

CHILD

“ I love Dad, but I'm not sure I want to see him. He can be a bit scary and he always makes Mum so upset. I don't want her to feel bad. ”

Shy
Anxious
Creative
Confused

NEVAEH

AGE: 9

EDUCATION: Primary School – G3. (G2 academically)

LOCATION: Bayswater

FAMILY STATUS: Separated parents. IVO in place with father. Lives with mother and 5yo brother, Torren.

HEALTH: Lack of family routines leads to poor diet and irregular sleep. Regressive behaviours – bed wetting; school refusal. Anxiety & separation issues. Difficulty with emotional regulation.

My name is Nevaeh. I'm 9 years old and I want to be a dancer when I grow up. I love dancing. I can do all the best Tik-tok challenges.

I live with my Mum and little brother. We moved here when Dad went to hospital a while ago. It's ok but Mum says it's not our house and we can't stay here for long. I really want my own room and a kitten. Mum says we can do that when we move to our own place.

That sounds good. I just hope it's a really safe house. Mum gets scared easily. Dad used to come over late at night sometimes and Mum would get really upset. They'd be screaming and Torren and I would hide. I don't want it to be like that again. I just want us all to be happy.

I like to be with Mum to take care of her. I don't really like going to school. Some of the girls aren't very nice and the work is hard - except for art, I really like art class.

INTERESTS

- I love dancing. I love Tik-tok!
- I like drawing and making stuff. Mum & I used to do it together - but not much anymore.
- I spend as much time as I can on my iPad – just talking with my best friend & playing games.

GOALS

- I hope we can move into our own house soon. I think then I'll be able to get a kitten and Mum might be more relaxed.
- I want to have my friend over for a sleepover or have a sleepover at her house. Mum says "its all too hard at the moment."
- I wish I could do dance classes again. Mum says we can't afford it. It's not fair!

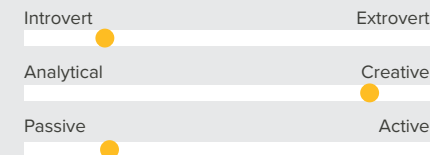
FRUSTRATIONS

- Dad's never kept his promises. He used to say he'd pick us up but wouldn't show. Now he messages Mum all the time, even though he's not supposed to. Mum gets so stressed.
- I hate seeing Mum upset. I hear her crying in her room at night and she's always tired. I wish I could make her feel better.

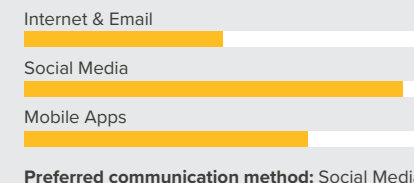
SERVICE NEEDS

- Tutoring – support at school
- Funding – dance & art classes; school camp
- Family services – counselling

PERSONALITY

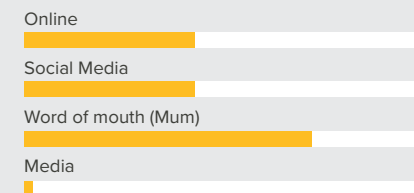


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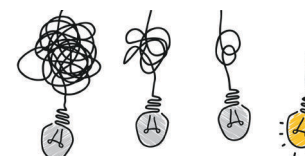
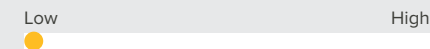


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