

## **Carisbrooke High School Extended Schools Policy**

Governors Committee Responsible for the Policy:	<b>Community and Pastoral</b>
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### **Introduction**

As a school we recognise that we cannot work alone in helping children and young people to achieve their potential, and have therefore decided to work in partnership with the Carisbrooke Cluster.

### **The Aims of the Policy are:**

- To help meet not only the school's objectives but also to share in helping to meet the wider needs of children, young people, families and their community.
- To create environments and structures where every individual child and young person, their families and the wider community can enjoy, achieve, learn, are safe and healthy together.
- To create new models of delivery where all individuals in the community, whether they currently attend school or not can access activities or services.
- To enable children, young people and their families to be involved in the design, planning and implementation of the activities and services to be provided for them to access.
- To create new ways of collaborative working in which all agencies, organisations and partners become learning organisations and deliver child-centred services - especially for those children, young people and adults who currently do not access or receive services.
- To make a positive contribution to a wide range of other government targets including childcare, children's services, community cohesion, neighbourhood renewal, adult learning, health inequalities and crime reduction.
- To target energy and resources to meet local need.
- To promote the well-being of pupils.
- To support improvements in standards across the school.
- To work in collaboration with agencies, organisations and partners to provide the extended schools core offer.

### **The Policy**

The school will ensure:

- Parents and students across the partnership are asked about activities, provision and support they would like the service to provide.
- An extended schools programme is set up to match the needs of the learning community using feedback from agencies, individuals and organisations.
- The community will be signposted to extended school services through school newsletters and a termly extended school leaflet.
- The partnership schools will work together to promote and support the extended schools programme.
- Projects are monitored and evaluated against the aims.

### **Carisbrooke High School Procedure**

Carisbrooke High School will follow the practices in the partnership agreement.

### **Supplements:**

Extended Partnership Agreement