

As Part of Holocaust Memorial Day

# Justice & Resolving Conflict



Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2017 10:30-2pm Tower Hamlets Town Hall

At a time of starvation and brutality an orphanage in the Warsaw Ghetto was run by the children with the help of Dr Janus Korczak. Amidst the Nazi inhumanity children ran their own justice system...



- Free Training Day for primary school councillors and their link teachers (up to 8 children & 2 adults).
- Role play a children's court from the Warsaw Ghetto & compare to modern examples.
- Explore conflict resolution through circle time.
- Learn about the children of the ghetto who ran their justice system, and the doctor, Janus Korczak, who helped them and fought for children's rights.
- Take away teaching resources and methods & get free follow-up support.
- Conference run by trained students from **George Green's School**, and Michael Newman, based on workshop materials and methods developed in partnership with the Jewish Museum and HEC Global Learning Centre.

Janus Korczak was a Jewish doctor. He set-up the first democratic orphanage (1912), the first national children's newspaper written by and for children, he broadcast weekly on national Polish radio answering children's questions about health, he wrote popular books about children as kings or magicians. He inspired the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child. UNESCO named the 'UN Year of the Child', 1979, after him.

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