

Blessed Carlo Acutis Catholic School

Ysgol Gatholig Bendigaid Carlo Acutis



School Session Times

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Ministry

At Blessed Carlo Acutis Catholic School our ministry is to 'proclaim the good news to the poor' (Luke 4:18) and to 'go make disciples of all nations' (Matthew 28:19) in preparing our learners to live out the reality of the kingdom of God and to do so faithfully. Through our daily encounters with one another not only will we fulfill our educational purpose but will enable our young people to become more Christ like, to be enactors of the love of God and to live out the Gospel through their lives.

Aims

Our aim is to expose all learners to a curriculum which enables them to increase knowledge, deepen understanding, refine skills, transfer learning and develop as life-long learners. (Progression Code, WG, 2021) In order to realise this ambition we will ensure that our approach to assessment provides all learners with opportunities to demonstrate progress by providing them with a high level of challenge and aspiration coupled with the appropriate level of support in order for learners to reach their God-given potential.

Our school is currently situated over 4 sites across Merthyr Tydfil . Each school has retained its school session times currently, this will be reviewed through the year to provide consistency and the opportunity for staff to work across the 4 campuses and for learners to have shared experiences.

St Aloysius Campus

Breakfast club	8:00am – 8:45am
School gates open	8:50am
Registration	8:55am – 9:10am
Lunch - N,R,1,2 Lunch - 3,4,5,6	11:50am – 1:00pm 12:20pm – 1:00pm
Afternoon Registration	1.00pm
Home Time	3.10pm

St. Illtyd's Campus

Breakfast club	8:00am – 8:40am
School gates open	8:40am
Registration	8:50am – 9:00am
Lunch	12:00pm – 1:00pm

Afternoon Registration	1.00pm
Home Time	3.20pm

St Mary's Campus

Breakfast club	8:00am – 8:40am
School gates open	8:50am
Registration	8:50am – 9:00am
Lunch	12:00pm – 1:00pm
Afternoon Registration	1.00pm
Home Time	3.20pm

Bishop Hedley Campus

Registration	8:40am-9:10am
Lesson 1	9:10am-10:10am
Lesson 2	10:10am-11:10am
Break	11:10am-11:25am
Lesson 3	11:25am-12:25pm
Lesson 4	12:25pm-1:25pm
Lunch	1:25pm-2:05pm
Lesson 5	2:05pm-3pm

UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

As a school that respects the rights of the children and adults in our school family, community and beyond, we aim for each school policy to adhere to articles from UNICEF's Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC).

In this policy, we are working towards the following articles:

- Article 3 and 28 - We have the right to an education
- Articles 12, 17 and 36 - We have the right to be heard, kept safe and given reliable information
- Articles 13, 14 and 30 - We have the right to express ourselves, think and believe what we want
- Articles 17, 23, 27, 33 and 34 - We have the right to reliable information, play an active part in the community and a good standard of living
- Article 18 - We have the right for our 'parents' sharing responsibilities of our best interests
- Article 29 - We have the right to fully develop our personalities, talents and abilities
- Article 31- We have the right to rest, relax, play and to take part in cultural and creative activities.