



“We can and We Will”

Year 7

- **All students will be taught how the specific subjects they are learning will benefit them in the local and global employment market.**

On arrival at TQEA students will find that they will be studying a wide range of subjects, some of which they are relatively unfamiliar with. In the first two weeks of arrival students will learn about the importance of all subject areas, how qualifications in these subjects can open the doors to a number of careers as well as gaining an understanding about the role subjects play in the local and global employment market. A great way for students to understand how the curriculum can support their hopes and ambitions.

- **All students will undergo an assessment of their interests in relation to education and careers and will be advised on jobs they may be interested in.**

We understand that at this point in their lives, young people have varied ideas about what careers and vocations that they may wish to do. It is good to dream and we encourage all TQEA students to have high aspirations. Using the ‘Launchyourcareer’ software program is a fun way to explore those ideas with students adding in details about their likes and interests arriving at a selection of possible careers. Students will investigate these careers, some of which they will know very little about, and can access information about qualifications required and watch videos about the job. A great way to start thinking about the future in a personalised, fun way.

- **All students will participate in a visit to a local STEM business learning about teamwork, design and budgeting.**

At this point in their lives we understand it is important for students to be aware of the skills required in a range of employment areas. We will look to enhance students understanding of how these skills can be developed and utilised in school in preparation for use in the workplace later in life.