

Coram Life Education: Film Transcript

Carrie Burnell: While all children have to face challenge and risk at some point in their life, Coram Life Education believe that enabling children to work on their relationship skills, decision making and self confidence, they will stand a better chance of making positive choices.

Coram reaches over 800,000 school children in the UK every year and helps them to start taking responsibility for their young lives in a positive way.

As a part of Coram we aim to visit lots of schools and talks to lots of children and think about making healthy choices.

Sarah Greenwood, CLE Senior Educator: [Talking to children] Do you remember earlier, you were brilliant and you told us we needed food, water and air, those three things.

[Talking to camera] They love it, it's great turning up in the morning with the mobile classroom. They come into the playground and say, 'oh great, it's Harold! Are we going to go into the life bus again?' It just makes your day start really well.

Child 1 speaking: We, we watched Harold the giraffe in the picnic!

Child 2 speaking: The giraffe learnt us about how you can't bully and you have to be friends all the time.

Child 3 speaking: Today we went in the life bus and learnt a lot of healthy.

Child 4 speaking: Today we have been learning about our bodies.

Kathy Brodbeck, St Augustine's CE Primary School: This week is our healthy living week and we have got lots of activities. And it's centered around the work in the life bus which every child has the opportunity to take part in, from nursery, from our three year olds up to our year 6 pupils.

Sarah: [Talking to children] Now, looking at these feelings up there. Which ones do you think is important to him now?

[Talking to camera] We used Tam right from reception right through, and when we talk about body systems then it is a very important tool there. And when we talk about how alcohol and cigarettes affect the lungs, the heart, and the liver, again, it's an important tool to use.

Kathy: The children are so positive about the experience in the life bus because it is like a little magical kingdom when they enter there.

Sarah: [Talking to children] And on clear nights when we look up there sometimes we can see the stars.

Children saying goodbye