



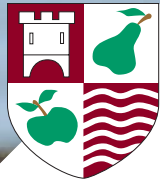
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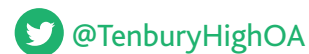
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It is my pleasure to introduce myself as Principal at Tenbury High Ormiston Academy. This academy is both special and unique and I am proud to be a part of it.

At Tenbury High, every child matters. We are a team, a family. Our motto states "high achievement outstanding care" and this is not just a statement emblazoned on the walls and letterheads; this is a statement that we live and breathe every day. Staff will take the time to get to know your child through every changing phase of their journey with us. No two children are the same and our various personalised approaches to pupil development and teaching and learning allows our provision to be tailored to suit your child – I am incredibly proud of this approach.

As a result, our pupils thrive and achieve well. They are articulate and can talk at length about their learning. We provide a variety of opportunities for our children throughout their five years with us and encourage them to make great memories that will remain with them as they grow into young adults who value and understand the importance of lifelong learning. Most importantly, our pupils are happy.

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Walking through the doors of our academy, our strengths are obvious. We value tradition but also recognise that progress and new ideas are essential for growth.

You will find pupils and staff who are willing to talk about their love of learning and the high expectations they have of themselves and others. We encourage our pupils to develop character and build resilience. Our academy is a safe place to fail, to grow and, ultimately, to achieve.

High achievement and outstanding care are key to everything we do and the opportunities that we present to pupils exemplifies our attitude towards academy life. We want our pupils to fulfil their incredible potential and we are there, right with them, every step of the way. We know them; we know when they need support, and we know when they are ready to fly.



Strong



Our strength doesn't just come from within the academy; we are part of the Ormiston Academies Trust which is a national network of academies who support and drive each other forward. We have a strong and experienced group of governors who challenge, encourage and care deeply for the academy and the people who work and learn within. Most importantly, we have our local community, with local businesses, our theatre group, local residents and of course, our parents and carers. As a wider community, everyone coming together makes this academy great. The shared vision to give the very best to our pupils represents the most meaningful community value and strength.

It's a coming together, strength in numbers, with a common goal. When our students leave us, they are ready to tackle the world. We'll encourage them to be curious, to innovate and to work hard. In return, they'll develop a lifelong love of learning and be able to follow their dreams.

We think that our young people are brilliant; they personify the strength of Tenbury High.



excellence




Pupils at Tenbury High do well. High expectations of everyone means that no child is left behind. Our young people are at the heart of what we do. Combine this with a relentless pursuit for high-quality teaching and learning and outstanding pupil behaviour and it's the perfect environment for pupils to thrive and achieve.

We prepare our pupils so they are ready for the world. Resilient, independent, curious and ambitious learners graduate with the skills and qualifications to open doors to pursue the future they want.

Our pupils enjoy school. They are happy, courteous learners, with smiles on their faces and ready to face the challenges and opportunities of the day. Caring and supportive staff bring out the best in our pupils, creating safe and supportive classrooms where academic achievement and pupil confidence is high.



A young man and woman in school uniforms are looking down at a book together outdoors. The man is on the left, and the woman is on the right. They are both wearing dark blue sweaters over white collared shirts and striped ties. The background shows green foliage and pink flowers.

Personal development, wellbeing and behaviour at Tenbury High are outstanding. We pride ourselves in putting the child first every step of the way, celebrating individualism and character. Our child centred, personalised approach supports pupils to follow their own paths, carve their own destination and pursue their dreams.

Complementing our academic provision, the extracurricular opportunities and personal development curriculum are diverse and designed to help pupils develop personally. They'll discover interests and passions, understand cultures and the importance of diversity and difference, as well as appreciating all that community and society can offer. Tenbury pupils are responsible, tolerant and compassionate citizens who contribute hugely to the life of the academy and the community we serve.



# discovery



creativity



At Tenbury, we understand the importance of a creative curriculum which is why we offer a broad range of creative subjects and opportunity across the five years our young people are with us. Creative staff plan lessons which inspire, challenge and develop pupils to think more deeply. It is often such creative opportunities that generate those special moments that are remembered for a lifetime.

Our pupils have opportunities to work alongside artists, designers and professionals in their fields and create stunning products and outcomes in the art room, workshop, kitchen and practice room. Our academy stage is where magic happens. Pupils are involved on stage and behind the scenes, the performances they put on will transport you to the life of Henry VIII and his wives in the musical SIX, Bugsy Malone's Cafe or California's Salinas Valley. Singing, dancing and busking around the site harnesses creative energy, develops new talent and allows our young people to fulfil dreams. It is in these moments that we see the children develop, blossom and grow into the young people they really can be.





determination



You can see it in their eyes, not just on this page, but every time our pupils perform. We develop that determination through a freedom to fail and an encouragement to take risks in a safe environment.

Sometimes the biggest win isn't coming first; it's showing humility, working together with teammates or bouncing back from defeat. We believe in freeing the soul and learning about resilience and aspiration. We want our young people to know what it's like to grit your teeth and go for it. The feeling of elation when you cross the line or do what seemed impossible is second-to-none and a wonderful lesson.

Determination isn't just about swimming fast, taking wickets or jumping high; it's about trying hard and this attitude is mirrored in the classroom.

Whether a student is sitting down to an exam, preparing to speak in front of their peers or taking a breath before they attempt a long jump, we are with them. We believe in them. They believe in themselves.



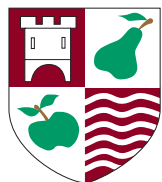
Support



Sometimes all that is needed is a nod of encouragement. At other times, pupils need more support. We understand that caring and supportive staff bring out the very best in our pupils.

On a practical level, our pastoral system, small class sizes and the ethos of inclusion and collaboration create friendly and compassionate pupils. But, sometimes it's about knowing each and every child, recognising that something is wrong and being able to work out any problem with them. We're an extension of your family; we'll ride the highs with you and be there when things may not be so good. We'll talk and we'll work hard to build the trust needed to keep moving forward.

Above all, our pupils know that there is a team of professionals, along with their family, behind them at every step of their journey to excellence. We all work together with one aim in mind which is to ensure every child is given the tools and support to be the best they can be.



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