

Bell class is a mixed year 12, 13 and 14 class within the Functional learning approach. There are 13 pupils aged 16-18, a Class Teacher, a Senior Teaching Assistant and a Teaching Assistant. Our class is at the sixth form satellite site at Oxford Road. Through working towards sets of accreditations linked to their functional pathway, pupils are adapting to their unique learning settings and their new learning environment. They transition to various learning areas within the school and outside their local community, where they access the curriculum areas offered within their learning pathway.

Bell class pupils enjoy learning and participating in problem-solving activities and discussions where they share their ideas and support each other. They develop their life and functional skills to continue to build their independence and confidence in taking on an active role in their immediate and broader communities. Pupils continue to develop their growth mindset to secure ways to help them manage future challenges more confidently. They enjoy celebrating each other's achievements and are encouraged to follow and display a positive attitude in line with the school values.

Pupils are working towards embracing the world outside of school, learning about workplace expectations and future independent or assisted home life settings. Standards are set in school during practical work, work experience and functional learning in class. Pupils focus on developing literacy and numeracy skills, speaking and listening skills and confidence when engaging with an audience, during assembly time and when doing practical work.

We look forward to the challenges and new learning experiences and to demonstrating a positive mindset towards achieving the accreditations linked with the school's sixth form Functional pathway and learning environment.

