

Attendance Inclusive Behaviour

A corporate statement of inclusive education at The Voyager School will be embraced by all

- We will provide a learning environment in which all feel they are valued and belong, and every individual has an important part to play.
- Everyone's contribution will be of value.
- The school policies will reflect this inclusive statement and the cultures and practices will empower all to participate fully in the life of the school and their community.
- All students will be given the opportunity to work with staff to identify skills in which they can excel.

Our vision is of a school where:

- young people enjoy and grow through learning in a challenging and stimulating environment;
- staff will be equipped, trained and motivated to respond to the needs of our young people, so that we can create systems and practices to support students with varying learning needs;
- members of our wider learning community and partnerships will be encouraged to contribute in supporting our flexible, adaptable and personalised approach to learning which will provide the highest quality of education for all our young people;
- the access to a curriculum enriched with media arts will enable young people to experience exciting and innovative learning;
- we will provide a high level of provision and support for those with visual impairment, moderate learning difficulties, and English as an additional language in order to remove barriers to learning and maximise their potential;
- we will challenge and stimulate all students and recognise their talents and abilities in order to extend their opportunities for achievement.

Of crucial importance – our students

- The Every Child Matters* approach will guide the school's work in keeping each young person at the centre of all that we do in creating a safe, healthy and enriching learning environment.
- It is recognised that young people learn best when they are emotionally secure and our staff will work closely with family, parents and carers to support and nurture our students so that they can enjoy their learning experiences.
- Ongoing meaningful and productive relationships with family, parents, carers and a wider group of partners are at the heart of an inclusive school.

The inclusive nature of The Voyager School means that it will be a place where everyone strives to fulfil their true potential and contributes to the development of our learning community that has as our maxim '**Above and Beyond**'.