Key Stage 4 Pathways









Our 14-19 curriculum focuses on preparation for adulthood, with learning opportunities tailored to individual needs.

Key Stage 4 pupils begin their journey towards completing qualifications that will support their transition into further education and/or work.

Independence, community participation, health and wellbeing are valuable aspects of learning taught throughout the curriculum, and pupils access weekly lessons themed around six key learning 'areas'.

Our Key Stage 4 curriculum offers a broad range of enrichment opportunities and vocational 'tasters' (for further information please see '14-19 Options').

Purple Pathway

Pupils on our purple pathway are those with the most complex special educational needs and disabilities. They follow a 'preformal' curriculum and continue to focus on functional communication, self-regulation and independence in daily life.

- Maths
- English
- PE



My Health





My World



Qualifications

Pupils complete a portfolio of units to aain a aualification in OCR Life and Living Skills.

Units are taken from a range of skills areas; numeracy, communication, ICT, arts and crafts, preemployability, personal and social skills.

Pupils usually work towards a Certificate or Extended Certificate.

Blue Pathway



Maths

IC1

PE



developing independence and

key skills linked to life and work.











Qualifications

Pupils following our Blue and Green pathways complete Entry Level qualification complete Entry Level qualifications at an appropriate level. These include:

AQA Entry Level Mathematics

Functional Skills Mathematics

OCR Entry Level Certificate in Physical Education

OCR Life and Living Skills Certificate (units chosen from skill areas including; ICT, art, personal and social skills and the world of work)

Green Pathway



Pupils on our green pathway are able to engage with a more 'formal' subject-specific curriculum. They are not yet ready to access GCSEs but work towards entry level qualifications. There is a greater focus on applied and work-related learning.

Maths

ICT

PE

- English
- 4 My Health





My Future





Entry Level 2- Entry Level 3

Pre-Entry- Entry Level 1



- Nethergate 6th Form
- FE Specialist Colleges- supported learning courses focusing on independent living or employability skills)
- FE College-vocational courses (Entry Level 3-Level 2)
- Supported Internships
- Volunteering opportunities



