



TBAP
Academic
ACADEMY



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"I didn't know my eyes could see so far"

About TBAP

TBAP exists to empower children who have been disadvantaged to thrive now and in the future. TBAP Multi-Academy Trust is an innovative provider of Alternative Provision Education, and is highly regarded nationally and internationally for providing high-impact education to learners who are facing challenging life circumstances. TBAP delivers Alternative Provision Education across four London Boroughs and in Cambridge. Covering both primary and secondary provision, the trust includes the Bridge and Courtyard AP Academies, which have both been judged 'outstanding' in all areas by Ofsted. We have a number of exciting programmes including a growing Teaching School Alliance and an innovative educational Residence.

TBAP has transformed the life chances and attainment of over 3000 young people across four London boroughs. We are now looking to extend our work by opening a post-16 provision designed to prepare young people for entry to Higher Education.



Our vision for our new school

The TBAP 16-19 Academic Alternative Provision Academy is an exciting new school which aims to raise the aspirations and opportunities for young people across West London who would otherwise be unlikely or unable to achieve their full academic potential and gain access to Higher Education. Based in a purpose-built new building on our original Fulham site, our new school will offer a highly personalised, supportive yet rigorous academic curriculum. Our purpose is to transform lives by providing a pathway to a university education for learners who would not otherwise have this opportunity.

Curriculum innovation

The TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy will offer an innovative new curriculum, which is expressly designed to meet the needs of young people who have previously suffered a disrupted or troubled educational experience, but have shown at Key Stage 4 that they possess the ability, desire and capability to progress to university if the right teaching, support and educational context are made available to them.

The Academic Curriculum

TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy is a candidate school* for the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP). This school is pursuing authorisation as an IB World School. These are schools that share a common philosophy – a commitment to high quality, challenging, international education that TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy believes is important for our students.

Young people will study a broad range of subjects, delivered by subject-specialist teachers drawn from across our TBAP family of schools. The IBDP is designed to prepare young people for study at university, and aims to develop the skills needed for success in Higher Education and beyond.

Mentoring and Support

Each young person at the TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy will receive a personalised mentoring programme, tailored to their needs. Coupled with an extended school day, with supported after-school study sessions running until 5pm, the support offered by our new school will enable our young people to achieve their full academic potential.

Resilience curriculum

We recognise that success at Higher Education requires skills that are learned inside and outside of the classroom. Learners at the TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy will also take part in a series of experiences designed to develop personal effectiveness.

Special Educational Needs

As a TBAP school, the TBAP 16-19 Academic AP Academy will be able to support young people with a range of special educational needs. Therapeutic interventions, including music and art therapy, and family support therapy will be available. Our staff team is drawn from across the TBAP family of provisions, and highly trained in meeting the needs of learners with special educational needs and circumstances.





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*Only schools authorised by the IB Organisation can offer any of its four academic programmes: the Primary Years Programme (PYP), the Middle Years Programme (MYP), the Diploma Programme (DP) or the Career-related Programme (CP). Candidate status gives no guarantee that authorisation will be granted.

For further information about the IB and its programmes, visit www.ibo.org