
Portal House School

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Our Mission:-

To provide the best possible education and care to our students, staff and wider community.

Our Vision: -

To make a difference to young lives, to encourage, challenge and inspire all in our learning community to achieve the best possible learning outcomes and develop the confidence, resilience and life skills needed for further education and employment.

Our Values:-

- We put the education and aspirations of our learners first
- We inspire all learners to develop and achieve their goals
- We aim for excellence in all aspects of our provision.
- We respect diversity and promote equality
- We are creative in overcoming challenges
- People come first
- Onwards and upwards
- Respect yourself and others
- Together we are a team
- Achieving the best we can and
- Learn something new everyday

We are part of a co-operative trust of 26 special schools (KSENT) and fully support and endorse the co-operative values of self-help, self-responsibility, equality, equity and democracy.

Self-help – We believe by helping each other we help ourselves. We help our children and their communities to be self-reliant, self-regulating and resilient.

Self-responsibility – we take full responsibility for our successes and failures. We take ownership of our actions, have high standards and hold ourselves and each other to account

Equality – We all have rights, our voices and capacity is valued to the same extent as any other person. We respect the richness each person brings to the school community and believe diversity makes us stronger



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Equity – We live in an unequal society. We try and treat everyone fairly, according to their needs

Democracy – Every member of the school community has a say in how the school is run. We have democratic structures in place to transform voice into meaningful practice.

Our Core Aims

1. To secure for students high levels of educational attainment through a rigorous focus on progress.
2. To enable students to develop personal resilience and self-awareness.
3. To improve students' social skills and foster British values and citizenship.
4. To improve students' social and cultural awareness.
5. To prepare students for life beyond Portal House School.
6. To ensure that identified additional needs of students are met.
7. To ensure that all students leave Portal House with high levels of literacy and numeracy.
8. To work effectively with schools, professionals and the community in sharing our expertise and developing inclusive opportunities for students.
9. To develop a highly skilled workforce.