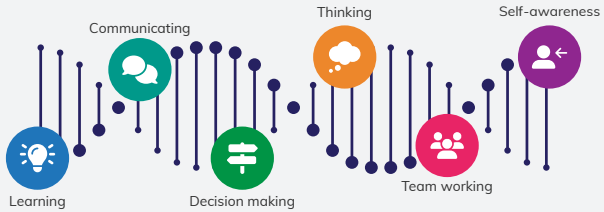
Engage, elevate and **empower** every learner at any starting point

Mainstream ASD* curriculum map
*routes tailored for individual needs

ASDAN's six core skills:



KS2 - Year 6

Key Steps covering broad PSHE and Citizenship topics, to develop confidence.

Transition

Readiness

KS3 - Years 7-9

Lifeskills Challenges to develop personal skills (eg teamwork, PSHE).

Short Courses to boost engagement through topics of interest (eg Animal Care, History, Expressive Arts) and to build social skills (eg Volunteering, Peer Mentoring).

Check ASDAN's website for courses available on Equitas

Transition

Readiness

KS4 - Years 10-11

PSHE Short Course to foster physical and emotional wellbeing, and meet statutory requirements.

Personal Development Programmes to build confidence and develop key skills.

OR L1 L2 **Personal Effectiveness qualifications** to develop communication and social skills.

L1 **Foundation**
L2 **Higher**
Project Qualifications**

Transition

Readiness

KS5- Years 12-13

L3 **Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)** to focus on a topic of interest and gain UCAS points.

OR L3 **Personal Effectiveness qualifications** for progression from L1 L2 and gain UCAS points.

Personal and Social Development qualifications

Employability qualifications if the learner cannot access qualifications at Level 3.

L1 **Foundation**
L2 **Higher**
Project Qualifications**

Readiness

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