



**TyneCoastCollege**

## **Youth College (14-16) Exclusion Policy**

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## 1 Policy Statement

Where concerns exist relating to the behaviour of a 14-16 year old enrolled with Tyne Coast College then the college's student behaviour policy should be followed. However when a learner reaches stage two of the behavioural policy then the process below should be followed.

Our main aims are to secure the right of all young people to receive a high quality education and to enable achievement of successful outcomes. The delivery of these objectives are in accordance with the aims and objectives of Tyne Coast College. We will work with the Local Authority and other relevant multi-agency support mechanisms to ensure best practice is applied in managing students who disengage from their chosen education.

The main aim of this policy is to reduce exclusions, change behaviours and to achieve successful re-integration and subsequent achievement of the young person.

## 2 Scope

This policy applies to all 14-16 learners enrolled with Career College North East and those enrolled on courses of further education as part of Youth College with Tyne Coast College.

## 3 Legislation

Education Act 1996

## 4 Responsibilities

The Principal, the Assistant Principal, Heads of Learning and Performance & Youth College Manager have responsibility for the implementation of this policy

## 5 Actions to Implement Policy

Process:

Where a student has reached Stage 2 of the Behaviour Policy, the Youth College Manager for 14-16 will arrange a multi-agency meeting to include some or all of the following:

- The student
- Parents/carers
- Personal Tutor
- External support agencies (if applicable)
- Alternative provision (if applicable)
- Local Authority (if applicable)

The purpose of the meeting is to identify specific actions that can be applied to commence re-engagement of the student.

The outcomes of this meeting could include:

- Commissioning of / referral to Alternative Provision
- Continuation of Inclusive Learning within the College
- Continued behavioural management
- Referral to external support agencies – for example, CAMHS or GP services
- Exploration of additional funding – for example high needs funding for SEN – enabling any possible increase to existing support
- Where the outcomes of the above meeting do not effect a change in the behaviours of the student, there may be a further referral to the Disciplinary Committee in accordance with the Student Disciplinary Policy and possible consideration of a Permanent Exclusion.

## 6 Monitoring and Evaluation

The College Management Team (CMT) will monitor the operation of this policy by receiving relevant reports on student disciplinary procedures.

## 7 Related Policies

14-16 Attendance Policy  
Student Disciplinary Policy