

The Tower School

Curriculum Offer and Progression AY 2026-2027



Subject	KS3	KS4	KS5
Preparation for adulthood	Life Skills	Independent Living	Preparation for Adulthood
Next Steps	Careers	Careers NCFE Employability Skills	Careers NCFE Employability Skills
PACE**	Clinical Team led sessions		
Outdoor learning	Outdoor Learning	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award*	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award*
English (Core and SLC)	English	Entry Level Certificate EL1/2/3	Entry Level Certificate EL1/2/3
		Functional Skills English L1/L2	Functional Skills English L1/L2
		GCSE English Language	GCSE English Language GCSE English Literature*
Maths (Core and problem solving)	Maths	Entry Level Certificate EL1/2/3	Entry Level Certificate EL1/2/3
		Functional Skills Maths L1/L2	Functional Skills Maths L1/L2
		GCSE Mathematics (Foundation and Higher)	GCSE Mathematics (Foundation and Higher)
Science	Science	Entry Level Science	GCSE Biology*
		GCSE Combined Science	
PSHE / RSE	PSHE and RSE	PSHE and RSE	PSHE and RSE
PE	PE	PE	PE
		BTEC L1/2 Sport Tech Award *	BTEC L1/2 Sport Tech Award *
Topic	Topic	Foundation Project Qualification* Higher Project Qualification*	Foundation Project Qualification* Higher Project Qualification* Extended Project Qualification*
Computing	Computing	Digital Functional Skills ELC/Level 1*	Digital Functional Skills ELC/Level 1*
		BTEC E-Sports* GCSE Computer Science *	BTEC E-Sports* GCSE Computer Science *
Food Technology	Food Technology	BTEC L1/2 Home Cooking Skills*	BTEC L1/2 Home Cooking Skills*
			Food and Catering Unit Award Scheme Certificates*
			Barista Training* Food Hygiene & Allergy Training*
Art	Art	BTEC L1/2 Art and Design Tech Award*	BTEC L1/2 Art and Design Tech Award
			BTEC Art and Design L2 Certificate*
Music	Music	BTEC L1/2 Music Tech Award*	BTEC L1/2 Music Tech Award*

***Option subject**

*****PACE** - The Tower School adopts a whole-school PACE (Playfulness, Acceptance, Curiosity and Empathy) approach to relational practice. This framework underpins interactions, behaviour support, emotional regulation and pupil wellbeing across all key stages and is embedded throughout the curriculum rather than delivered as a stand-alone subject.