

Stoke Park School



Curriculum and Qualifications 2017 – 18

Introduction

This document provides a brief outline of the curriculum delivered at Stoke Park, and details of the qualifications which are offered.

The School Day

Six 50 minute lessons are delivered each day, together with one morning tutor group registration periods. There is a morning break of twenty minutes and a lunch break of forty minutes. In addition, many lessons and additional support sessions are offered before and after school.

Overview

The curriculum has been designed to encourage all students to achieve their full potential. There are ample opportunities for students to explore individual interests and strengths through a wide range of extra-curricular activities including music, drama and sports. The school has achieved the nationally recognised ArtsMark Award for its commitment to enable learners to take part in extra creative and performing arts. We are also nationally accredited for our ICT usage, gaining the prestigious ICTMark, and have been awarded the full International Schools' Award.

The school has an impressive caring approach and strong pastoral system where learners are supported by form tutors, Pastoral Manager and Head of Year. The tutor is responsible for monitoring the students' welfare and progress and will establish close links with families to enable us to build effective support for all learners.

Stoke Park values close communication with parents and aims to keep them fully informed about school activities and the work and progress of their own children.

Our school website is used to notify families accordingly and we promote use of the Parents' Learning Gateway to enable parents to access information on their child's attendance, behaviour and reports. We hold progress meetings and reports evenings each year so that parents, students and teachers can review successes and establish individual targets for improvement. Parents are also invited to contact the school at any time to request information, or if they have any concerns about their child.

Discipline at Stoke Park is based on the School's RESPECT values and expectations of students and staff are laid out in the Consistency Framework which was put together in collaboration with all stakeholders including the local community.

All courses are based upon a two year course of study in line with the new A level qualifications, students may also take the AS level qualification at the end of year 12.

Vocational courses

Business Studies

Applied Science

Sport

Health and Social Care

ICT

Enrichment

Students are also expected to be involved in activities to develop their personal skills and attributes such as EPQ, Mentoring, Amnesty International, CSLA, Charity and Community Work.

The current curriculum plan is shown below:

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180	English A 1 - 4					Maths A 1 - 4					Science A 1 - 4					MFL 1 - 3*					Design A 1 - 4					Geog A 1 - 4					History A 1 - 4					Art K 1 - 4					Music A 1 - 4					Drama A 1 - 4					ICT A 1 - 4					RE A 1 - 4					PE					L.I.L.
Year 8	English O 1 - 4					Maths O 1 - 4					Science O 1 - 4					MFL 1 - 3*					Design O 1 - 4					Geog O 1 - 4					History O 1 - 4					Art S 1 - 4					Music O 1 - 4					Drama O 1 - 4					ICT O 1 - 4					RE O 1 - 4					PE					L.I.L.
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*1 literacy class on each side

Further information about the specific content of each subject can be found within the relevant department areas of the website.