

14-19 Learning Pathways (14-19 year olds)

The 14-19 Department is for pupils aged between 14 and 19 years old.

All of our pupils within the department will have access to an engaging and exciting curriculum with bespoke and accredited modules from ASDAN, Agored Cymru and the Duke of Edinburgh Award.

The accredited programmes and qualifications offer our pupils opportunities and experiences to develop skills for learning, work and life.

Learning experiences are designed to promote personal, social and independence skills.

Pupils follow pathways in the following areas of learning and experience:

- Health and Wellbeing
- Expressive Arts
- Fitness
- Independent Living
- Outdoor Learning
- Media

Trinity Fields is a Rights Respecting School and a Healthy School

Trinity Fields is a Rights Respecting School and we are committed to the principles and values of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) across all areas of our work.

We are also a Healthy School and we take responsibility for maintaining and promoting the health and wellbeing of the Trinity Fields team (pupils, parents/carers, staff, governors etc.). This includes teaching pupils about how to lead healthy lives but by enabling our pupils and staff to take control over aspects of the school environment which influence their health.

As a Rights Respecting School we are committed to the principles and values of the United Nation Conventions for the Rights of the Pupil (UNCRC). This approach enables all pupils to access and enjoy the following articles of the convention:

Article 12:
Every child has the right to be heard.

Article 28:
Every pupil has the right to an education.

Article 29:
Education must develop every pupil's personality, talents and abilities to the full.

Article 42:
Every pupil has the right to know their rights.

Further information
If you would like to have more information about our school departments then please contact one of our team leaders..

*Working together in a changing world,
creating success for all.*

Parent/Carers' Guide to our



School Departments

School Departments

Trinity Fields School is organised into 3 main departments.

Each department has a number of classes and is led by a team leader who are some of our senior teachers.

The 3 departments and team leaders are:

Foundation Phase (3-7 year olds)

Team leader: Lucy Crimmins

School Curriculum Phase (8-13 year olds)

Team leader: Kate Thomas

14-19 Learning Pathways (14-19 year olds)

Team leader: Carol Wheelwright

Foundation Phase (3-7 year olds)

The Foundation Phase is a curriculum for children aged between 3 and 7 years old, where children learn actively through play. There is an emphasis on outdoor learning.

Learning is child-led and recognises the individual ways in which a child learns; children are involved in the planning and reviewing of their work.

Learning activities are split into continuous and enhanced provision and also focused tasks.

All children have a baseline assessment when they begin at Trinity Fields which is updated annually.

Children who are 5 years old are also assessed on the Foundation Phase Profile.

Staff make daily observations of pupils to add to their assessments,

School curriculum phase (8-13 year olds)

The School Curriculum Phase is for our pupils aged between 8 and 13 years old.

After the Foundation Phase the School Curriculum Phase in mainstream schools introduces more formal learning styles. In Trinity Fields however the focus remains on the learning needs of our individual pupils and we aim to provide a broad yet focused curriculum.

Currently the School Curriculum has 9 classes, 3 of which are specialised Autism or Complex Needs classes.

We follow the new Welsh curriculum with a focus on:

- Language, Literacy and Communication,
- Mathematics and Numeracy,
- Digital Competence
- and the 5 Areas of Learning.