

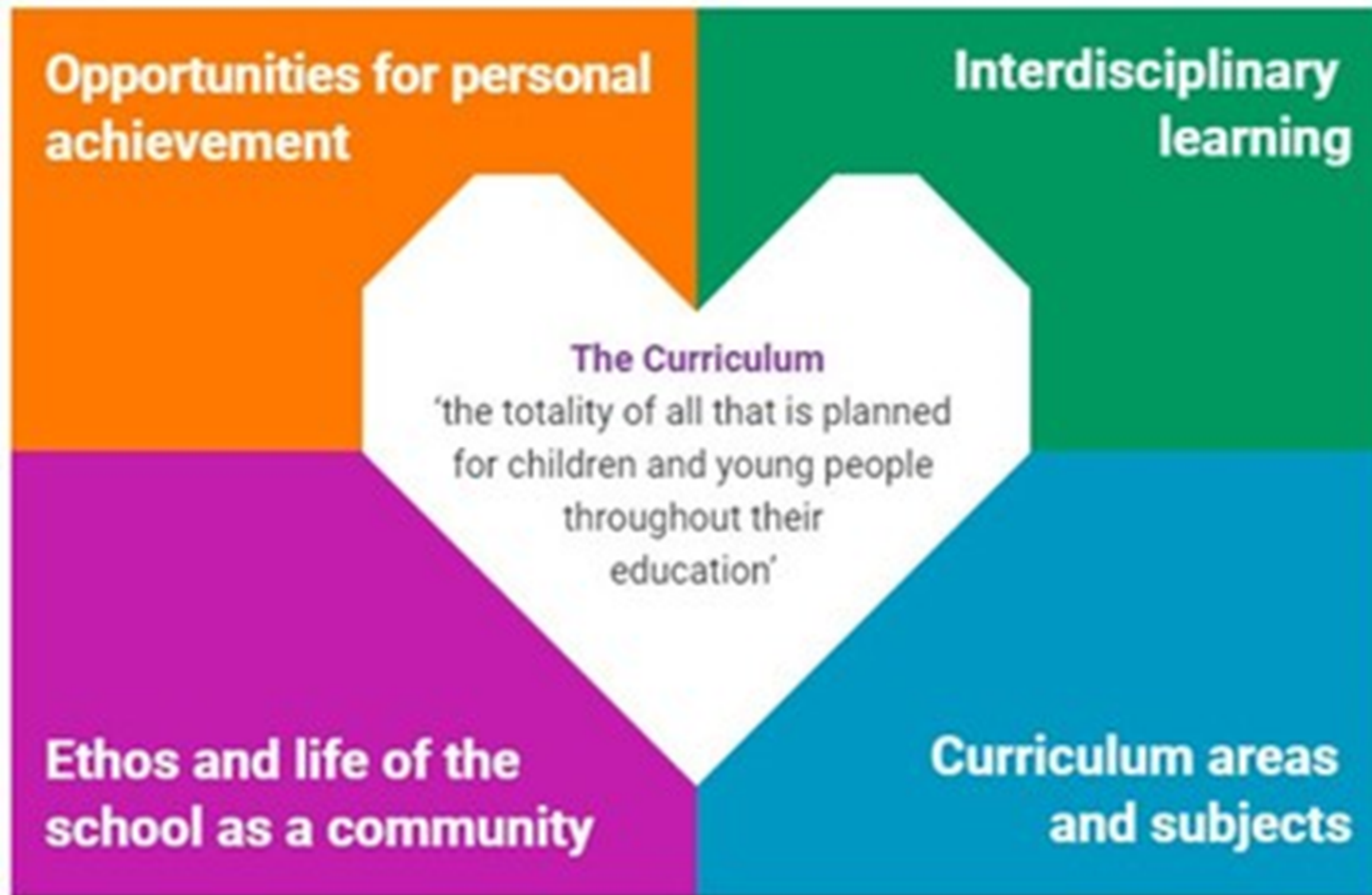


S2/S3 COURSE CHOICE

BRAES HIGH SCHOOL



CURRICULUM:



CURRICULUM RATIONALE:

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*Build Respect and Earn Success.
Be Part of It!*



VISION

Our vision promotes potential and excellence for all young people and cements our community ethos where pupils, parents and staff work together to maximise potential and strive for excellence.



AIMS

We aim to deliver a rich, engaging and challenging curriculum, providing our young people with a variety of learning experiences. Our curriculum gives every young person the chance to follow a pathway which matches their aspirations, building academic achievement alongside skills development.

PATHWAYS

- NQs
- SCQF Framework
- Wider Achievement
- Personal Development
- Leadership Awards
- Beyond Braes
- IDL

BUILT BY BRAES...

Our curriculum has been shaped by the young people at Braes and the community we serve. Our key stakeholders have contributed to the key principles of our curriculum the experience we want our young people to have and the achievements and skills we want them to gain.



CURRICULU FOR EXCELLENCE:



QUALIFICATIONS

+

SKILLS = SUCCESS



COLLEGE



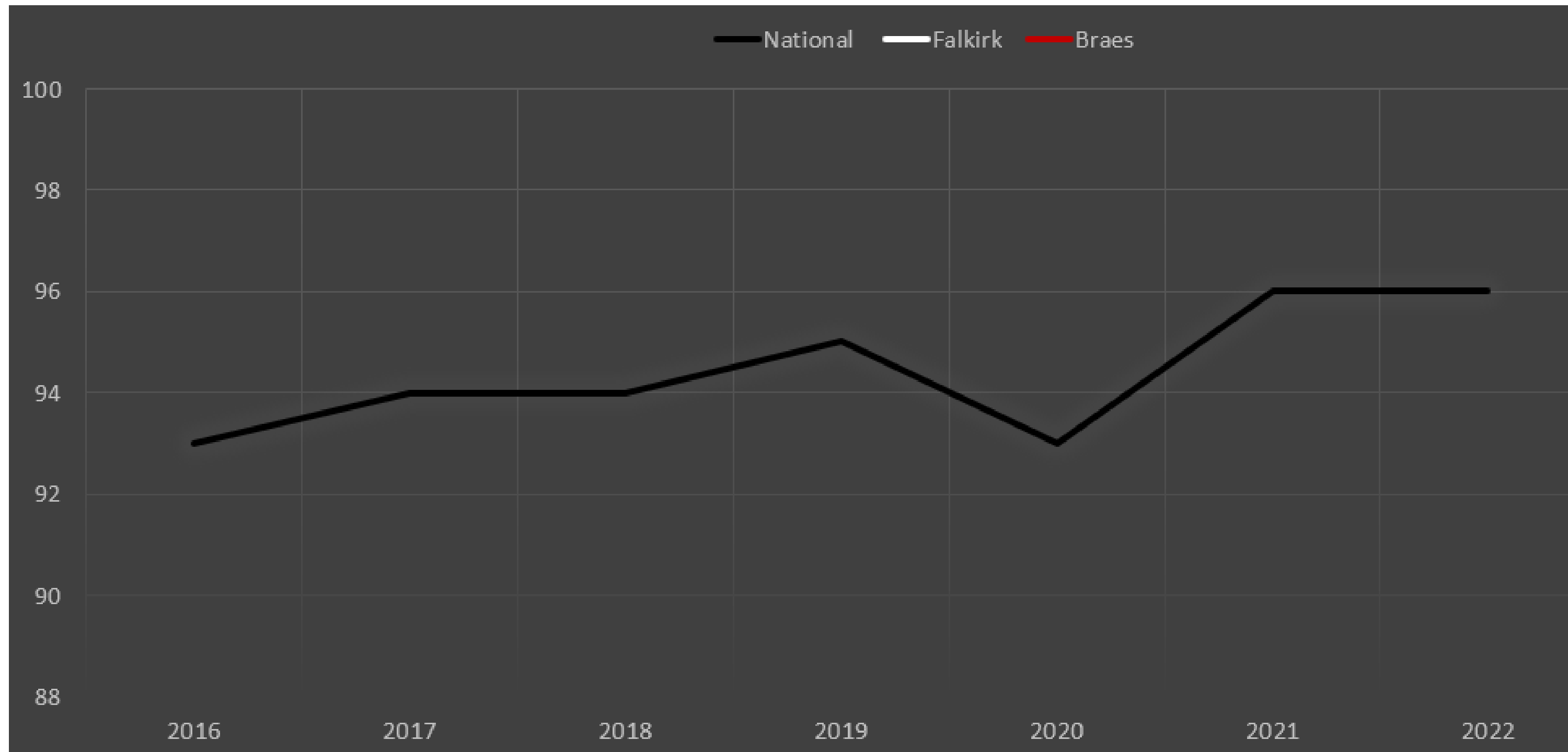
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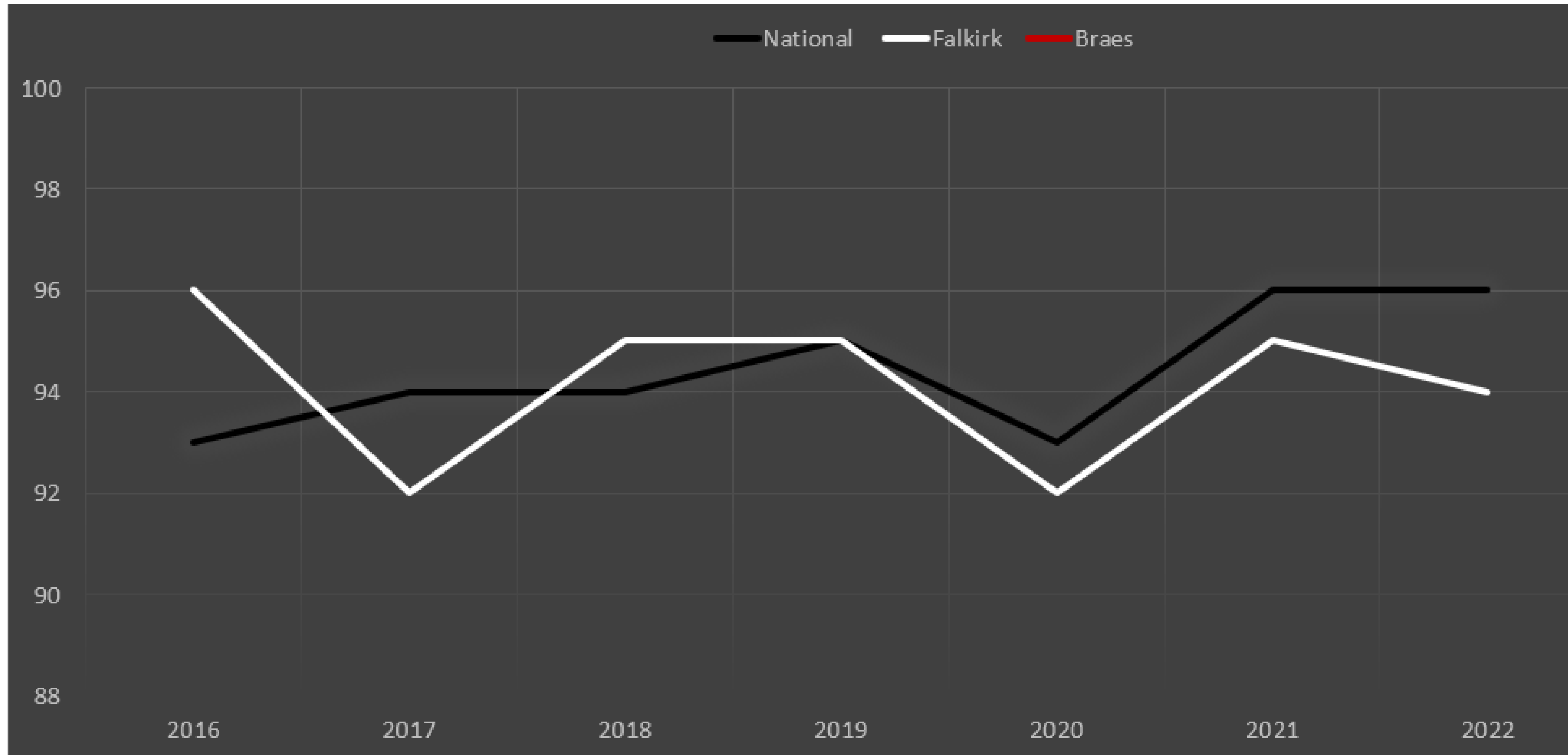
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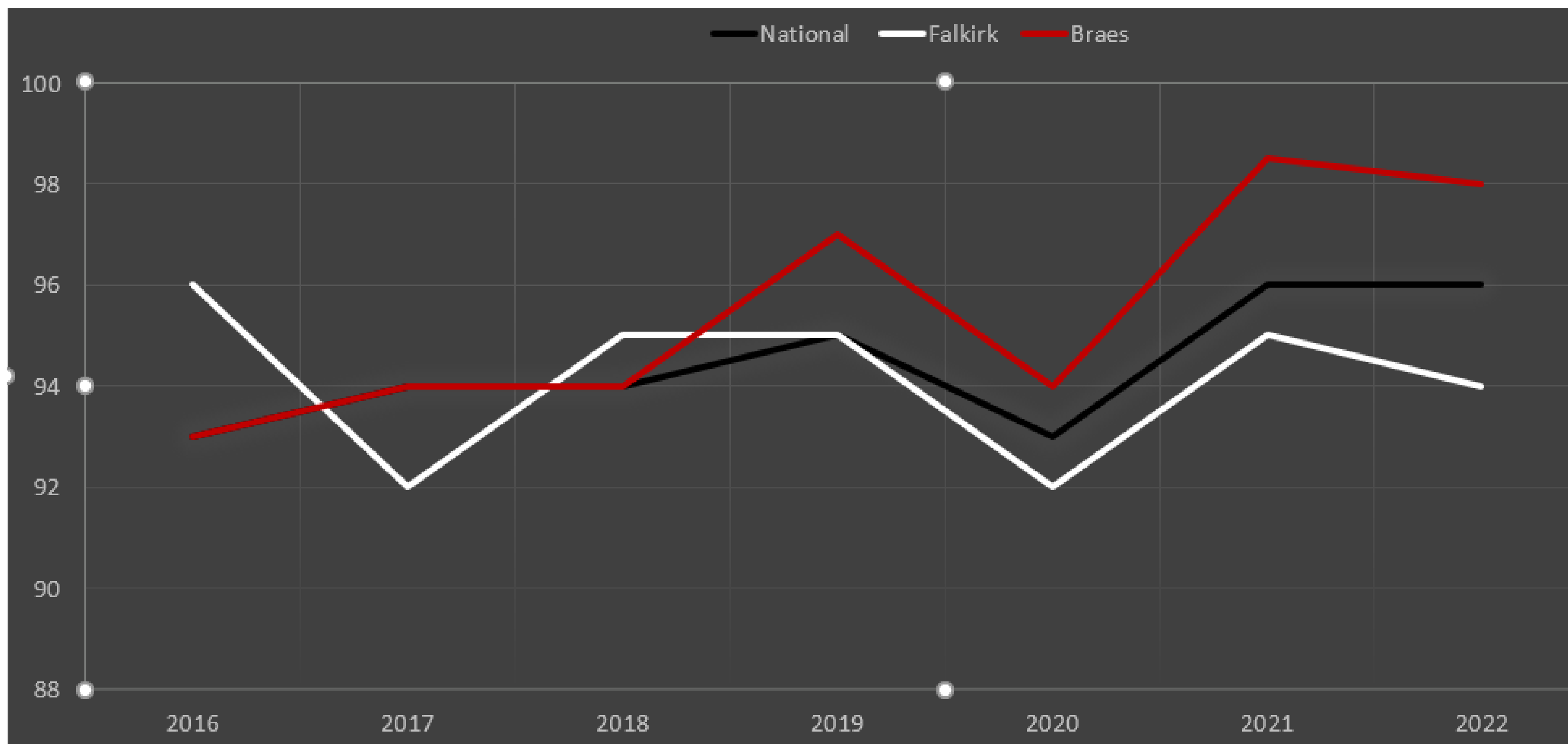
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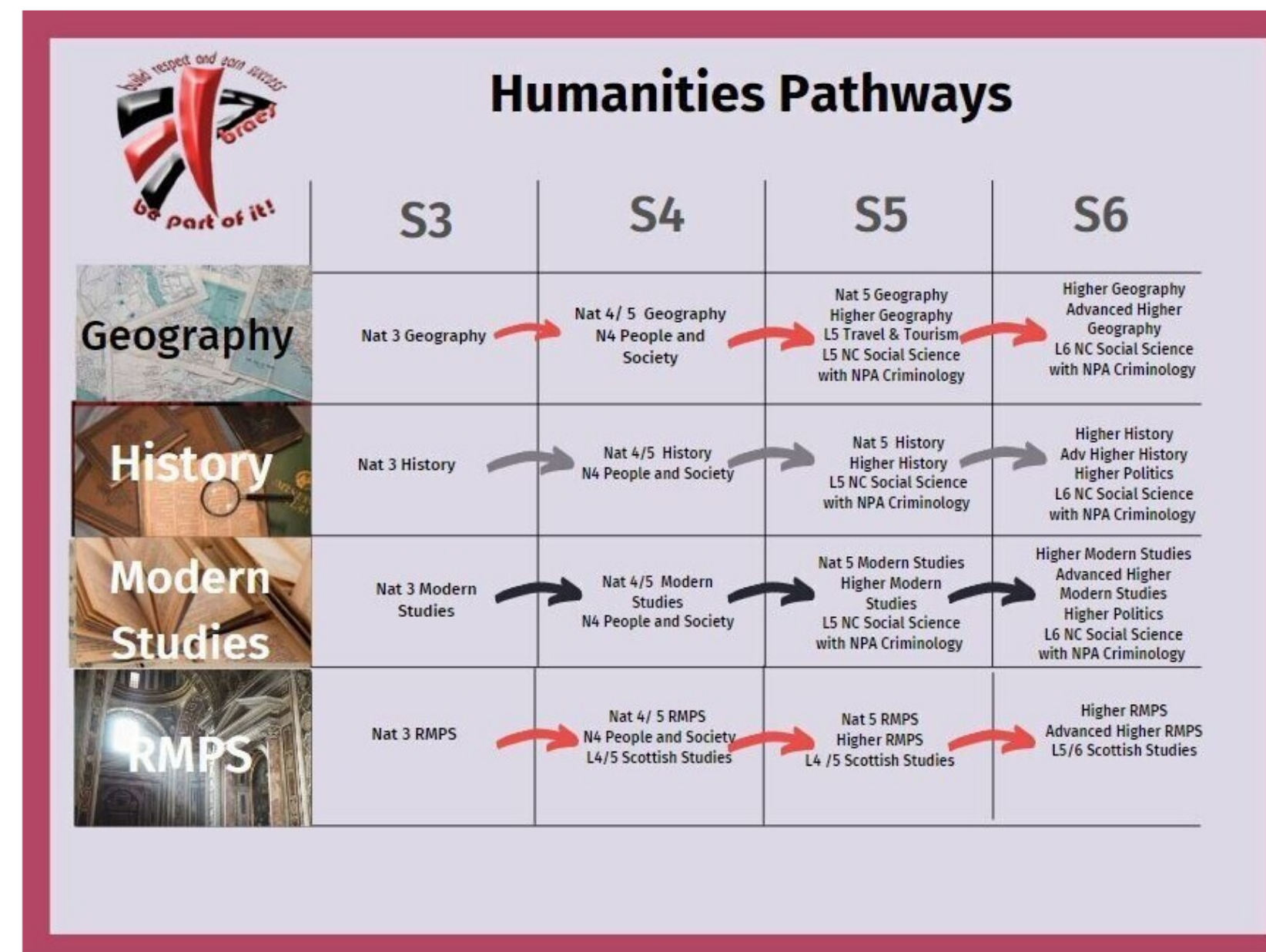
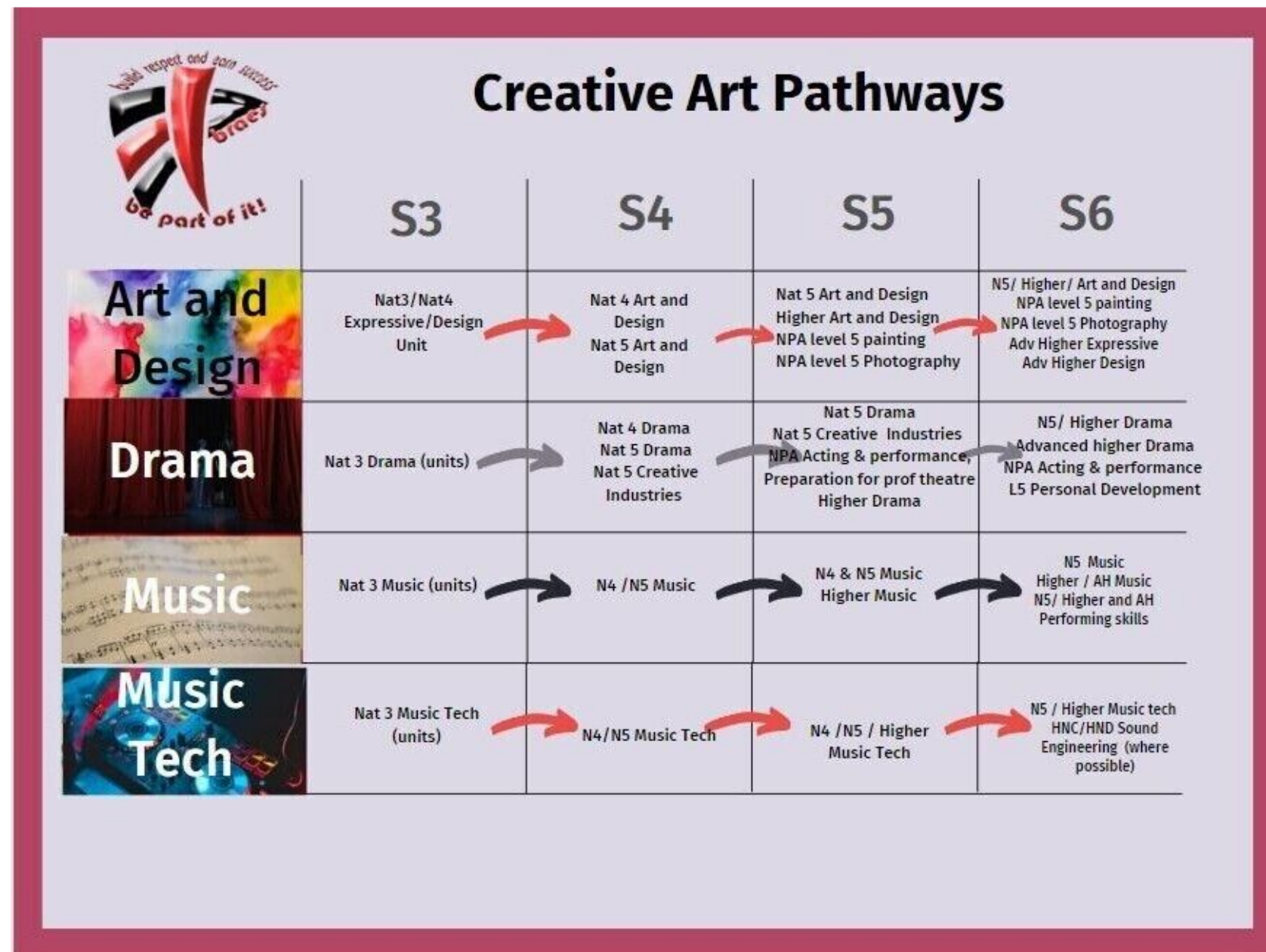


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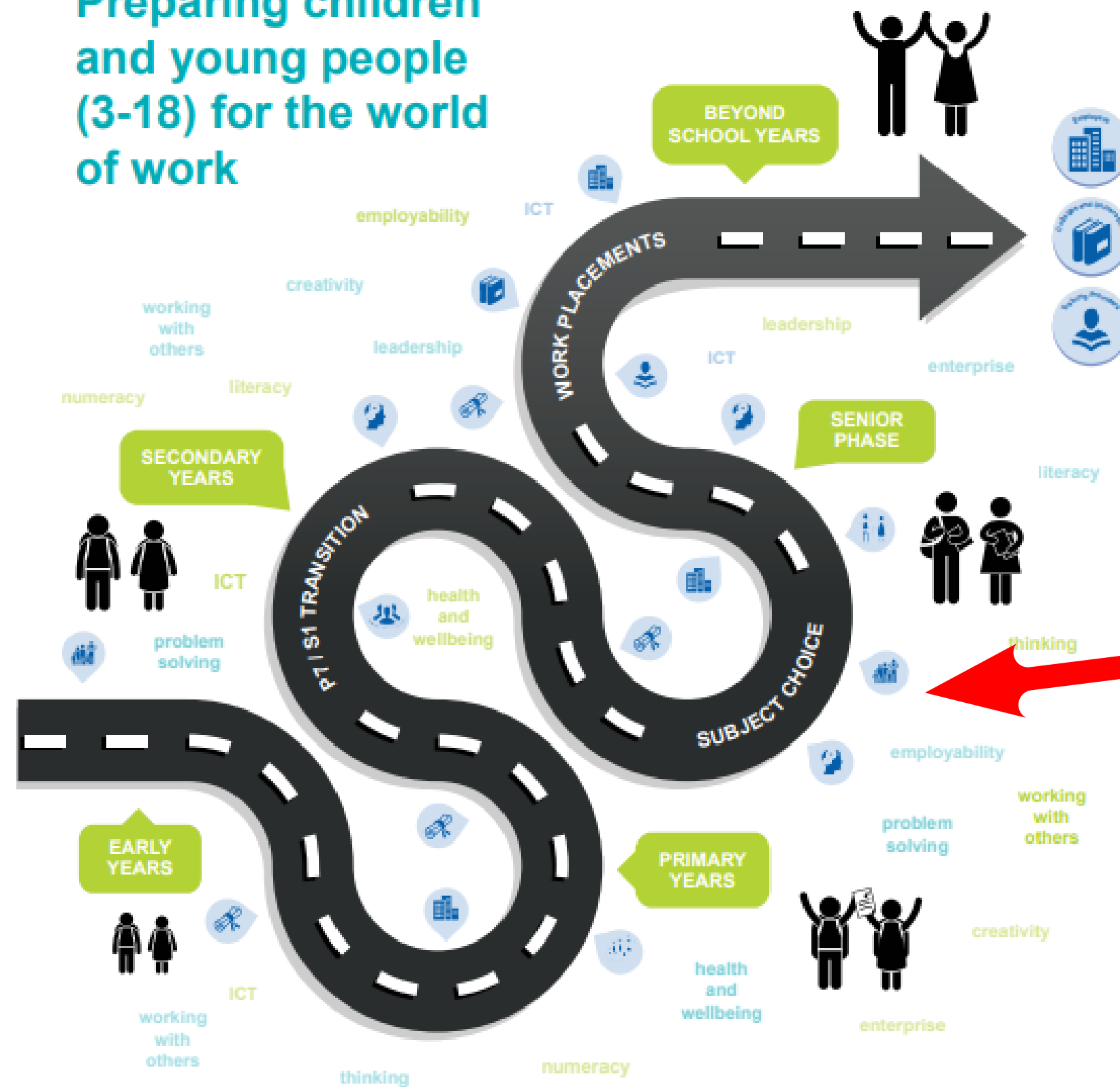
FACULTY PATHWAYS



PUPIL JOURNEY:



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



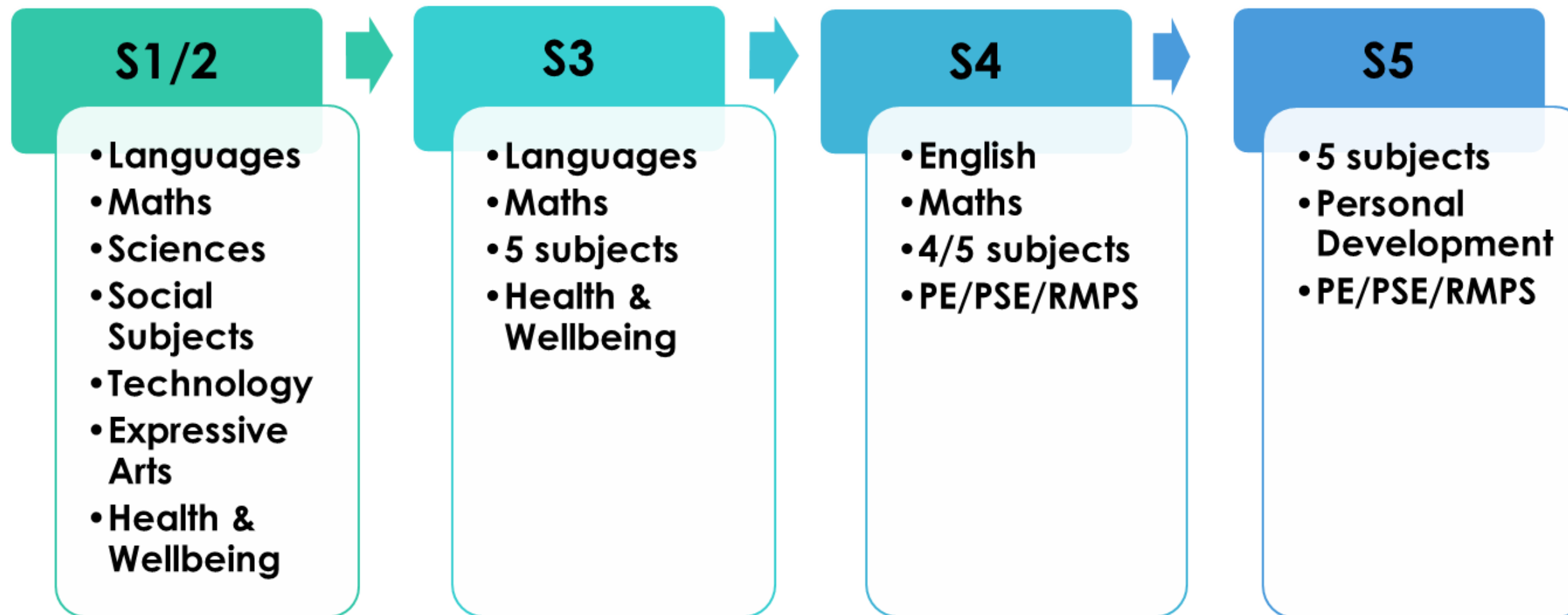
WE ARE HERE



MOVING INTO S3 & BEYOND:



BROAD, GENERAL → SENIOR PHASE





MOVING INTO - STUDYING 8 SUBJECTS



S3 –Breadth, Depth and Personalisation and Choice							
Languages		Maths	Science	Social Subjects	Technology	Creativity	H & WB
English	French/ German/ Spanish	Maths	Biology Chemistry Physics	History Geography Modern Studies RMPS Social Subjects	Computing Practical Craft Skills Graphic Communication Engineering Science Admin & IT Business Ed	Art Drama Performance Drama Design Music Performing PE Home Economics	PE – 2 per RME – 1 per PSE – 1 per
5	3	5	5 subjects chosen from across the modes – 3 periods of each				4

SUBJECT OPTIONS



Braes High School

Personalisation and Choice moving on to S3 in 2022_2023



Pupil Name: _____

Form Class: _____

In S3, all pupils will continue with the compulsory subjects noted in the table below and select a further five to study alongside them. The choices that your young person make will then form their choices for progression in S4.

Literacy	Numeracy	Modern Languages	Health and Well-Being
English (5)	Mathematics (5)	French (1) German/Spanish (2)	PE (core) (2) PSE (1) Religious Education (1)

Pupils will have free choice to select their desired five subjects which have been listed in their curricular areas. Pupils should number their subjects in order of preference from 1 – 8, with 1 being the most favoured. Whilst we will do our best to give you your first 5 choices, sometimes this is not always possible and we may need to offer you one of your other 3 choices.

THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO YOUR PASTORAL HEAD BY **18TH MARCH '22**

Creativity	Art	
	Drama Performance	
	Drama Design	
	Music Performing	
	Music Technology	
H&W	Physical Education	
	Health & Food Technology	
	Practical Cookery	
Science	Biology	
	Chemistry	
	Physics	
Social Subjects	Geography	
	History	
	Modern Studies	
	People & Society	
	RMPS	
Technologies	Admin & IT	
	Business Education	
	Computing	
	Engineering Science	
	Graphic Communication	

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Parental Signature: _____

Date: _____

Pastoral Head Signature: _____

Date: _____

WHAT SHOULD I CONSIDER?



- DO I KNOW WHAT EACH SUBJECT INVOLVES AND THE SKILLS I WILL GAIN?
- DO I KNOW HOW I WILL BE ASSESSED IN THIS COURSE?
- AM I WILLING TO COMMIT MYSELF TO THIS?
- DO MY CHOICES MATCH MY CAREER ASPIRATIONS?
- IT IS NOT ABOUT WHAT YOUR FRIENDS ARE CHOOSING.
- IT IS NOT ABOUT YOUR FAVOURITE TEACHER.
- CHALLENGE YOURSELF AND FOLLOW YOUR OWN PATH.



WHAT NEXT?



DATE	ACTIVITY
8th November 2023	S2 Course choice & careers fayre
13th November 2023	S2 Parents' evening
8th January 2023	1:1 meetings commence with SDS
February 2024	Pastoral/PSE conversations
4th March 2024	S2 Course Choice begins
15th March 2024	S2 Course Choice ends

USEFUL TOOLS...



*National Parent Forum
Nationals in a nutshell*



*My World of Work - Tips for
students & parents/carers*



ANY
questions?

