

# St. Michaels Catholic School Curriculum Information

## Primary Phase Curriculum

Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS)	
Nursery	The early years programme follows the national EYFS guidance to support pupils preparation towards school. The EYFS Statutory Framework is available <a href="#">here</a>
Reception	
Key Stage 1	
Year 1	In Key Stage 1 (KS1) pupils follow the National Curriculum. However as a Catholic School 10% of the Curriculum Studied is Religious Education and pupils study the CES Children of God programme. Pupils in Year 2 also study Physical Education with members of the schools P.E. Department. The National Curriculum is available to view <a href="#">here</a> In Year 1 Pupils will be assessed in their phonics skills – The Phonics Screening Test From 2016, Year 2 Pupils will sit the new National tests and teacher assessments in English, maths and science.
Year 2	
Key Stage 2	
Year 3	In Key Stage 2 (KS2) pupils follow the National Curriculum. However as a Catholic School 10% of the Curriculum Studied is Religious Education and pupils study the CES Children of God programme. Pupils in Year 3-6 also study Physical Education with members of the schools P.E. Department. Pupils also study Technology (Resistant Materials and Food Technology), Drama and Music. The National Curriculum is available to view <a href="#">here</a> In Year 6 Pupils will sit the new National tests and teacher assessments in English, maths and science. Schools will be judged on Pupils progress from their KS1 National Tests to their KS2 National Tests. The KS2 National Test outcomes also provide secondary schools with the data from which progress is measured.
Year 4	
Year 5	
Year 6	

## Additional Information

Reading Scheme
Phonics Scheme

The Termly Primary Phase programme of Study and examples of assessments and expectations are published [here](#)

## Key Stage 3

The following Subjects are Studied in KS3 by all pupils in line with the national Curriculum.		
	Subject	% of Curriculum
<b>Year 7</b>	English	12 %
	Maths	12 %
	Science	12 %
	Religious Education	10% CES approved course People of God
	French	8%

	History		6%
	Geography		6%
	Computing		4%
	Physical Education		8%
	Art		4%
	Drama		4%
	Music		4%
	PSHCE		2%
	Technology Carousel:	Resistant Materials	Technology is taught on a carousel so all pupils have to opportunity to experience all of the subjects before choosing an Technology Option in Yr.9
		Food Technology	
Graphics			
Photography			
Textiles		8%	

**At the end of year 8 pupils choose an Art and a Technology option for year 9**

<b>Year 8</b>	Subject		% of Curriculum
	English		12%
	Maths		12%
	Science		12%
	Religious Education		10% CES approved course People of God
	French		8%
	History		6%
	Geography		6%
	Computing		4%
	Physical Education		8%
	Art		4%
	Drama		4%
	Music		4%
	PSHCE		2%
	Technology Carousel:	Resistant Materials	Technology is taught on a carousel so all pupils have to opportunity to experience all of the subjects before choosing an Technology Option in Yr.9
Food Technology			
Graphics			
Photography			
Textiles		8%	

**In Year 9 pupils choose an Art and Technology option to support their progress to that subject fully for GCSE. From February 20<sup>th</sup> 2017 pupils in Yr 9 will be taught in new mixed ability groups.**

<b>Year 9</b>	Subject		% of Curriculum
	English		14%
	Maths		16%
	Science		14%
	Religious Education		10% CES approved course People of God
	French		8%
	History		8%
	Geography		8%

	Computing	4%
	Physical Education	8%
	PSHCE	2%
<b>ART Option Choice</b>	Art	4%
	Drama	4%
	Music	4%
	Textiles	4%
<b>Technology Option Choice:</b>	Resistant Materials	In Yr 9 students choose to continue with one of the technology options. 4%
	Food Technology	
	Graphics	

Please note only viable Technology options will be placed on the curriculum.

### Key Stage 4 2016-17

	<b>Bucket</b>	<b>% of Curriculum</b>	<b>Exam Board/Syllabus</b>
<b>Year 10</b>	<b>Bucket One</b>		
	English Literature	14%	AQA
	English Language		AQA
	Maths	18%	EDEXCEL
	<b>Bucket Two</b>		
	Biology		AQA
	Chemistry		AQA
	Physics		AQA
	Science	14%	AQA
	Computer Science	10%	OCR
	French	10%	OCR
	History (All pupils must choose History or Geography)	10%	
	Geography (All pupils must choose History or Geography)		
	<b>Bucket Three</b>		
	Religious Education (Compulsory)	10%	Edexcel
	Drama	10%	WJEC
	Music	10%	AQA
	Art	10%	AQA
	Physical Education (Sport Studies)	10%	
	Graphics	10%	
	Food Technology	10%	
	ICT	10%	
	Health and Social Care	10%	OCR
	<b>Non Examined Subjects</b>		
	PSHCE	2%	Internal
	Physical Education (Games)	6%	Internal
	<b>Functional Skills</b>		
	Enrichment Subjects are offered to pupils who entered the school on P Scales or very low National Curriculum Levels. In many cases the pupils are also supported by the Learning Support Team and are recognised on the SEND register		

<b>Please Note that the current Yr.11 curriculum contains transitional subjects</b>				
<b>Year 11</b>	<b>Bucket</b>	<b>% of Curriculum</b>	<b>Exam Board/Syllabus</b>	
	<b>Bucket One</b>			
	English Literature		AQA	
	English Language	16%	AQA	
	Maths	18%	EDEXCEL	
	<b>Bucket Two</b>			
	Biology		AQA	
	Chemistry		AQA	
	Physics		AQA	
	Science (Core)	Examined in Yr 10	AQA	
	Science (Additional)			
	Computer Science	10%	OCR	
	French	10%	OCR	
	History	10%		
	Geography	10%		
	<b>Bucket Three</b>			
	Religious Education (Compulsory)	10%	Edexcel	
	Drama	10%	WJEC	
	Music	10%	AQA	
	Art	10%	AQA	
	Physical Education (Sport Studies)	10%		
	Graphics	10%		
	Food Technology	10%		
	ICT	10%		
	Health and Social Care	10%	OCR	
	<b>Non Examined Subjects</b>			
	PSHCE	2%	Internal	
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## Key Stage 5

Please see the **Key Stage 5 Prospectus Document** [here](#), that contains all details of the Key Stage 5 Pathways, Subjects and Entry Requirements.

It is a compulsory requirement that all Sixth Formers curriculum have attend General RE which is 5% of their curriculum time.