

Longridge High School

ABILITY GROUPINGS 2021-22

KEY STAGE 4: YEARS 10 and 11

- In the core subjects of English, Mathematics and Science, we move to more refined setting with pupils placed into ability groups identified as: Set 1a, 1b, 1c, 2a, 2b, 2c. In this way, we are able to place pupils according to their ability and potential in each subject e.g. a student may be in Set 1a for English, Set 2b for Mathematics and Set 2c for Science. This enables pupils to make the best progress towards meeting their full potential.
- Option groups for subjects chosen towards the end of Key Stage 3, are by nature mixed ability, according to the group of pupils who opt for a particular subject. An occasional exception may occur if a subject attracts so many pupils that we need two groups in the same option block. In this case, we usually set pupils according to ability and potential into either set 1 or set 2 for that particular option subject.
- Core Physical Education is taught in mixed ability groups.