

Working with CAMHS

In November 2016 St Anthony's school and Chichester CAMHS part of the Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation trust, won the award for Outstanding Contribution to Sustainability from the Royal College of Psychiatry here, under the RCPsych Psychiatric Team of the Year category.

This award represented years of excellent partnership working with CAMHS, and has hugely benefited our pupils. This has taken learning outside of the classroom to a different level, in terms of pupils gaining a greater understanding of their mental health.

The access to therapy in school, the links with parents, and the signposting to other services in West Sussex has been a real benefit to all involved. We have seen an increase in staff awareness of anxiety in particular, and the adaptation of resources to help students attend camps, days out and after school clubs.

More information about how this project was set up and works on a daily basis can be access through St Anthony's school.

