

ALNCO - Additional Learning Needs Coordinator

English teacher and member of the Senior Leadership Team

Can organise and offer support and advice for your child's learning needs

Caring person who wants to make your child feel safe and secure in school and ensure their learning needs are met.



Can work with your child for our school to adapt better to their learning needs.

Can review the support that your child needs within school and recommend changes to support your child better.

Ms Rudman

Progress Manager Year 7 Nurture Group Form Tutor

Maths
Teacher/Nurture
Group Form
Teacher

Will offer
support and
guidance for
your child.

Caring person who
wants to make
your child feel
safe and secure in
school.

Will be meeting
your children
every morning in
registration to
set them up for
the day ahead.



Mrs Colley

I will nurture and
care for your child
to make sure they
have the best
experiences in
school.

Assistant Headteacher Well-being - responsible for behaviour, attendance, safeguarding and well-being

RE, Welsh Bac and PSHE teacher and member of the Senior Leadership Team

Can organise and offer support and advice for your child's well-being and learning needs

Caring person who wants to make your child feel safe and secure in school and ensure their well-being needs are met.

Can work with your child for our school to adapt better to their and learning needs to support overall wellness and good attendance.



Mrs Griffiths

Can review the support that your child needs within school and recommend changes to support your child better.

ELSA – Emotional Literacy Support Assistant

Specialist Teaching Assistant with a wealth of knowledge and experience working with children

Can work with your child individually or in a small group

Warm and caring person who wants to help make your child feel happy in school

Can support your child with emotional issues, self-esteem, bereavements, divorce, separation, friendship issues and anxiety

Able to support your children through life's challenges and help them find the strategies to cope



Can support your child with behaviour and social skills

Can support your child to manage and cope with their emotions

Mrs Francis

Head of Key Stage 3

Physical Education Teacher, member of the Pastoral team. First Aider and safeguarding officer.

Can organise and offer support and advice for your child's well-being and learning needs

A Caring person who wants to make your child feel safe and secure in school. Promoting the Rights of a child and the importance of pupil voice. (School Council, form captains, Year 9 buddies, bullying ambassadors).

Work alongside primary schools to help with the transition process from Primary into Secondary School.



Work alongside Progress Managers and Heads of Department to review the support that your child needs within school and recommend changes to support your child better.

Mrs Davies

Ms Harford – ALN Assistant

Can provide a safe space for your child to go to if they just need some 'time out'. (Nurture Room)

Will do my best to ensure that any child who has an additional learning need feels fully included in all areas of school life

Can support and give extra intervention for specific areas of your child's needs



Work in the Llwyddo and can be that trusted adult that your child feels they can talk to if feeling worried or upset

Working alongside the ALNCO to ensure that all staff are made aware of any additional learning needs that your child may have and how best to support them

A very caring person who wants to make sure your child feels safe and secure in school

Mrs Ridout – Pastoral Support Manager

Member of the Pastoral Team. I work very closely with Mrs Griffiths and Progress Managers.

Safeguarding Person - you can come to me if you have any concerns or worries. My office is opposite reception.

I am also Attendance Officer where I monitor every pupils attendance. At Blackwood, we would like all our pupils to achieve an attendance of 96% and above.

Can provide a safe space for your child to go to if they just need some 'time out'.



Can help identify family support and refer to outside agencies who can offer additional help at home for pupils Well-being.

Caring person who wants to make your child feel safe and secure in school and ensure their well-being needs are met.