

St Louis Catholic Academy, Newmarket
Part of Our Lady of Walsingham Catholic Multi-Academy Trust

Learning Together in Faith



School Offer of Early Help

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MISSION STATEMENT

Our school strives to be a living Christian Community which values and nurtures each individual through a sound education and encourages responsible attitudes towards our changing world.

Our Early Help Offer

Safeguarding

- Safeguarding Policy
- Clear signage in every area of school indicating Designated Safeguarding Lead and Alternate Designated Safeguarding Lead
- Clear signage in every area of school indicating procedure to follow in event of safeguarding concern
- Electronic system for logging safeguarding concerns that is clearly understood and followed by all staff
- All staff trained in logging safeguarding concerns on electronic system, Edukey
- Fully trained safeguarding leads
- Allocated governor with responsibility for safeguarding
- Safeguarding and child protection training for all staff
- CAF referral system
- Effective liaison with Family Support Workers and Social Workers as appropriate
- Attendance monitoring
- Online safety education
- All staff trained in The Prevent Duty

Learning and Education

- Quality first teaching
- Small group targeted interventions
- Individual Pupil Plans for individualised learning
- Provision mapping
- Music tuition (subject to COVID 19 restrictions)
- PiXL assessment and intervention tool
- Evidence Me observation and monitoring software used to track progress in Foundation Stage
- Homework support
- Insight electronic tracking system to record and monitor progress

Special Educational Needs and Disability

- Qualified SENCo with National Award for SENCo (NASENCO)
- Dedicated time for SEND work
- Liaison between class teachers, parents/carers and SENCo to address initial concerns
- Use of assessment tools to identify barriers to learning
- EHCP assessment referral system
- Liaison with external agencies as appropriate
- Allocated governor with responsibility for SEND
- External agency support as required: Speech and Language Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Physiotherapists, Educational Psychology, Schools' Nursing Service

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Qualified Drawing and Talking therapists in school
- Member of staff with 'Counselling Children and Adolescents' Diploma Level 4 qualification
- Equalities Award
- Behaviour and Discipline policy
- Social, Moral, Spiritual and Cultural values interwoven throughout the curriculum
- Trained Mental Health Lead
- Trained Mental Health First Aiders

Health Care

- Trained paediatric first aiders
- All staff complete annual online training in managing asthma, epilepsy and anaphylaxis
- Healthy Schools Award
- Free school meals for Foundation Stage 2 and Key Stage 1 pupils
- Daily fruit and vegetable snacks for Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 pupils
- Daily milk for four year olds
- Variety of sports clubs available, some provided free of charge (subject to COVID 19 restrictions)
- Treetops Wraparound Care

Parents and Carers

- Working with families
- Wrap around care
- Complaints Procedure Policy
- Vexatious Complaints Policy
- Friends of St. Louis