

Being a Student at Breckenbrough School

Breckenbrough is a unique school with a unique set of students. We work in different ways to other schools. We do not punish or shout at our students and treat them as equals and with respect. We seek to understand our students rather than judge them. We wish to solve problems with our students and help them to find their way in the world.

Being at Breckenbrough requires a level of commitment from every student. For Breckenbrough to be successful, every student must:

1. Want to learn and want to develop to be the best version of themselves
2. Work with us and buy into our ethos and the way we work in school.

We are bound by our Quaker ethos and a common purpose under the vision of 'improving the quality of life for all students'. Our ethos promotes:

- Respect
- Equality
- Tolerance and forgiveness
- Reflection
- Honesty
- Conflict resolution

In order to improve the quality of a student's life, it is essential that every student engages with their Keyworker. The Keyworker is the member of staff who will work with a student and their family in order for Breckenbrough to be a success. As such, every student must engage with their Keyworker, including meeting with them once a week for a keyworking session.

Every student has the opportunity to be a member of the Student Council. This is an important role to ensure that student voice is heard loud and clear across the school and the views of the students are shared with the staff team.

To be a student at Breckenbrough School, you are agreeing to everything set out here.

In agreeing to this, you are already taking the first step to being successful at Breckenbrough and working towards being a happy and healthy adult.