



## Clonmacate

Rated '5 – Very Good' by the Care Inspectorate, Clonmacate is set in a semi-rural location in South Ayrshire. The service benefits from a picturesque backdrop of green fields and nature, with panoramic views of nearby towns and beaches.

Clonmacate offers a nurturing environment to children and young people from the ages of 8 to 18 years. The spacious home consists of five bedrooms, four of which are en-suite, two lounges, an open plan kitchen-diner and a large decking area, with beautiful scenic views.



### Supporting the needs of the young people

At Clonmacate, we support children and young people with trauma and adverse childhood experiences, as well as additional support needs. This includes an autistic spectrum disorder (ASD), pathological demand avoidance (PDA), social, emotional and mental health (SEMH) needs and child sexual exploitation (CSE).

Young people who have experienced failed attachment, will find sanctuary and healing within this warm and impressively furnished setting. The therapeutic surroundings close to Clonmacate, such as beaches and hill walks, also offer an engaging learning and living environment.

Clonmacate's vision is to provide a family environment, with routines and strategies in line with what works best for the children and young people. The staff ratios also reflect the needs of the young people, offering various levels of support and a 24-hour waking service.



## Providing best practice

Our staff team at Clonmacate place a strong emphasis on engaging with the children and young people, and having them identify their living situation as no ordinary care setting. We focus on possibilities rather than limitations, in order to foster empowerment and achieve positive outcomes.

**“Staff had successfully built positive relationships with the children and young people. These relationships had been maintained through significant periods of support to young people within the service.”**

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**“Young people described feeling listened to with regard to their own personal preferences and with regard to their own living spaces and rooms. Young people also confirmed they felt respected by staff.”**

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## A range of activities

Clonmacate is close to the town centre and approximately a 10-minute drive to nearby beach towns. With good travel links including trains and buses, this allows for independent travelling, if the young person's care plan allows them to do so.

Young people supported at Clonmacate have access to specialist education services provided by Radio City School, which is part of Aspris Children's Services. We also have strong links with other local mainstream and specialist external education provisions.

Clonmacate is in close proximity to a college, which can provide further learning opportunities to young people of school leaver age.

The accessibility to the local community offers considerable opportunities for social and peer engagement, and also educational and vocational opportunities. This supports children and young people with their choice of activities and hobbies.

Other activities in the local area include:

- A museum
- Arts and crafts centres
- Cinema
- Craig Tara Holiday Park
- A farm park
- Local beaches and park
- Local horse riding centres

## Contact us

For more information on Clonmacate in South Ayrshire, please contact us today.

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