

Jones class is within the Functional learning approach and is based at Oxford Road. The class consists mainly year 12 students who are new to the 6th Form. There are 16 students and 3 members of staff who help them to settle in, while preparing for life beyond Five Acre Wood, whether college, SPIs or work.

Students focus on functional English and maths skills, life skills and work readiness. They take part in community activities, social development and real-world work experiences to build independence and confidence.

Vocational subjects and BTEC Level 1 courses allow students to follow their interests. The class promotes teamwork, problem-solving and open discussion, helping students to grow in confidence and prepare for active roles in their communities.

With a focus on growth mindset, resilience and positive attitudes, Jones students develop the skills needed for both independent and supported living, as they move forward in their 6th Form journey.

