

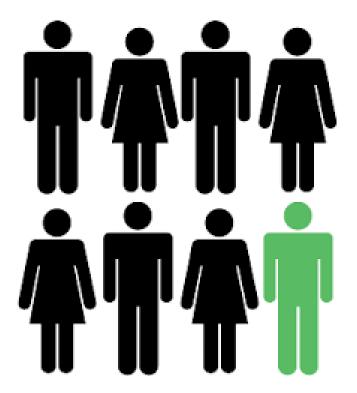
Why do we need to be aware of Mental Health?

- To raise awareness of mental health
- To promote positive attitudes towards mental health issues
- To ensure that people with mental health problems can seek the right help and support



Something to consider...

One in eight (12.8%) 5 to 19 year olds had at least one **mental disorder** when assessed in 2017

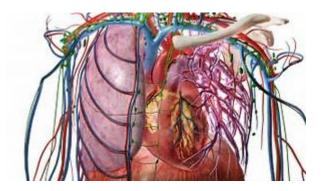


And in adults...



What are the main causes of mental illness?

Biological – the way our bodies work



Environmental – our everyday lives

Psychological — a life trauma or brain injury



The *body* and the *mind* are entrenched in each other. If one is affected by a condition then obviously the other will suffer too.

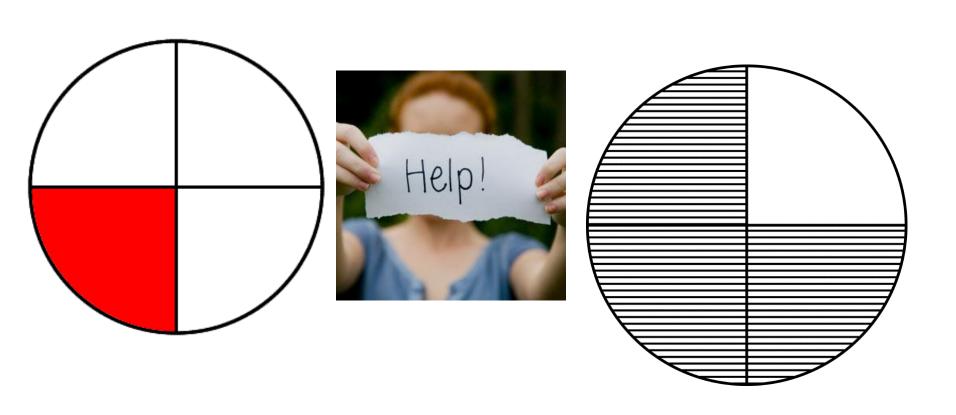


Depression & Anxiety facts

- Depression and anxiety in teenagers have increased by 70% in the past 25 years.
- In 2013, there were 8.2 million cases of anxiety in the UK.

TASK: THINK, DISCUSS AND LIST 3 POSSIBLE REASONS FOR THE INCREASE. 5 mins.

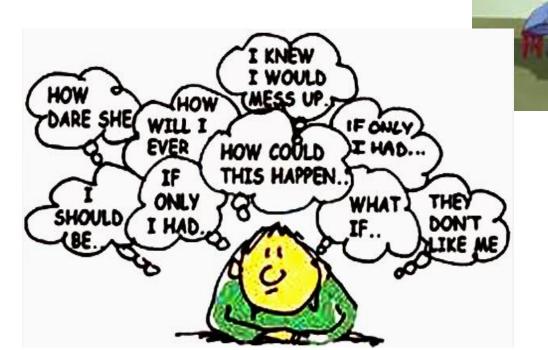
It is estimated that only a quarter of people with a mental health problem in the UK receive help.



What are Depression & Anxiety?

Black Dog Clip (4.28)

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l 7g8Atv27Q8

Symptoms of anxiety

 The Symptoms of General Anxiety and Panic Disorder

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TASK:

Write 3 symptoms and 3 ways to help someone with Anxiety and Panic Disorder.

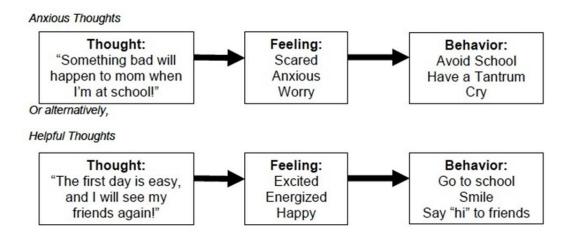
How to deal with anxiety

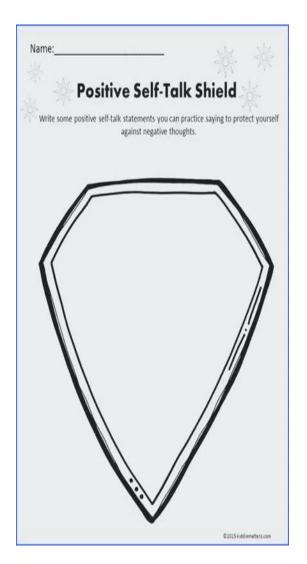
Steps to deal with Stress: A cup of Stress Relief www.dailyselfhelp.com 1.Thinking: Ask yourself: What is causing you to TASK: worry? Think of a problem or situation that worried 2.Feeling: Accept the you or caused you to be worst possible outcome of the problem anxious. 3.Speeking: Talk to some Apply the 4 steps to the friends or family members to get their support, in order to problem and write decide what action should down what you would be taken. do to help lessen the 4.Doing: Take effective actions to solve your worry/anxiety. problems

DailySelfhelp.com

Other ways of coping...

- 1. List 3 things you are grateful for.
- 2. Talk to someone.
- 3. Keep a mood diary.
- 4. Keep to one positive affirmation each week.
- 5. Exercise.
- 6. Spend time with loved ones.
- 7. Do something special for someone.
- 8. Practice writing positive statement about yourself





What to do if you need help or advice in school?

Talk to someone you trust

- Mrs Griffiths Welfare office
- Mrs Monk Welfare office
- Mrs Harvey school nurse office
- Visit the Mental Health website

https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/campaigns/mental-health-awareness-week

Visit the Mind website for extra support

https://www.mind.org.uk/

'Never give up on someone with a mental illness. When I is replaced by We, illness becomes wellness.'

- Shannon L. Alder



