufta K Iqbal and author Onjali Rauf**

More than 7,000 people joined us online for this event to learn more about what bullying is and how we can challenge it with kindness.



***(A Kindness Spell by Alfie, St Lawrence Church of England Primary School.)***

Onjali shared why kindness is so important in helping people feel included and welcome, especially for people who might be different from us, just like Ahmet in her book *The Boy at the Back of the Class*.

Shagufta then engaged young people with a wonderful workshop. Inspired by her poem "The Witch and the Cat" young people watching used their creativity to write lots of Kindness Spells that conjure hope for everyone who hears them. Take a look at the Book [here](#)

Thank you so much to Onjali and Shagufta for an inspiring and thought-provoking event!

*"Don't underestimate the power of your smile" - @OnjaliRauf*

*"How can we go from being at home on our own...to being around people and learning how different people work in different ways, and how we can offer kindness? Kindness makes us powerful...it's like casting a spell" - Shagufta K Iqbal*

## FUNDING NEWS



Thank you! The generous contributions of these organisations is supporting our anti-prejudice programmes in the UK.

### **Masonic Charitable Foundation**

Generously providing 2 years of funding to support our Voices for Equality programme in Leeds and Salford. This funding will enable us to reach over 2,500 young people across 12 schools. Workshops and youth-led activities will tackle issues such as homophobia, extremism, bullying and online hate.

### **Department for Education**

Funding our 'Different But The Same' project. A three year intensive anti-bullying project, which will provide training and support for 79,960 young people, their teachers and schools to tackle bullying. Through learning about Anne Frank's experiences and expanding this to other victimised groups, young people will learn to respect identity differences while recognising common humanity and anti-bullying values.

### **#iwill Fund**

This fund will support our History for Today exhibition in deprived areas of Cumbria. Reaching 760 young people in 2 secondary schools and 150 primary school pupils. We will also deliver workshops with a focus on issues most relevant to students. Anne Frank Ambassadors will host community exhibitions to showcase their social action work, highlighting a local issue of prejudice or discrimination.

The funding comes from The Dulverton Trust, the National Lottery Community Fund and the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS). The #iwill Fund aims to enable young people to make a positive difference in their communities while developing their own skills and knowledge. NLCF and the DCMS are each investing £25 million seed funding to create the #iwill Fund. The Dulverton Trust is acting as a match funder and awarding grants on behalf of the #iwill Fund.



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