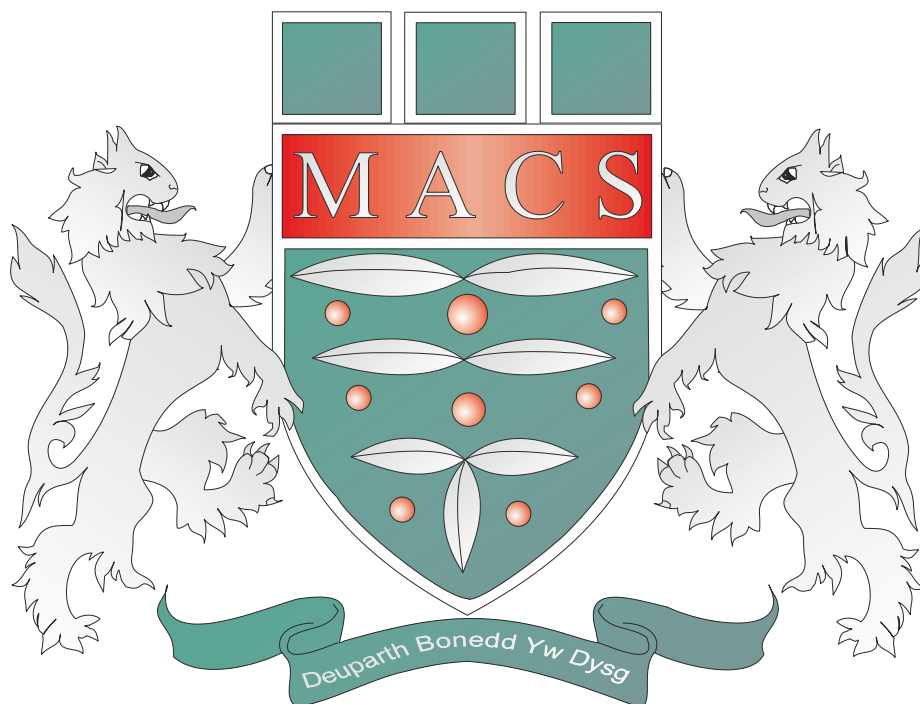


Mountain Ash Comprehensive School



Curriculum Policy Statement

Signed _____ (Chair of Governors)

Date _____

Reviewed: January 2018
Next Review Date: January 2019

The Governors and staff of Mountain Ash Comprehensive School will aim:

- To provide a broad, balanced, relevant and differentiated curriculum
- To provide appropriate learning opportunities to include all pupils/students
- To promote partnership between pupil/student, parent/carer, teacher and community.
- To ensure continuity and progression within the school and between phases of education.
- To foster teaching styles which will offer and encourage a variety of relevant learning opportunities.
- To encourage a respect for the school and its environment so that learning is a positive and pleasurable experience for all.
- To deal with all curriculum related complaints made by parents/carers in line with agreed procedures.

In particular, the Governors and staff believe that curriculum should aim:

- To help pupils/students develop lively, enquiring minds, an ability to question and argue rationally and an ability to apply themselves to tasks and physical skills.
- To help pupils/students acquire understanding, knowledge and key skills relevant to school, adult life and employment in a fast-changing world.
- To help pupils/students to use language and number effectively.
- To help pupils/students develop personal moral values, respect for religious values and tolerance of other races, religions and ways of life.
- To help pupils/students understand the world in which they live and the inter-dependence of individuals, groups and nations, particularly in the context of Curriculum Cymraeg.
- To help pupils/students to appreciate human achievements and aspirations.

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