



New Line Learning Academy
Believe and Achieve

PATHWAYS PROGRAMME

STUDENT & FAMILY GUIDE

2026-2027 Course Offer



UNDERSTAND AND
APPRECIATE MORE



CONTRIBUTE MORE



EXPERIENCE MORE



*There's a pathway for everyone.
What will yours be?*



New Line Learning Academy
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OUR PATHWAYS VISION

— *Helping every student grow*

Pathways give you one lesson each week to try something different. You choose a pathway, learn by doing and find out what you enjoy.

Explore. Discover. Grow. Succeed.



1. Whole child

We help you grow as a learner and as a person.



2. New interests

Try activities beyond your usual lessons.



3. Confidence

Discover what you are good at and feel proud.



4. Future ready

Build skills that help in school, work and life.



Why we do Pathways

School is not only about exam subjects. Pathways help you explore talents, build character and prepare for your future.





WHAT PATHWAYS DEVELOP

Personal development, careers and life skills

Every pathway helps you learn useful skills.

You also learn more about yourself and the world around you.



1



Physical development

Be active, healthy and confident using your body.

2



Mental development

Think, create, solve problems and keep trying.

3



Social development

Talk, listen, work in a team and respect others.

4



Personal development

Know yourself, your talents and what matters to you.

5



Careers

Find out about jobs and practise skills for work.

6



Financial literacy

Learn about money, budgets, costs and smart choices.

7



Community

Help your school and local area in positive ways.

8



Values and respect

Be fair, kind, responsible and open to others.

“Pathways help you grow in confidence, resilience, teamwork, independence and ambition.”





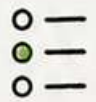
IMPORTANT



PICK YOUR TOP 5 PATHWAYS!

YOUR CHOICE. YOUR FUTURE.

HERE'S WHAT TO DO:

-  Read through **all** the Pathway information carefully.
-  Think about your **interests, skills** and what you want to learn more about.
-  Choose your **top 5** Pathways in order of preference.
-  Pick something **new**, challenge yourself and go beyond your comfort zone!
-  Be ready to **submit** your choices on time.



PLEASE CHOOSE CAREFULLY

Places are limited in some Pathways and we will do our best to give everyone one of their top choices.

Pick 5 Pathways – in the order you'd most like to do them.



Make the most of this opportunity!



EXPLORE

Discover new interests and build new skills.



CONNECT

Make new friends and work as part of a team.



CHALLENGE

Try new things and grow in confidence.



ACHIEVE

Develop skills for life and have amazing experiences!



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Explore the pathways available this year



1. Amnesty International



2. Ancient History



3. AQA Level 1 Project Qualification



4. British Sign Language



5. Creative Identity Studio



6. Creative Writing



7. CREST Award



8. Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award



9. Eco Schools Award



10. Fishing and Angling



11. Football – Partnership with Gillingham FC



12. Forest School



13. Global Food and Culture



14. LAMDA Public Speaking



15. Latin and the Roman World



16. Psychology



17. School Media Hub



18. School of Excellence



19. STEM on Track



20. Young Entrepreneurs Studio



There's a pathway for everyone.



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AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

Speak up for fairness

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



1 What will I learn?

-  Introduction to Amnesty International and human rights
-  Global campaigns and activism
-  Equality, justice and ethical responsibility

2 Why does it matter?

-  Understand the importance of human rights, active citizenship and responsible action
-  Develop confidence and leadership skills

3 How will I learn?

-  Research, discussion, collaboration
-  Campaigning, leadership, communication
-  Critical thinking, empathy, advocacy
-  Presentation, teamwork, organisation

4 Your 6 Big Questions



Why do human rights matter?



How can young people create change?



What is social justice?



How can we raise awareness?



How can activism support wellbeing and inclusion?



What impact can our voices have?

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development

Take part in awareness events and campaigns promoting wellbeing, equality and healthy communities.



Mental Development

Build empathy, emotional awareness and resilience through discussion of global and social issues.



Social Development

Work together to campaign, debate and promote positive change within the school and wider community.



Personal Development

Build a stronger sense of justice, personal values and moral responsibility.



Fundamental British Values

Explore democracy, equality, justice and respect for different perspectives and cultures.



Community Engagement

Help lead awareness events, charity activities and campaigns linked to human rights issues.



Careers

Discover careers in law, politics, international relations, education and public service.



Financial Literacy

Explore charity funding, campaign budgets, international aid, public spending and how money can support change.

“I'd recommend this if you care about fairness and want to make a difference. It helps you understand what is happening in the world and gives you confidence to speak up.”

– STUDENT VOICE



How parents/carers can support

- ✓ Discuss current affairs
- ✓ Encourage respectful debate and awareness of global issues



Useful links

- 🔗 amnesty.org.uk
- 🔗 unicef.org.uk



ANCIENT HISTORY

Explore the ancient world



1 What will I learn?



- ancient Persia and forgotten empires
- mythology, religion and belief systems
- Alexander the Great and leadership

2 Why does it matter?



- Understand how ancient civilisations continue to influence modern society
- Develop analytical, interpretative and communication skills

3 How will I learn?



- source analysis, interpretation, discussion
- research, storytelling, comparison
- debate, evaluation, communication
- enquiry, collaboration, critical thinking



This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



4 Your 6 Big Questions

1



What can ancient civilisations teach us?

2



How did myth and religion shape the ancient world?

3



What made a successful ancient leader?

4



How did ordinary people live in the ancient world?

5



How do archaeologists uncover the past?

6



Why does Ancient History still matter?



5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development

Students engage in active, collaborative activities, role play and practical historical learning experiences.



Mental Development

Build curiosity, resilience and analytical thinking through interpretation and historical enquiry.



Social Development

Students discuss interpretations respectfully, collaborate on projects and explore cultural understanding.



Personal Development

Build curiosity, cultural awareness and intellectual independence through exploration of the ancient world.



Fundamental British Values

Explore belief systems, leadership, morality and cultural diversity through the study of ancient civilisations.



Community Engagement

Students may contribute to school displays, themed events and enrichment activities linked to ancient history.



Careers

Discover careers in history, archaeology, museums, education, law, heritage and academia.



Financial Literacy

Students investigate taxation, trade, labour, wealth and the economic costs of empire in the ancient world.

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If you like myths, battles and strange stories from the past, this is brilliant. It makes you think differently about the world and links well to careers in history, museums, archaeology, law and education.

– STUDENT VOICE



How parents/carers can support

- encourage visits to museums and documentaries
- reading linked to mythology and the ancient world
- talk about history in daily life



Useful links

- ancienthistory.org.uk
- britishmuseum.org



PATHWAYS

AQA

LEVEL 1

PROJECT

QUALIFICATION

Explore.
Investigate.
Create.
Achieve.
Your project.
Your future.



ABOUT THIS PATHWAY

The AQA Level 1 Project Qualification helps you develop real-world skills by planning, researching and completing a project on a topic that interests you.



YOUR PROJECT JOURNEY

SIX BIG QUESTIONS



WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

- RESEARCH SKILLS**
Find and use information effectively.
- PLANNING & ORGANISATION**
Manage your time and resources.
- CREATIVITY**
Develop original ideas and solutions.
- PROBLEM SOLVING**
Overcome challenges and adapt your plans.
- COMMUNICATION**
Present your ideas with confidence.

HOW YOU'LL LEARN

- INDEPENDENT WORK**
Take ownership of your project.
- TEACHER SUPPORT**
Get guidance at every stage.
- PRACTICAL SKILLS**
Use real-world tools and techniques.
- REFLECTION**
Think about what you've learned and how you've grown.

WHERE IT CAN TAKE YOU

- FURTHER STUDY**
Build skills for BTECs, A Levels and beyond.
- CAREERS**
Develop skills valued by employers.
- UNIVERSITY**
Strengthen your UCAS application.
- LIFE SKILLS**
Be prepared for work and life.

YOUR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT



PHYSICAL

Build stamina and resilience through focused effort.



MENTAL

Improve critical thinking and problem solving.



SOCIAL

Work with others, share ideas and respect different viewpoints.



PERSONAL

Grow in confidence, independence and ambition.



CAREERS

Explore future options and build employability skills.



FINANCIAL

Learn about budgets, costs and managing resources.



COMMUNITY

Create projects that can benefit others and make a difference.



VALUES & RESPECT

Act with integrity and consider different perspectives.

“The best way to predict the future is to create it.”

– PETER DRUCKER



THIS IS YOUR PROJECT. MAKE IT COUNT.



GET STARTED!

Choose your idea.
Plan your project.
Make it happen.
Your future starts now.

BRITISH SIGN LANGUAGE

Learn to communicate in a new way

This pathway helps you learn new things,
build confidence and explore your interests.



1 What will I learn?



- introduction to BSL and Deaf culture
- conversational signing and finger spelling
- accessibility, inclusion and equality

2 Why does it matter?



- Be able to communicate confidently using basic British Sign Language
- Work with others and build confidence

3 How will I learn?



- signing, listening, observation
- communication, confidence, memory
- empathy, teamwork, presentation
- presentation, resilience, collaboration

4 Your 6 Big Questions



How can communication include everyone?



How does language build understanding?



Why is accessibility important?



How can I communicate more confidently?



How can language support community and wellbeing?



What have I learned about communication?

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development

Improve coordination through expressive hand movements and signing.



Mental Development

Boost memory, concentration and problem-solving through language.



Social Development

Build empathy, teamwork and stronger relationships with others.



Personal Development

Grow confidence, self-expression and a positive sense of identity.



Fundamental British Values

Promote respect, equality and fairness for all in society.



Community Engagement

Raise awareness of inclusion and support Deaf communities.



Careers

Explore careers in interpreting, teaching, healthcare, media and more.



Financial Literacy

Understand the value of inclusive workplaces and communication skills.

“

This pathway is really rewarding because you learn a new language and help make the world more inclusive.

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How parents/carers can support

- encourage students to practise signing at home
- discuss inclusive communication and accessibility



Useful links

- signature.org.uk
- british-sign.co.uk

CREATIVE IDENTITY STUDIO

Show who you are

This pathway helps you learn new things,
build confidence and explore your interests.



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- introduction to contemporary visual culture
- graphic design, social media aesthetics, fashion and photography
- street art, protest art, public installations and identity



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

- develop greater confidence in expressing ideas creatively
- build confidence and work with others



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- creative thinking, sketching, experimentation
- photography, branding, digital design
- collaboration, communication, visual analysis
- reflection, resilience, presentation

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 How do artists express identity and culture?
- 2 How can visual design influence audiences?
- 3 What makes street art and visual culture powerful?
- 4 How can creativity support wellbeing and self-expression?
- 5 How can art improve spaces and communities?
- 6 What have I learned about myself as a creative individual?

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Build coordination, stamina and wellbeing through creative activities.



MENTAL DEVELOPMENT

Strengthen curiosity, critical thinking and problem solving.



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Collaborate with others, share ideas and value diversity.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Build confidence, resilience and a strong sense of self-identity.



FUNDAMENTAL BRITISH VALUES

Explore freedom of expression, respect and fairness.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Contribute to projects that make a positive difference locally.



CAREERS

Discover creative pathways in art, design, media, marketing and more.



FINANCIAL LITERACY

Understand how creative industries work and make economic impact.



HOW PARENTS/CARERS CAN SUPPORT

- encourage students to explore creative interests beyond school
- discuss visual culture, identity and digital creativity



USEFUL LINKS

- [tate.org.uk](https://www.tate.org.uk)
- [royalacademy.org.uk](https://www.royalacademy.org.uk)
- [dazeddigital.com](https://www.dazeddigital.com)



“If you're creative and enjoy designing things, you'll love this. It's very different from normal lessons and gives you a taste of careers in art, design, photography, media and marketing.”

– STUDENT VOICE

CREATIVE WRITING

Turn ideas
into stories



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If you've ever wanted to write stories, poems or scripts, this is for you. It helps build confidence and opens doors to careers in journalism, media, publishing and marketing.



This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



YOUR WRITING JOURNEY



WHAT YOU'LL LEARN



- ✓ Introduction to creative forms and genres
- ✓ Character, setting and narrative structure
- ✓ Poetic devices and audience engagement

HOW YOU'LL LEARN



- ✓ Creative thinking, vocabulary, drafting
- ✓ Narrative writing, editing, description
- ✓ Poetry, performance, communication
- ✓ Reflection, critique, resilience

WHERE IT CAN TAKE YOU



- ✓ Journalism, publishing, media
- ✓ Marketing and communications
- ✓ Teaching and the creative industries
- ✓ Confidence for school and life

YOUR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT



PHYSICAL

Build stamina through focus and creative expression.



MENTAL

Boost imagination, problem solving and emotional resilience.



SOCIAL

Share ideas, listen to others and build strong connections.



PERSONAL

Develop identity, confidence and independence as a writer.



CAREERS

Explore creative careers and build skills for the future.



FINANCIAL

Understand the value of ideas, work and creative opportunities.



COMMUNITY

Use writing to connect, inform and make a positive impact.



VALUES & RESPECT

Respect diverse voices and use writing with integrity.



PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ Encourage regular reading and discussion.
- ✓ Support creative writing opportunities at home.
- ✓ Celebrate students' ideas and finished work.



USEFUL LINKS

- foleyoungpoets.org
- bbc.co.uk
- wickedyoungwriterawards.com

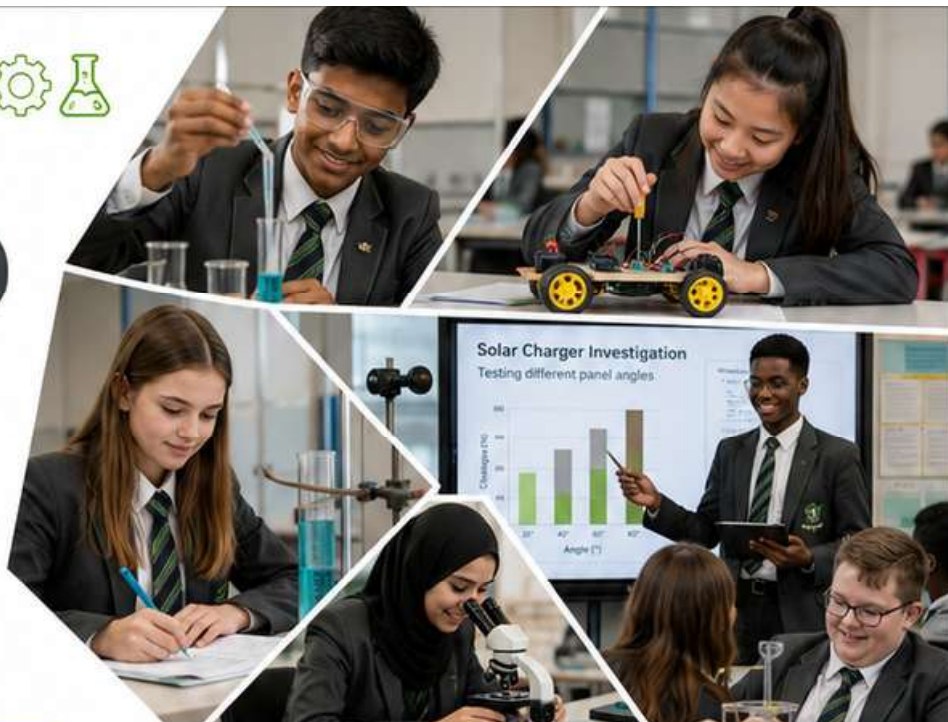


CREST AWARD



*Solve problems like
a scientist.*

This pathway helps you learn new things,
build confidence and explore your interests.



1 What will I learn?



- introduction to the CREST Award process and STEM enquiry
- scientific enquiry, fair testing and analysing results
- innovation, sustainability and the role of science and technology

2 Why does it matter?



- approach problems with confidence, curiosity and resilience
- develop transferable skills including communication, teamwork, organisation and problem solving

3 How will I learn?



- research, observation, teamwork
- planning investigations, data collection, problem solving
- creativity, communication, presentation
- evaluation, resilience, adaptability

4 Your 6 Big Questions



How can STEM help solve real-world problems?



How do scientists and engineers investigate ideas?



How can innovation improve people's lives?



How can we improve our investigations?



How can STEM support wellbeing and sustainability?



What have I learned through enquiry and investigation?

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development
Build practical skills through hands-on experiments and prototype making.



Mental Development
Strengthen critical thinking, analysis and creative problem solving.



Social Development
Work collaboratively, share ideas and learn from others.



Personal Development
Build confidence, curiosity and independence through enquiry.



Fundamental British Values
Develop fairness, respect, tolerance and the value of evidence.



Community Engagement
Use STEM to tackle local issues and make a positive impact.



Careers
Explore careers in science, engineering, technology and beyond.



Financial Literacy
Understand budgets, resources and the value of sustainable solutions.



How parents/carers can support

- encourage curiosity and discussion around STEM topics at home
- support students to ask questions, investigate ideas and talk about real-world science



Useful links

- crestawards.org
- stem.org.uk
- bbc.co.uk

“
This pathway is perfect if you enjoy finding things out and solving problems. It gives a real insight into careers in science, engineering and technology.”



DUKE OF EDINBURGH BRONZE AWARD



Years 9
and 10
only

Take on a real challenge

This pathway helps you learn new things,
build confidence and explore your interests.

1 What will I learn?



- introduction to the Duke of Edinburgh Award and its sections
- map symbols, grid references, compass skills and route planning
- community responsibility, volunteering and expedition preparation

2 Why does it matter?



- develop independence, self-belief and resilience
- work with others, take responsibility and build confidence

3 How will I learn?



- goal setting, teamwork, communication, resilience
- navigation, route planning, campcraft, risk awareness
- leadership, volunteering, organisation, problem solving
- outdoor cooking, camp setup, emergency procedures

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development
Build stamina, fitness and outdoor skills through training and expeditions.



Mental Development
Strengthen resilience, problem solving and confidence in new situations.



Social Development
Work as a team, build trust and develop leadership skills.



Personal Development
Set goals, reflect on progress and grow independence and self-belief.



Fundamental British Values
Learn respect, tolerance, responsibility and fairness through teamwork and service.



Community Engagement
Make a positive difference by volunteering and supporting others.



Careers
Develop skills employers value: teamwork, leadership, problem solving and resilience.



Financial Literacy
Plan expedition budgets, understand equipment costs and value money.



How parents/carers can support

- encourage students to commit fully to their physical, skill and volunteering sections outside school
- support organisation, preparation and reflection before expeditions



Useful links

- dofe.org
- ordnancesurvey.co.uk



4 Your 6 Big Questions

- 1 How can I challenge myself beyond my comfort zone?
- 2 How can teamwork help us succeed outdoors?
- 3 How can service positively impact my community?
- 4 How do I prepare effectively for an expedition?
- 5 How can I demonstrate independence and perseverance?
- 6 What have I learned about myself through challenge?



“

DofE is one of the best things you can do at school. It looks great on applications and helps prepare you for careers that value teamwork, leadership and resilience.

”

– STUDENT VOICE



ECO SCHOOLS PATHWAY

— *Make school greener*

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



1 What will I learn?



- Eco Schools themes and climate action
- Recycling, waste reduction, biodiversity and energy use
- Awareness campaigns linked to Earth Day, recycling and sustainability

2 Why does it matter?



- Understand how individual and collective actions can positively impact the environment
- Develop transferable skills including organisation, teamwork, leadership and communication

3 How will I learn?



research, teamwork, communication



problem solving, organisation, planning



leadership, campaigning, presentation



project management, collaboration, evaluation

4 Your 6 Big Questions



Why is sustainability important?



How can we reduce our environmental impact?



How can we encourage others to take action?



How can we improve our school environment?



How can environmental action support wellbeing?



What difference have we made?

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development

outdoor learning, gardening projects, active environmental work, healthy lifestyles



Mental Development

nature and sustainability support emotional wellbeing and resilience



Social Development

work together through campaigns, events and improvement projects



Personal Development

build responsibility and commitment to sustainability



Fundamental British Values

active citizenship, respect and responsibility



Community Engagement

work with the school and wider community to promote sustainability



Careers

environmental science, conservation, sustainability, agriculture



Financial Literacy

green investment, energy costs, recycling economics and sustainable choices

“

If you care about the environment and want to make a real difference, this is a great choice. It links to careers in conservation, science, engineering and sustainability.

”



How parents/carers can support

Encourage sustainable habits at home such as recycling, reducing waste and active travel where possible.



Useful links

- eco-schools.org.uk
- keepbritaintidy.org



PATHWAYS

FISHING & ANGLING

Learn patience by the water

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.

Limited spaces available!



YOUR ANGLING JOURNEY

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS



WHAT WILL I LEARN?



- ✓ introduction to angling, expectations and water safety
- ✓ fishing equipment, casting techniques and responsible fish handling
- ✓ aquatic habitats, conservation and environmental awareness

WHY DOES IT MATTER?



- ✓ understand responsibility, patience and environmental stewardship
- ✓ build confidence and work positively with others

HOW WILL I LEARN?



- ✓ patience, observation, teamwork
- ✓ equipment setup, water safety, fish handling
- ✓ communication, reflection, environmental awareness
- ✓ resilience, self-management, problem solving

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Build fitness, coordination and outdoor skills.



MENTAL DEVELOPMENT

Develop patience, focus and problem solving.



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Work as a team, share knowledge and support others.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Build confidence, resilience and self-awareness.



FUNDAMENTAL BRITISH VALUES

Respect nature, follow rules and act responsibly.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Protect local waterways and support wildlife.



CAREERS

Links to fisheries management, conservation and outdoor roles.



FINANCIAL LITERACY

Understand licence fees, equipment costs and tourism.

“ STUDENT VOICE

If you enjoy being outdoors, this is really relaxing and different from a normal lesson. It can lead to interests and careers linked to conservation, fisheries and outdoor education. ”



HOW PARENTS/CARERS CAN SUPPORT



- ✓ encourage safe, responsible outdoor participation
- ✓ discuss local wildlife, water safety and environmental care

USEFUL LINKS



- anglingtrust.net
- canalrivertrust.org.uk
- gov.uk



FOOTBALL – PARTNERSHIP WITH GILLINGHAM FC

Play, train and improve



This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.

Selection
by try out



1



What will I learn?

- introduction to football roles, expectations and teamwork
- technical and tactical understanding of the game
- links between sport, physical health, mental wellbeing and leadership

2



Why does it matter?

- develop improved confidence, resilience and physical fitness
- build a positive attitude towards healthy lifestyles and participation in sport

3



How will I learn?

- communication, teamwork, ball control
- passing, tactical awareness, leadership
- resilience, self-discipline, decision-making
- fitness, perseverance, reflection



YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 How can football help develop teamwork and confidence?
- 2 What makes an effective player and teammate?
- 3 How can football promote positive wellbeing?
- 4 How can I challenge myself to improve?
- 5 How can football bring communities together?
- 6 What skills have I developed through sport?

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



Physical Development

Build fitness, strength, coordination and sporting performance.



Mental Development

Improve focus, resilience, problem-solving and mental wellbeing.



Social Development

Work as a team, build friendships and respect others.



Personal Development

Build confidence, leadership and self-discipline.



Fundamental British Values

Fair play, respect, tolerance and teamwork on and off the pitch.



Community Engagement

Take part in projects, inspire others and give back locally.



Careers

Explore pathways in sport, coaching, fitness, media and beyond.



Financial Literacy

Learn about budgeting, costs of sport and smart financial choices.

“If you love football, this is an amazing opportunity. You learn much more than playing and get insight into careers across the sports industry.”



PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

- Encourage positive participation in sport.
- Support healthy lifestyles and rest as well as activity.
- Celebrate progress and effort.
- Ensure regular attendance and punctuality.



USEFUL LINKS



gillinghamfootballclub.com



thefa.com



FOREST SCHOOL

Grow through outdoor adventure

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.

1

What will I learn?

- introduction to Forest School principles and outdoor learning
- bushcraft, teamwork and responsible risk taking
- conservation, sustainability and woodland ecosystems

2

Why does it matter?

- develop greater confidence, resilience and independence through outdoor challenge
- build transferable skills including leadership, communication and adaptability

3

How will I learn?

- observation, teamwork, communication
- shelter building, navigation, problem solving
- environmental awareness, reflection, resilience
- leadership, adaptability, organisation

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 How can nature support wellbeing and resilience?
- 2 How can outdoor challenges develop confidence?
- 3 Why is environmental responsibility important?
- 4 How can I become more independent outdoors?
- 5 How can outdoor learning strengthen communities?
- 6 What have I learned about myself through challenge and nature?

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



Physical Development

Build fitness, stamina and practical outdoor skills.



Mental Development

Improve focus, problem solving and resilience.



Social Development

Work together, communicate and build trust.



Personal Development

Grow confidence, independence and self-belief.



Fundamental British Values

Respect, tolerance, responsibility and appreciation of the world.



Community Engagement

Care for local spaces and make a positive impact.



Careers

Explore careers in conservation, land management, forestry, teaching and more.



Financial Literacy

Understand equipment costs, budgeting and value for money.

STUDENT VOICE

“If you don't enjoy sitting in classrooms all day, you'll probably love Forest School. It builds confidence and links to careers in conservation, forestry and outdoor education.”



PARENT / CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ Encourage regular outdoor activity and time in nature.
- ✓ Support positive attitudes to safety, teamwork and environmental care.
- ✓ Praise effort, perseverance and willingness to try new things.
- ✓ Help build resilience by supporting them through challenge.

USEFUL LINKS

- forestschoollassociation.org
- woodlandtrust.org.uk
- rspb.org.uk



PATHWAYS PROGRAMME

GLOBAL FOOD AND CULTURE

Taste the world



This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 How does food reflect culture and identity? 
- 2 How does food bring people together? 
- 3 What can global cuisines teach us? 
- 4 How can food support wellbeing and community? 
- 5 How can hospitality create positive experiences? 
- 6 What have I learned about culture and identity? 



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- food traditions, celebrations and identity
- street food culture and social dining
- global cuisines, sustainability and ethical food choices



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

- understand how food connects to culture, identity and wellbeing
- develop confidence, independence and respect for diversity



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- communication, collaboration, planning
- food presentation, organisation, creativity
- research, cultural awareness, reflection
- leadership, teamwork, event planning

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



Physical Development
active, practical and hands-on



Mental Development
curious, reflective and informed



Social Development
work together, share and connect



Personal Development
build confidence, aspire and grow



Fundamental British Values
respect, tolerance and understanding



Community Engagement
support local and global causes



Careers
explore exciting pathways in hospitality and more



Financial Literacy
make informed choices



PARENT / CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ Explore different cuisines together at home.
- ✓ Share family food traditions and stories.
- ✓ Discuss how food choices affect wellbeing and sustainability.



USEFUL LINKS



foodafactoflife.org.uk



bbcgoodfood.com



sustainweb.org

“This is much more than cooking. You learn about different cultures and food traditions and explore careers in hospitality, tourism, events and catering.”

LAMDA PUBLIC SPEAKING

LAMDA PUBLIC SPEAKING

Find your voice

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- introduction to public speaking and LAMDA
- speech structure and audience engagement
- professional communication and performance skills



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

- Communicate confidently and effectively in formal and informal settings
- Develop resilience and professionalism



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- presentation, vocal delivery, confidence
- debate, persuasion, organisation
- leadership, collaboration, reflection
- resilience, adaptability, self-awareness

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

1

Why is confident communication important?

2

How can speech influence an audience?

3

What makes an effective speaker?

4

How can I improve my performance?

5

How can speaking promote wellbeing and inclusion?

6

What have I learned about myself as a communicator?



HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Improve posture, voice control and stage presence.



MENTAL DEVELOPMENT

Build focus, critical thinking and problem solving.



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Work with others and build strong relationships.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Grow confidence, self-awareness and independence.



FUNDAMENTAL BRITISH VALUES

Develop respect, tolerance, democracy and rule of law.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Use your voice to contribute positively to society.



CAREERS

Build skills valued by employers across every industry.



FINANCIAL LITERACY

Manage choices, plan ahead and understand value.



STUDENT VOICE

"If speaking in front of people scares you, this pathway really helps. It's useful for almost every future career because confidence and communication matter everywhere."



PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

- encourage students to practise presentations
- discuss confidence and communication skills



USEFUL LINKS

- lamda.ac.uk
- speakoutchallenge.com

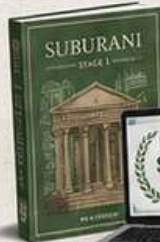
Speak. Perform. Influence.



Latin and the Roman World

Step into the Roman world

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests. You will follow the Latin in Schools programme using the Suburani textbook and digital software to guide your learning.



LEG·X
VICTRIX

Your 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 How does learning Latin help us understand English and Modern Languages?
- 2 What was everyday life really like in Ancient Rome?
- 3 How did Rome build an empire that shaped the modern world and its languages?
- 4 What can Roman myths teach us today?
- 5 How does the Roman world still influence modern Britain?
- 6 Why does Latin still matter in the modern world?



What will I learn?

- latin alphabet, basic grammar, roman society
- family life, homes, markets, slavery, religion
- roman Britain, engineering, government, military

Why does it matter?

- Understand the language, culture and lasting influence of Ancient Rome
- Work with others and build confidence

How will I learn?

- decoding language, pronunciation, observation
- translation, historical enquiry, discussion
- source analysis, comparison, collaboration
- interpretation, storytelling, creativity
- You will follow the Latin in Schools programme using the Suburani textbook and digital software.

Tempus fugit, memento mori.

Carpe diem.



HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



Physical Development

Build stamina, resilience and a healthy lifestyle.



Mental Development

Improve memory, problem solving and critical thinking.



Social Development

Work with others, respect different ideas and build teamwork.



Personal Development

Grow confidence, curiosity and a love of learning.



Fundamental British Values

Democracy, law, respect, tolerance and individual liberty.



Community Engagement

Understand our heritage and contribute positively.



Careers

Develop skills valued in many career paths and industries.



Financial Literacy

Understand value, budgeting and smart choices.

“ Student voice

I recommend this pathway because it's not just learning another language – you learn about gladiators, myths, Roman Britain and loads of weird facts about everyday life in Ancient Rome. It actually helps with English and languages too.”

PARENT / CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ encourage your child to explore Roman history and museums
- ✓ read historical fiction together
- ✓ discuss the Latin roots of words



USEFUL LINKS



hands-up-education.org



romanbaths.co.uk



britishmuseum.org



Decode. Discover. Connect.



Psychology

Discover how people think

This pathway helps you learn new things, build confidence and explore your interests.



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- introduction to psychology and behaviour
- memory, perception and social influence
- mental health, wellbeing and resilience



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

- Understand key psychological concepts and demonstrate greater awareness of behaviour and wellbeing
- Develop critical thinking, empathy and evidence-based reasoning skills



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- observation, discussion, analysis
- research, collaboration, evaluation
- critical thinking, empathy, reflection
- research methods, communication, problem solving



YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 Why do people behave differently?
- 2 How does the brain influence behaviour?
- 3 What affects mental wellbeing?
- 4 How do psychologists investigate behaviour?
- 5 How can psychology improve lives?
- 6 What have I learned about myself and others?



HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT
Understand how behaviour and wellbeing impact healthy choices.



MENTAL DEVELOPMENT
Build knowledge, curiosity and problem-solving skills.



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT
Develop empathy, communication and teamwork skills.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
Build confidence, resilience and self-awareness.



FUNDAMENTAL BRITISH VALUES
Explore respect, tolerance, individual liberty and the rule of law.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
Understand how psychology supports and improves lives.



CAREERS
Develop skills valued by employers across many careers.



FINANCIAL LITERACY
Explore decisions, behaviour and managing money wisely.



STUDENT VOICE

"If you've ever wondered why people behave the way they do, you'll enjoy this. It links to careers in psychology, healthcare, education and many other professions."



PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ encourage discussion around wellbeing and behaviour
- ✓ talk about current issues linked to psychology and mental health



USEFUL LINKS



bps.org.uk



youngminds.org.uk



DID YOU KNOW?

Psychology is used every day in many areas including healthcare, education, sport, business, marketing, law and technology.



Think.

Understand.

Support.



NEW LINE LEARNING
PATHWAYS PROGRAMME

SCHOOL MEDIA HUB

*Your voice. Your story.
Your school.*



The School Media Hub is where ideas become content and stories make an impact. From our school podcast to news updates, features and social media, you'll create media that connects, informs and inspires our school community.



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Podcast production and recording
- Scripting and storytelling
- Interviewing skills
- Audio editing and sound design
- Teamwork and project management
- Digital communication and content creation



WHY DOES IT MATTER?

- Builds confidence and communication skills
- Develops creativity and technical know-how
- Gives you a voice and helps you influence positively
- Shares important stories and celebrates success
- Keeps our school community informed and inspired



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- Plan and pitch ideas for episodes
- Record in our studio and on location
- Edit and polish using professional tools
- Review and improve as a team
- Publish across platforms and measure impact



RECORD



PLAN



EDIT

YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 Why is the media important in school life?
- 2 How can we tell stories that matter to our community?
- 3 What makes a great interview and how do we prepare?
- 4 How do we create content that is engaging and accurate?
- 5 What are our responsibilities when producing and sharing content?
- 6 How can we use media to inspire positive change?

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Improves posture, focus and stamina during productions.



MENTAL DEVELOPMENT

Build critical thinking, problem solving and attention to detail.



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Work collaboratively, listen actively and value others' ideas.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Build confidence, resilience and a strong work ethic.



FUNDAMENTAL BRITISH VALUES

Encourages respect, tolerance, democracy and rule of law.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Use your voice to inform and celebrate our school.



CAREERS

Explore roles in media, journalism, marketing, production and more.



FINANCIAL LITERACY

Manage budgets, plan projects and understand value.



STUDENT VOICE

"Being in the Media Hub has given me confidence and a platform to share ideas. It's exciting to see our podcast making a real impact across the school."



PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

- Encourage your child to share their ideas and be creative
- Support time for recording and deadlines



USEFUL LINKS

- BBC Bitesize – Media Literacy
- Ofcom – Online Safety
- Audacity – Free audio software



Create. Communicate. Inspire.





SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE

*The stage is yours. The story is ours.
The magic happens together.*

The School of Excellence pathway brings creativity, discipline and teamwork together as you prepare a full-scale school production. From first read-through to final bow, you'll build skills, confidence and unforgettable memories.



What will I learn?

- Acting for stage: character, voice, expression
- Singing: technique, ensemble and performance
- Dance: style, movement and stage presence
- Choreography: creating and performing routines
- Rehearsal process: planning, feedback, refinement
- Stagecraft: lighting, sound, set, costumes, props
- Teamwork: communication, respect and trust



Why does it matter?

- Builds confidence and self-belief
- Encourages self-expression and creativity
- Develops discipline, focus and resilience
- Strengthens collaboration and empathy
- Brings people together to create something extraordinary



How will I learn?

- Auditions and casting
- Rehearsals: scene work, music and dance
- Workshops with specialist coaches
- Choreography and staging sessions
- Take on backstage and technical roles
- Reflect, refine and celebrate every performance



Your 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1 What makes a performance truly powerful and memorable?
- 2 How do music, movement and acting work together to tell a story?
- 3 What is the value of rehearsal and continuous improvement?
- 4 How can teamwork help create something greater than the individual?
- 5 What roles are needed behind the scenes to make a show happen?
- 6 How can performing open doors for my future?

Past shows include:

- ★ MATILDA
- ★ ANNIE
- ★ HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL



HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP



Physical Development

Build stamina, coordination and body awareness.



Mental Development

Improve memory, focus, creativity and problem solving.



Social Development

Work with others, build respect, empathy and positive relationships.



Personal Development

Grow confidence, self-discipline and a strong work ethic.



Fundamental British Values

Democracy, law, respect, tolerance and individual liberty.



Community Engagement

Inspire audiences and contribute positively to school life.



Careers

Develop skills valuable in the creative industries and beyond.



Financial Literacy

Understand budgets, ticket sales and event planning.

“Student voice

“I used to be really shy, but being in the production helped me believe in myself. The friends I've made and the confidence I've gained will stay with me forever.”

PARENT / CARER SUPPORT

- ✓ Encourage attendance at rehearsals and performances
- ✓ Help with lines, lyrics and practice time
- ✓ Support costume, props or fundraising
- ✓ Celebrate effort, not just perfection

USEFUL LINKS



hands-up-education.org



nationaltheatre.org.uk



bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/performing-arts



Every curtain rise is a new beginning. Enjoy the journey. Own the moment.

Perform. Inspire. Shine.

STEM ON TRACK

DESIGN IT. BUILD IT. RACE IT.

STEM on Track is a hands-on engineering programme where you design and build your own race kart, then take it to the track to compete against other schools. From the first sketch to race day, you'll use real-world STEM skills to solve problems, innovate and perform.

Limited spaces available!

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Engineering design & innovation
- CAD modelling & technical drawing
- Building, fabrication & assembly
- Testing, data analysis & iteration
- Teamwork, communication & leadership
- Race strategy & performance enhancement
- Project management & problem solving

WHY DOES IT MATTER?

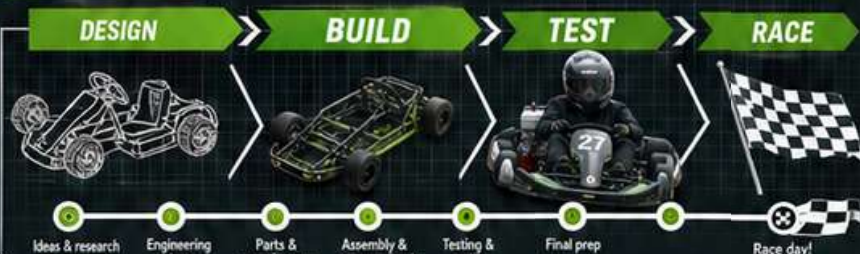
- Applies real-world STEM to exciting challenges
- Builds resilience, creativity and determination
- Develops innovation and critical thinking
- Represents your school with pride on race day
- Opens doors to future study and careers in engineering and beyond



HOW WILL I LEARN?

- DESIGN**
Research, sketch ideas and create CAD models. Plan for performance, safety and style.
- BUILD**
Work as a team to manufacture, assemble and bring your kart to life.
- REFINE**
Review data, improve components and fine-tune for speed and reliability.
- TEST**
Take it to the test track. Measure, learn and make it better.
- RACE**
Race day! Compete head-to-head and celebrate your achievement.

OUR JOURNEY



YOUR 6 BIG QUESTIONS

- 1** How do we make our kart as fast and efficient as possible?
- 2** How do we ensure our kart is safe, reliable and within the rules?
- 3** Which materials and designs provide the best strength with low weight?
- 4** How can we work together effectively as a team?
- 5** How do we test, measure and use data to improve?
- 6** Where could STEM take us in the future?

"It's amazing seeing something we designed and built actually race on the track. You learn that teamwork and problem solving really can make you winners!"
– Year 10 Student

HOW THIS PATHWAY HELPS YOU DEVELOP

- Physical Development**: Build fitness, coordination and hands-on practical skills.
- Mental Development**: Develop problem solving, resilience, focus and adaptability.
- Social Development**: Collaborate, lead and communicate as part of a team.
- Personal Development**: Build confidence, independence, and a growth mindset.
- Fundamental British Values**: Democracy, respect, rule of law, tolerance & individual liberty.
- Community Engagement**: Inspire others, share your journey and support events.
- Careers**: Explore careers in engineering, design, manufacturing, motorsport & more.
- Financial Literacy**: Budget, manage resources and understand value for a goal.

PARENT/CARER SUPPORT

You can help by encouraging curiosity, supporting our build sessions, attending events and cheering us on at race day. Every bit of support helps us go further!

USEFUL LINKS

- F1 in Schools www.f1inschools.com
- STEM Learning www.stem.org.uk
- The Smallpeice Trust (Go-Kart) www.smallpeicetrust.org.uk



SCAN ME for more info, videos and resources!

**THINK.
BUILD.
COMPETE.
SUCCEED.**

YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS STUDIO

Imagine it. Build it. Pitch it.

This pathway helps you turn ideas into action, build confidence, creativity and enterprise skills, and understand how businesses and social enterprises can make a difference.



1 What will I learn?

- Entrepreneurial mindset and creativity
- Identifying problems and opportunities
- Business planning and market research
- Marketing, branding and pitching
- Teamwork, leadership and problem solving
- Basic finance and budgeting

2 Why does it matter?

- Builds confidence and resilience
- Encourages innovation and initiative
- Develops real-world skills for life
- Prepares you for the world of work
- Opens doors to exciting opportunities and futures

3 How will I learn?

- Hands-on projects and start-up challenges
- Teamwork and enterprise activities
- Research and explore real businesses
- Create products, services or campaigns
- Pitch ideas and get feedback
- Reflect, adapt and improve

4 Your 6 Big Questions



What makes a successful business?



How do I spot a problem and turn it into an opportunity?



How do I plan a business that can make a difference?



How do I market my idea and build a strong brand?



How do I manage money and make smart financial decisions?



How can I pitch my idea with confidence and inspire others?

5 How this pathway helps you develop



Physical Development

Build energy, confidence and resilience through active projects and challenges.



Mental Development

Think creatively, solve problems and make smart decisions.



Social Development

Work in teams, share ideas and build strong relationships.



Personal Development

Grow confidence, independence and a positive mindset.



Fundamental British Values

Democracy, mutual respect, individual liberty and rule of law in action.



Community Engagement

Create projects that benefit others and make a positive impact locally.



Careers

Explore the world of enterprise and discover exciting career pathways.



Financial Literacy

Understand value, budgeting, profit and making smart financial choices.



Parent / Carer Support

- ✓ Encourage your child to share their ideas and take initiative
- ✓ Talk about real businesses and how they help society
- ✓ Support enterprise events and competitions
- ✓ Celebrate effort, learning and creativity



Useful Links

- young-enterprise.org.uk
- natwest.com/business/BIIF
- thegreatbusinessproject.co.uk



“
I love this pathway because it helps me turn ideas into real projects. It gives me the confidence to pitch, create and make a difference.
”

— STUDENT VOICE

Imagine. Innovate. Enterprise. Impact.

