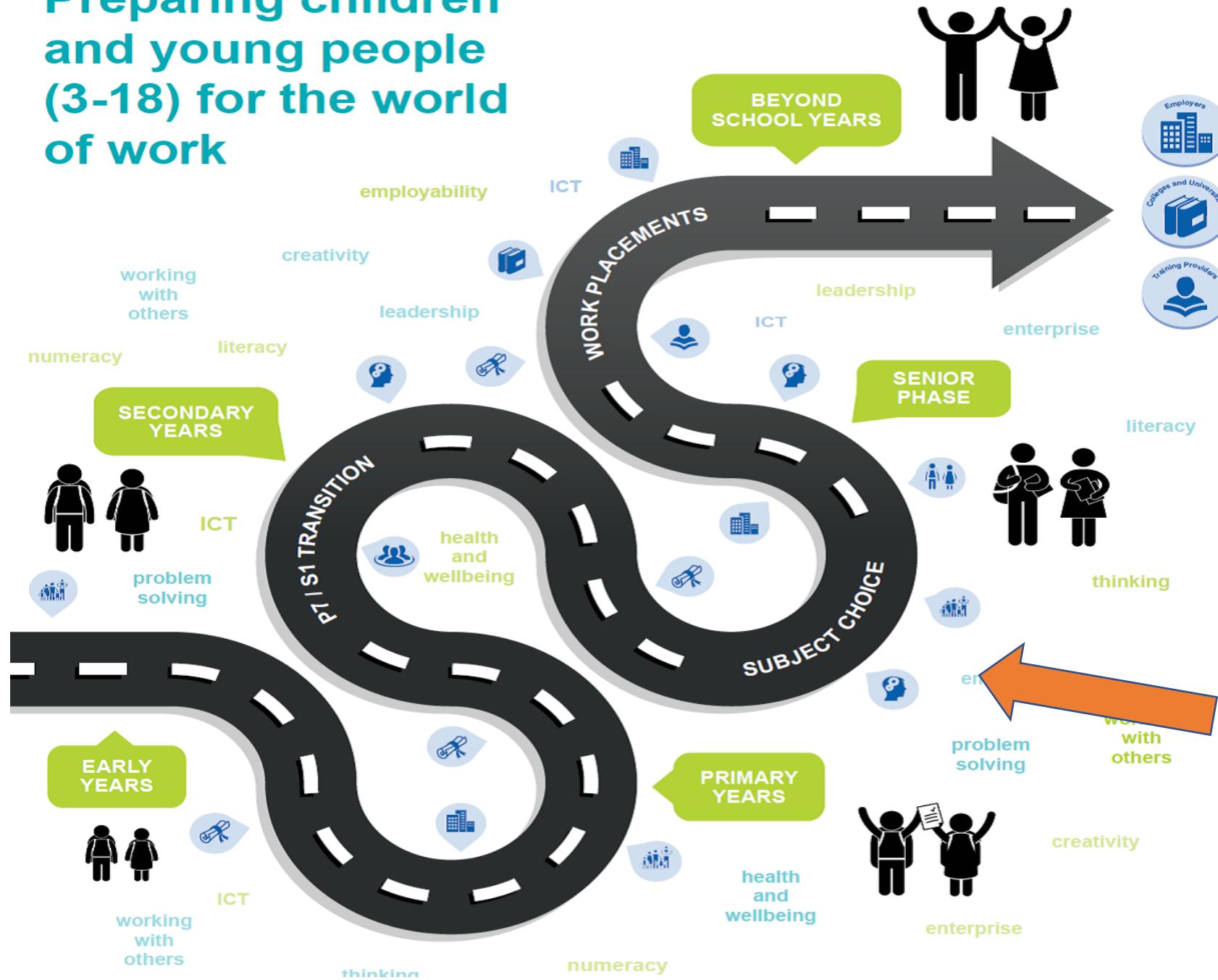


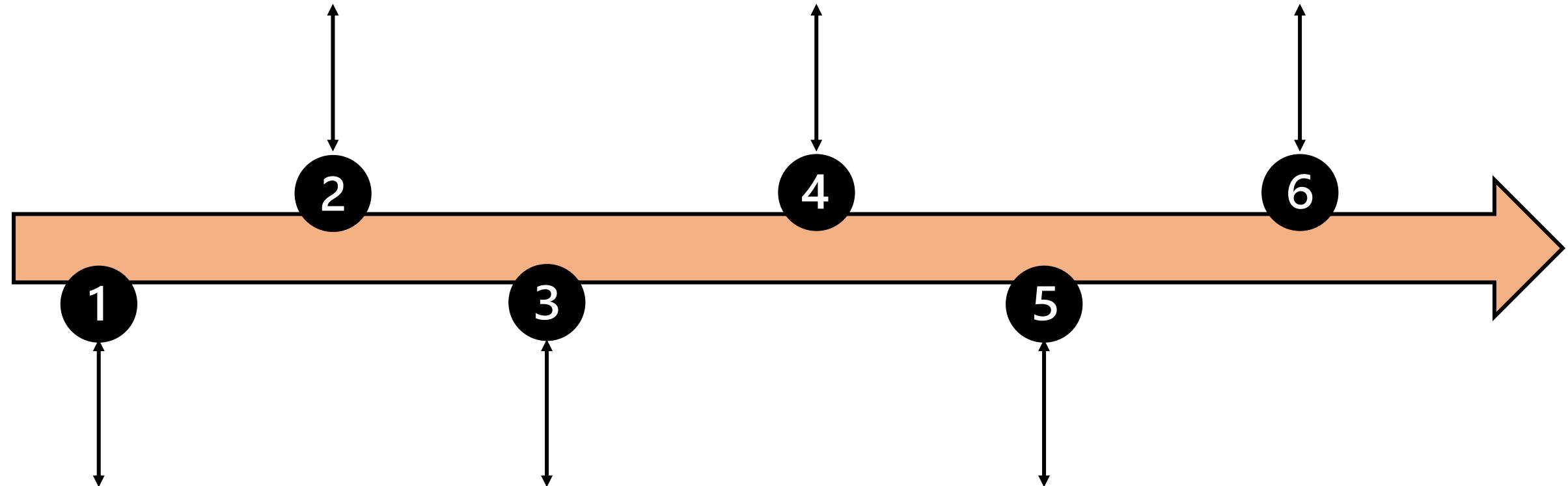


S2 into S3 Pathway Planning Toolkit

January 2026

Preparing children and young people (3-18) for the world of work





29 January

- Pathway Planning Evening
- Website updated

25 February

- S2 Parents' Consultation
- S2 Pathway Planning Assembly

2 March – 20 March

- 1-1 Interviews with PSL/Year Team
- Pupil Decisions entered on 'TOOLS'

aim high, adapt, succeed

awareness 
drive 
aspiration 
purpose 
trust 

S4

7 Subjects

5 subject decisions
+ English and Maths

S3

8 Subjects

Decisions in 6 curricular areas
+ English and Maths

S2

18 Subjects

Senior Phase Pathway Planner



Planning Your Senior

| Qualifications I want to achieve in S1 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|
| Subject | Level | Target | Result |
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| Subject | Level | Target | Result |
| Wider Achievement | Level | Target | Result |
| Total tariff points | | Target | Result |

| Qualifications I want to achieve in S6 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|
| Subject | Level | Target | Result |
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| Subject | Level | Target | Result |
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| Wider Achievement | Level | Target | Result |
| | | | |
| Leadership | | | |
| | | | |
| Total tariff points | | Target | Result |
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Progression is essential from year to year

S3 Curriculum Structure



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- English (4)
- Maths (4)
- Science (3)
- World Languages (3)
- Expressive Arts (3)
- Social Subjects (3)
- Technologies (3)
- Additional Pathway (3)
- Wider Achievement (2)
- Physical Education (2)
- Social Education (1)
- Morality & Belief (1)

Key things to consider



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- Do I know what each subject involves?
- Am I willing to commit myself to this?
- Do my courses match my career ambitions?
- Am I clear on the future pathways within this subject?
- It's not about your favourite teacher or friendship groupings.
- Challenge yourself and be realistic.



Curriculum Pathways Website

[Curriculum Pathways – Craigmount High School](#)



Your Option Choices



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To Mark Gair

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This is an Email Confirmation from Craigmount High School
To: the Parent or Guardian of [REDACTED]

Dear Parent or Guardian,

This is to confirm that you have requested the following choices:

1=Mandarin
2=DRAMA
3=CHEMISTRY
4=MOD STUDIES
5=BUS MANAGEMENT
6=FRENCH
7=PHIL & MORAL
R=MUSIC

Please speak with your pupil first and only reply if there is an issue.

We capture the pathway planning information on a web programme called TOOLS.

Parent/Carer will receive an automated e-mail which will confirm the selections a pupil has made.

A letter will be sent just before the start of the pathway planning conversations start, which will outline more details on the codes, levels and information.



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S3 EXAMPLE TIMETABLE

| | 1 | 2 | Reg | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|------------------|--|--|---|---|---|---|--|---|
| Monday | Physics CfE Mr Owens 145 | Spanish CfE Ms Balistreri 211 | Registration School Mr Polland 251 | Art & Design CfE Mrs Low 247 | Art & Design CfE Mrs Low 247 | English CfE Miss Bridgeford 222 | Business Enterprise CfE Mr Wright 230 | Business Enterprise CfE Mr Wright 230 |
| Tuesday | Computing Science CfE Mr Campbell 229 | Computing Science CfE Mr Campbell 229 | Registration School Mr Polland 251 | Mathematics CfE Mr Gondo 165 | Mathematics CfE Mr Gondo 165 | Graphic communication CfE Mr Cheyne G48 | English CfE Miss Bridgeford 222 | PSE CfE Mr Ellis 128 |
| Wednesday | Art & Design CfE Mrs Low 247 | Business Enterprise CfE Mr Wright 230 | Registration School Mr Polland 251 | Physics CfE Mr Owens 145 | Physics CfE Mr Owens 145 | Physical Education School Ms Mackay G70 | Spanish CfE Ms Balistreri 219 | Spanish CfE Ms Balistreri 219 |
| Thursday | English CfE Miss Bridgeford 222 | English CfE Miss Bridgeford 222 | Registration School Mr Polland 251 | Fashion & Textiles - Creative Minds CfE Mrs Coull G46 | Fashion & Textiles - Creative Minds CfE Mrs Coull G46 | Computing Science CfE Mr Campbell 229 | Mathematics CfE Mr Gondo 165 | Religious, Moral Education CfE Miss Coulter G12 |
| | 1 | 2 | Reg | 3 | 4 | | | |
| Friday | Physical Education School Ms Mackay G70 | Mathematics CfE Mr Gondo 165 | Registration School Mr Polland 251 | Graphic communication CfE Mr Cheyne G48 | Graphic communication CfE Mr Cheyne G48 | | | |