



La Passerelle



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New Starters



We are thrilled to welcome two new members to La Passerelle School.

Nina Keane joins the Secondary School as a Senior Teaching Assistant, bringing fresh energy and dedication to our learning support team.

Additionally, Rachel Maindonald has come on board as our new Secondary School Administrator, ready to keep our operations running smoothly with her organisational prowess.

We're excited to see how their unique skills and perspectives will contribute to La Passerelle's continued growth and success. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to our newest colleagues!

Dana Scandrett
School Business Manager



Secondary

KS4 Students Thrive at Digital Jersey: A Celebration of Creativity and Collaboration

Our KS4 students have been taking part in a fantastic series of Digital Skills sessions at Digital Jersey with Rory Steel. These engaging workshops have encouraged creativity as students learned to code for 3D printing, designing, and producing their own unique keyrings.

Through coding challenges and robot programming tasks, students have developed not only technical skills but also collaborative problem-solving abilities. The sessions have fostered a spirit of kindness and acceptance, as learners support one another in exploring new ideas and approaches, celebrating the diverse talents within the group.

With two sessions still to go, the enthusiasm remains high. At the end of the course, students will proudly receive a Level 2 certificate in Digital Skills—a brilliant recognition of their hard work and progress over the last few weeks.

We are incredibly proud of the way our students are living out our school values and embracing the digital world with curiosity.

Holly Gillan
SEM/Teacher

Community Engagement and Support Co-ordinator



Therapy Team

Working in a playful way, using PACE and a variety of tools is such a powerful way to work with our children.

Never forget though -



Katie Walls
Specialist Arts Therapist

Notice Board

Sun Safe

As we prepare for the Summer months, we have included links below which provide some useful information for students to stay safe and hydrated in the sun!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/sun-safety-for-kids>



<https://www.healthforteens.co.uk/lifestyle/looking-after-yourself/sun-safety-just-the-facts/>

Please can we request that students bring in a refillable water bottle and apply sunscreen before coming into school, and bring sunscreen in to school to reapply when needed.

Dates to Remember

Primary Dates:

Liberation Celebration Week: Tuesday 6th, Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th

Liberation Day Tea Party: Thursday 8th May

Secondary Dates:

Summer Term Dates 2025

Public Holidays:

Monday 5th May

Friday 9th May

Monday 26th May

Half Term: Tuesday 27th to Friday 30th May

Term Ends: Friday 18th July