

Post 16 at St Julian's School

Year 11 Assembly

13th November 2025



Personal
Development

A school for
all, where
everyone
succeeds

Knowledge,
Skills and
Experiences

Qualifications

Education,
Employment and
Training

Respect

Inclusion

Collaboration

Ambition

What are your options?



What courses do we offer?



AS-level

Year 12

+



A2

Year 13

=



A-LEVELS



St
Julian's
Post 16

What is collaboration?



Which subjects could I study?

Subject	Caerleon	Llanwern	Lliswerry	St Julian's
Advanced Skills Baccalaureate Wales	Compulsory	Compulsory	Compulsory	Compulsory
Applied Science (BTEC)	X	✓	✓	X
Art & Design	✓	✓	✓	✓
Biology	✓	✓	✓	✓
Business (A Level)	✓	X	X	X
Business (BTEC)	X	✓	✓	✓
Chemistry	✓	✓	✓	✓
Criminology (WJEC, L3)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cymraeg	✓	X	X	X
Design Technology	✓	X	✓	X
Drama	X	✓	X	X
Electronics	X	X	✓	X
English Language	✓	X	X	X
English Literature	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fashion & Textiles	X	X	✓	X
French	✓	X	X	X
German	✓	X	X	X
Geography	✓	✓	X	✓
Health and Social Care	X	✓	✓	✓
History	✓	✓	✓	✓
IT (BTEC)	✓	X	✓	X
Mathematics	✓	✓	✓	✓
Further Maths	✓	X	X	✓
Media - Creative (BTEC)	X	X	X	✓

Subject	Caerleon	Llanwern	Lliswerry	St Julian's
Medical Science	X	✓	X	X
Music (BTEC)	✓	✓	X	X
PE	✓	X	X	X
Performing Arts (BTEC)	✓	X	✓	✓
Photography	X	X	✓	✓
Physics	✓	X	X	✓
Psychology	✓	✓	X	✓
Religious Studies	✓	X	X	✓
Sociology	✓	X	X	✓
Sport (BTEC)	X	✓	✓	✓
Sport Double/Triple (BTEC)	X	✓	✓	X



Why should I stay at St Julian's?

1. Familiarity!
2. A variety of courses
3. Care, support and guidance
4. Past Performance



This summer our Year 13 students achieved:

- 3 A* - A = 5%
- 3 A* - C = 50%
- 3 A* - E = 91%
- 2 A* - E = 97%

And they went on to...

- 74% University
- 21% Employment and Degree Apprenticeships
- 2% College

How different is Year 12 to Year 11?

- ★ Very! Post 16 is non compulsory education
- ★ You study far fewer subjects
- ★ You have approximately 38 / 50 lessons per fortnight
- ★ You can come and go when you have lessons (sign in app)
- ★ Non uniform
- ★ Common room
- ★ Quiet study room
- ★ Tutor as a mentor



What is a typical day like in Post 16?

	1	2	3	4	5
1Mon		PDCS Ms D Stewart E1 12B/Ps1			Sport Studies Mr R Taylor-Ayres W30 12A/Ss1
1Tue		Criminology Mrs T Slade T3 12C/Cr1	Sport Studies Mrs E Blackburn J6 12A/Ss1	Sport Studies Mr R Taylor-Ayres W30 12A/Ss1	VESPA Mrs L Lunt LPC 12/Ve1
1Wed	Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	PDCS Ms D Stewart E2 12B/Ps1	PDCS Ms D Stewart E2 12B/Ps1	
1Thu			Criminology Mrs T Slade T3 12C/Cr1	Criminology Mrs T Slade T3 12C/Cr1	Mathematics Mr C Downes T3 ResitM/Ma1
1Fri	Sport Studies Mrs E Blackburn E1 12A/Ss1		Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	Criminology Mrs T Slade T3 12C/Cr1

- ★ Mentoring session - one tutorial per week
- ★ NOST: negotiated off site time
- ★ 38 lessons (inc. PDCS and VESPA)
- ★ Travel to LHS

	1	2	3	4	5
2Mon		PDCS Ms D Stewart E1 12B/Ps1			Sport Studies Mr R Taylor-Ayres W30 12A/Ss1
2Tue	Criminology Mrs E Evans T3 12C/Cr1	Criminology Mrs E Evans T3 12C/Cr1		Sport Studies Mr R Taylor-Ayres W30 12A/Ss1	VESPA Mrs L Lunt LPC 12/Ve1
2Wed	Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	Health & Social Care Mrs T Slade E14 12D/Hs1	PDCS Ms D Stewart E13 12B/Ps1		
2Thu			Criminology Mrs E Evans T3 12C/Cr1	Criminology Mrs E Evans T3 12C/Cr1	
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	Social Zones	Arrivals	8:35	9:00	10:00	11:00	11:20	12:20	12:55	13:20	13:55	Departures
		8:20 - 8:35 (Gates)	Tut.	P1	P2	Break	P3	P4 (1hr) Lunch (35 mins)			P5	14:50 - 15:00 (Students to leave via nearest gates)
P16	West + Aspire	West Gate	T	P1	P2	B	P3	P4	L	P5		15:00

What extracurricular opportunities are offered at Post 16?

- ★ Head Team of Student Senedd
- ★ Super-curricular study (inc. MOOCs)
- ★ University and college visits, eg.
 - Access to Bristol, Step Up to Cardiff and Seren Network
- ★ Charity events
- ★ Assisting with clubs for younger students (mentoring)
- ★ Trips & excursions (eg. USW, ICC and subject field work)



What support is available?

- ★ VESPA (next slide)
- ★ EMA (Educational Maintenance Allowance)
- ★ Mr Thomas, Mrs Lund and Miss Plumridge
- ★ Student Support Centre Team
- ★ Challenge and Endeavour Groups



Mrs L Lund
Deputy Head of Post
16



Mr L Thomas
Head of Post 16



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- ★ Students to indicate preferred pathways (read the booklet)
- ★ If aiming to return to St Julian's, students name top three subjects
- ★ Subject columns are based on these preferences

St Julian's School									
Pathway A	Staff Initials	Pathway B	Staff Initials	Pathway C	Staff Initials	Pathway D	Staff Initials	Pathway E	Staff Initials
Art/Photography		History		Business (BTEC)		Biology		Geography	
Physics		Mathematics		Chemistry				Health and Social Care, and Childcare	
Sociology		Psychology		English Literature				Media (BTEC)	
Sport (BTEC)				Criminology				Performing Arts	
Welsh Bacc.		Welsh Bacc.		Welsh Bacc.		Welsh Bacc.		Welsh Bacc.	
Head of Department Approval (please sign in the appropriate box)									
Lliswerry High									
Pathway A	Staff Initials	Pathway B	Staff Initials	Pathway C	Staff Initials	Pathway D	Staff Initials	Pathway E	Staff Initials
English Literature		Art/Photography		Sport (BTEC) - Single		ICT (BTEC)		Mathematics	
Health and Social Care, and Childcare		Applied Science (BTEC)				Sport (BTEC) - Double		Business (BTEC)	
Sport (BTEC) - Triple								DT (Product Design/Fashion)	

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- ★ January: College and Careers Fayre (tbc)
- ★ Applications for Post 16 open in February (this includes provisional course choices)
- ★ September - enrolment

How do we take the Straw Poll?

Your tutor will ask you for your preferred future pathway.

If it's not St Julian's, we need extra info here, eg. Coleg Gwent or salon job.

This can be used for any other note inc. would like Careers Wales appt.

If we don't off a course you would like to do - let us know!

Tutors: tick once done - it will go green!

Forename	Reg	Tutor	Future Pathway	Other Detail	Future Career	Comments	First Choice	Second Choice	Third Choice	Course Not Offered	Tutor Sign Off
nas	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	Post 16 (StJ)				Applied Science (BTEC) - Lliswerry				<input type="checkbox"/>
er	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	Post 16 (Other)				Art & Design				<input type="checkbox"/>
	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	College				Biology				<input type="checkbox"/>
	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	Employment				Business (BTEC)				<input type="checkbox"/>
	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	Other				Chemistry				<input type="checkbox"/>
	11C1	Mrs C Sohanpal	Unknown				Criminology (WJEC L3)				<input type="checkbox"/>
							English Literature				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Geography				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Health and Social Care, and Childcare				<input type="checkbox"/>
							History				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Information Technology - Lliswerry				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Mathematics				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Media - Creative (BTEC)				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Performing Arts (BTEC)				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Photography				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Physics				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Psychology				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Sociology				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Sport (BTEC)				<input type="checkbox"/>
							Sport Double/Triple (BTEC) - Lliswerry				<input type="checkbox"/>

If you know a possible career you want to do, it can be listed here.

For those wanting to come back (or are thinking of coming back) we need top three subjects (in rank order).

Deadline: Friday 12th Dec.



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