

## Semi-Formal – F6

### MEET THE STAFF

**Class Teacher:** Ben Randles

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**Lunchtime Supervisors:** Kath Neild, Debra Uttley



### What Happens in Our Class?

We are a class of 7 students in a classroom on the middle corridor. We are conveniently located so as to be able to access much of the provision in school. The Food Technology room, Media suite; sensory pod; hydro pool and halls are all within easy reach. This supports our students with their independent movement around school. We enjoy a range of activities and interventions such as hydrotherapy, music, drama and movement sessions in the media suite as well as time in the sensory pod and soft play room. Independence and life skills are a key focus for our older students and our weekly food technology sessions and daily snack time routines are an important part of our curriculum. Termly themes and individual interests are used to create engaging and developmentally appropriate activities.

### The School Day

We have a very stable routine and structure to our day, yet we have lots of different activities timetabled into the week. We start each day with a physical session. Learning tasks are varied to meet the individual needs of each student. Our learning is often cross curricular and linked to our first- hand experiences to help us interact with and understand the world around us. Students have a personal timetable which includes working 1:1, in pairs or small groups. Our afternoons are shorter and often include a relaxation and self-awareness session such as Handi-Pac or story massage as well as yoga. We enjoy playing outside and communicating with pupils from other classes.