



Warwick Academy

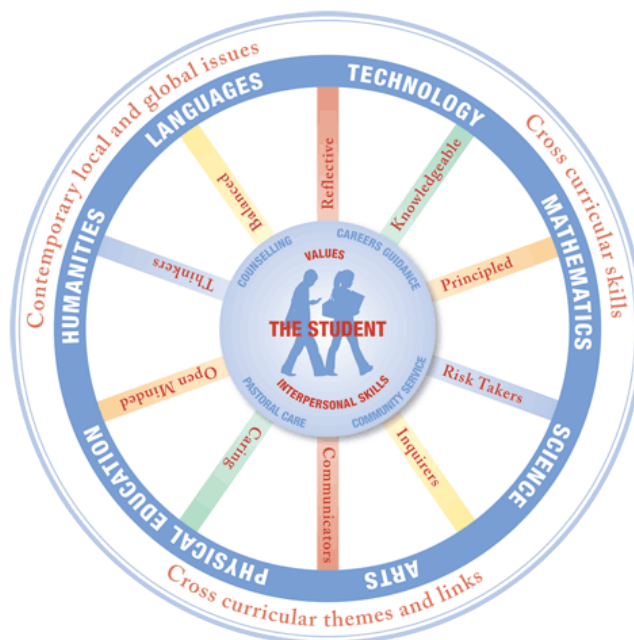
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Community Service Policy

MISSION STATEMENT

Building on centuries of excellence, we provide an international educational environment designed for our diverse student body. Our innovative curriculum is delivered with a commitment to personalised pastoral care and enhanced by a dynamic co-curricular programme. We strive to create a culture of collaboration so that our students can become lifelong learners, global thinkers and successful leaders.

CURRICULUM MODEL



NOTES

Dated: September 2019

To be reviewed: September 2020

Staff involved: SG/ DHO

At Warwick Academy, we believe that Community Service is a vital part of a well-rounded education. Giving to others without expecting anything in return, leads to a healthy lifestyle, develops leadership skills, allows students to meet new people, allows for collaborative work with others and develops positive self-esteem. Therefore each student is required to do some form of Community Service each year as part of their Wellbeing course.

Year 7- Year 11 Requirements:

Y7 – 10 hours

Y8 and Y9 – 15 hours

Y10 and 11 - 25 hours

- Y10 IGCSE Global Citizenship students may use their community service hours for the course as long as they are completed by the end of Term 2.

Students must log their hours for each activity and complete the required reflection form (below) no later than the last day of Term 2 (Y11 students must have their forms in by the first school day in March to qualify for Honours Awards). Anyone not handing their evidence in by this date will receive an incomplete coursework and it will be taken into consideration when selecting leadership positions.

Examples of possible services students may choose to do include:

- Working with KBB.
- Volunteering at: BUEI, Dolphin Quest, the Red Cross, BAMZ, The World Heritage Center, The National Trust, Windreach or the SPCA.
- Helping at international sporting events. - Participating/helping in charity walks.
- Helping with Tag Days.
- Visiting the elderly.
- Helping at one's place of worship in the nursery, fundraising, choir/music.

These are just some examples of what one can do with choices not limited to the above suggestions.

Year 12 & 13 (IB) Requirements:

IB students are required to do CAS – *Creativity, Activity and Service*. It is expected that they do about 3-4 hours a week from September 1st of Year 12 through March 1st of Year 13. Students need to record and reflect on the actions they participate in throughout this period. Successful completion is required to achieve an IB Diploma. Individual Subject students are allowed to take CAS as a course. From the 2019-2020 academic year students will be using *Managebac* to record their information.

Community Service Reflection Questions (Year 7 – 11)

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Briefly explain the activity/activities you took part in?

2. Did you work alone or with others; if so who?

3. What skills did you enhance during your experience(s)?

4. What was your favourite activity? Why?

5. What did you learn about your strengths and weaknesses when completing your Community Service requirements?

6. Did any of your services have to do with Global Awareness? Explain.

7. How could your Community Service experience have been better?

