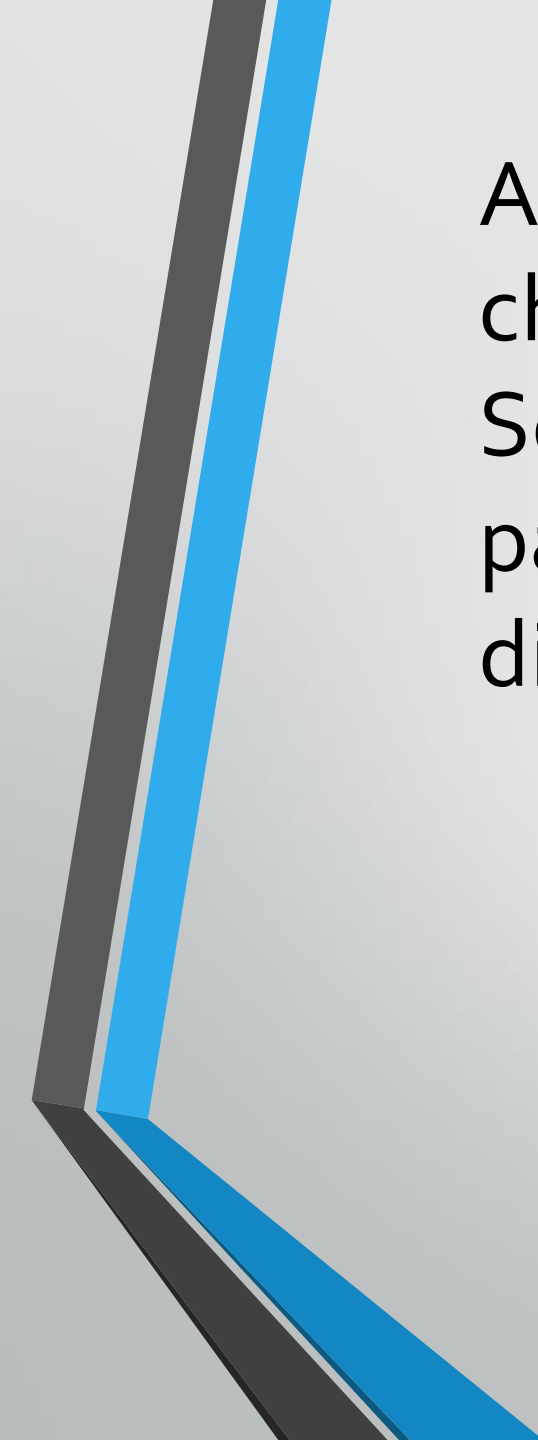




Turton Scholars' Pathway

Turton School

Building on the knowledge of the past to help the children of today meet the challenges of tomorrow



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'It is our moral obligation to give every child the very best education possible.'

Archbishop Desmond Tutu



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At Turton we recognise that all students are different, they have unique talents, personalities and abilities. Thus within a comprehensive education we must cater for these differences, ensuring that all students are given the best possible education we can offer by catering for varying needs and eventualities.

As part of our on-going commitment to our highest academically achieving students, we have designed a rich curriculum aimed at stretching students in all aspects of their education. This curriculum provides students with many opportunities to excel.



'Be a yardstick of quality. Some people aren't used to an environment where excellence is expected.'

Ralph Waldo Emerson



What is the Scholars' Pathway?

Put simply, the Scholars' Pathway is a curriculum designed for the top performing students in the year group.

This curriculum aims to stretch students' academic abilities and, through a broad, balanced experience of arts and humanities subjects, develop ambitions and talents within and beyond the classroom.

The Scholars' Pathway has its foundations in a 21st century Trivium education through which students develop intelligence and character on their path towards wisdom and a good life.

Through the Scholars' Pathway we aim to:

- Enable students to develop the curiosity, resilience and determination to develop their talents and fulfil their potential.
- Accelerate the pace of learning
- Foster extremely high expectations and aspirations, particularly in relation to pursuing a pathway towards courses at top universities.
- Promote the art of rhetoric.
- Expand our curriculum to add further depth and breadth, as well as enrichment.
- Develop students' independence of thinking and learning.
- Nurture good character and cultural/social intelligence.
- Achieve academic excellence.

The Scholars' Pathway: curriculum

All students at Turton benefit from a high challenge, knowledge-rich curriculum.

Scholars will also follow this curriculum but their pathway through KS3 will have the following distinctions:

- Classics
- A deeper exploration of the arts
- Additional language
- An after school programme leading to the Turton Baccalaureate

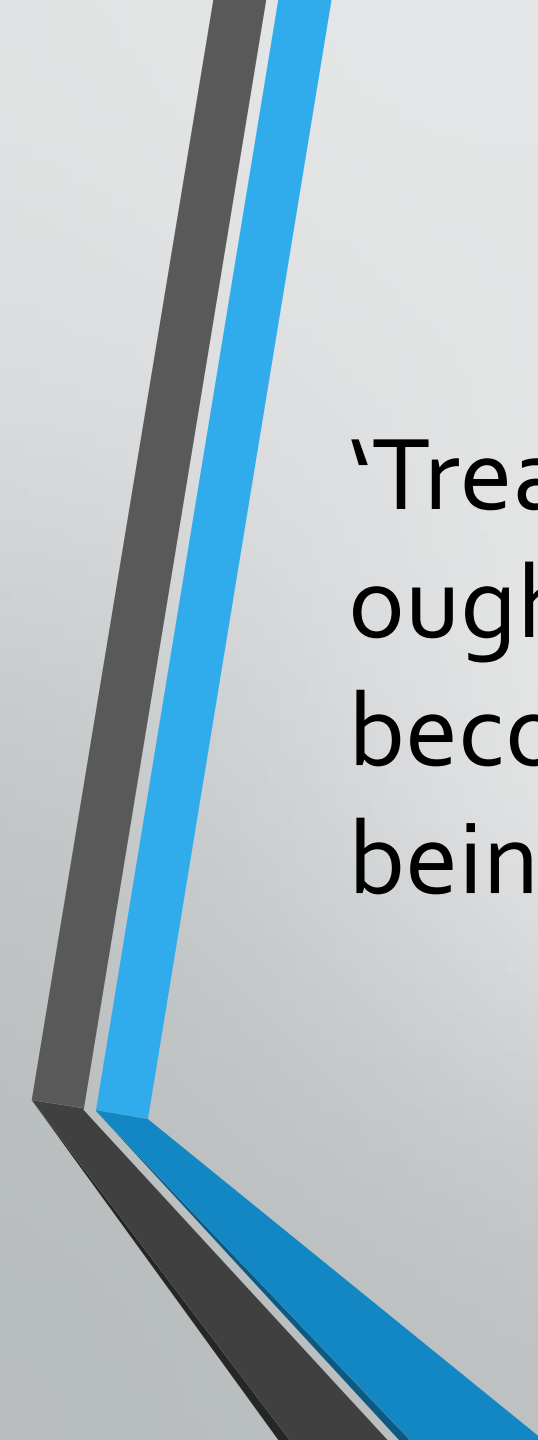
Scholars will also have opportunities to explore interests in sport, music, drama and technology.

A typical scholar has:

- Self-discipline coupled with hard work.
- A thirst for knowledge.
- The ability to process and understand information quickly.
- A love of learning.

And can:

- Relate well to their peers, other students and adults.
- Work well independently, but transfer easily to team and group skills when required.
- Articulate and debate their ideas with fluency.



'Treat people as if they were what they ought to be, and you help them to become what they are capable of being.'

Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe

Turton Baccalaureate



- Leadership award
- Duke of Edinburgh
- Voluntary work
- HPQ
- Classics programme of study
- Rhetoric award
- Personal performance skill: music/drama/PE
- Reading Award

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