

Learning Support at Askham Bryan College



Supporting you on your
journey through education.

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What do we offer?

Support



Askham Bryan College is committed to supporting all students in achieving their full potential. We support students with any disability or learning difficulty.

Resources



We aim to provide the appropriate resources, facilities and services to enable students to be successful in their chosen programme of study or work.

Preparation



We work with students towards embedding the skills required for preparation for adulthood and eventually life beyond college.

Who do we support?

The additional Learning Support Team (ALS), is a large team of experienced and trained staff who work closely with students, their parents/guardians and carers, schools, outside agencies and tutors to provide our students with an individual support package.

“We recognise that everyone’s needs are unique. We work with students to identify barriers and make every effort to overcome them”

The college has a strong ethos towards inclusivity and is committed to ensuring that all students achieve their potential.

Our ALS team can support learners who have a range of additional support needs such as:

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Specific Learning Difficulties including Dyslexia, Dyspraxia or Dyscalculia
- Medical conditions
- Social, emotional and mental health
- Moderate learning difficulties
- ADD or ADHD
- Mobility Difficulties
- Sensory impairments including hearing and visual
- Speech, language and communication needs

3.

Types of support available

Universal – ‘Quality First’ Teaching

This is the level of support we offer all students, and will meet most students’ needs. It comes in many forms such as:

- In-class adjustments such as handouts or smaller tasks
- Risk assessments
- Exam access arrangements
- Adapted resources
- 1:1 appraisals
- Referrals to the Student Services Wellbeing Team
- Referrals to study skills or mentor sessions

Targeted Support

Students may need targeted support in addition to that listed above. This may include:

- Assistive technology
- Lunch time supervision
- Meet and greet
- Taster and transition sessions
- Personalised in class support
- Adaption/modification of learning materials

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Get in touch

Support is assessed for every individual and will vary depending on your individual needs and/or Educational Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

'In most cases, students are able to access our courses and have needs that can be met through College's universal support. Some may require additional, targeted support'.

If you identify as having an additional learning need and/or disability please discuss this as soon as possible with the college so we can make any reasonable adjustments that you may need. Details of how to contact us are on the back page.

Contact Us

If you would like further information on additional learning support we offer here at Askham Bryan College, contact the Additional Learning Support Team:

Email: Learning.support@askham-bryan.ac.uk

Phone:

- York and Centres- 01904 772277
- Middlesbrough (Stewart Park) - 01642 327998
- Newton Rigg (Penrith) - 01768 893629

