



TRENTHAM
ACADEMY

Aspire | Endeavour | Achieve

Welcome from THE HEAD

It is both a great privilege and a huge responsibility to provide our students with the best possible preparation for ultimate success in a rapidly evolving global society. Academy life at Trentham is built around the needs of our students.

I am determined that Trentham delivers an outstanding, innovative education where every child is respected as an individual. Through a 'can do' culture of success, we set the highest expectations for all our students, with drive and determination for each individual. Our ethos reflects the belief that excellence in educational achievement comes from developing the whole person. At the core of our community are the values of respect, optimism, integrity and responsibility.

We have an outstanding team of staff who work tirelessly to challenge every child to *Aspire, Endeavour and Achieve*, which for our community means, they should dream big, work hard and persevere to be successful. This is showcased by our many successes in the field of sport and the arts, as well as academic success.

We are a truly inclusive academy, that cares deeply about our community, so that students feel safe, happy, confident, inspired to learn and achieve academically.

We value the trust and respect that the local community have in our approach and we are committed to building strong partnerships to help support, sustain and develop that community to provide outstanding opportunities for all our students, parents and carers so that their aspirations have no limits.

Trentham Academy is an exciting place to learn and explore, especially as we are an Apple Academy where technology is used to stimulate education beyond the academy boundaries. I am sure when you visit our academy you will see why we are such a success.

M. Whittingham

Headteacher

Trentham Academy is the highest performing
non-selective school in Stoke-on-Trent





**Dream BIG,
work HARD, PERSEVERE
and be SUCCESSFUL**

ASPIRE





'The teachers at Trentham Academy are fantastic because they help you in their own time and nothing is ever too much trouble' (Sana Y11)

A lifelong love of **LEARNING**

All students achieve academic success and leave the academy as fully-rounded individuals, ready to take the next step in their education. Through a broad curriculum, educational visits and enrichment activities, students will develop a deep understanding, resilience and the independent learning skills they will need for life.

*'I performed in the musical
and it was hard work but
so much fun! I had the
opportunity to act, dance
and sing which I love!'*

(Gabriella Y8)

Our Mission AND VALUES

At Trentham Academy we are proud of our diverse community, where every individual is valued.



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*At Trentham Academy,
aspiration is limitless.*



“Students are proud of their academy; are smart, polite and happy.”



'The House system is very good and gives us the opportunity to be involved in different challenges' (Emma Y8)

A sense of TRADITION

Trentham Academy is divided into five houses - Centaur, Dragon, Griffin, Phoenix and Salamander. Each house is led by a Progress Leader, supported by a Progress Coach; these two staff are

key in ensuring that students receive the support they need to thrive. As well as being a supportive 'family' group, the house is also important in fostering competitive spirit.

Advanced TECHNOLOGY

'Because we are an 'Apple' Academy, all students have iPads that are fully integrated into lessons. This is a fantastic resource as we are now very confident in using technology.'

(Armaan Y11)



Trentham Academy is an 'Apple' regional training centre supporting and leading on technological innovations across schools in the area.

We are a technology-rich environment that supports learning goals and inspires student creativity, collaboration and critical thinking. This technology cultivates an environment

in which students are excited and curious about learning. Our virtual learning platform 'Firefly' seamlessly integrates learning in and outside of the classroom.



ENDDEAVOUR



"The questioning of students by their teachers is strong and they use this skill to good effect, challenging learners to think more deeply and critically." (OFSTED)



'Teachers are always willing to help; they go above and beyond to ensure that all students achieve their maximum potential' (Charlotte Y9)



Junior LEADERSHIP TEAM

'We are ambassadors for the academy and our role is to act as a link between the students in our house, the Junior Leadership Team, the Senior Leadership Team and the Governors of Trentham Academy. As members of the Junior Leadership Team we have a special role in making sure that all students in our school have a voice and opportunities to evaluate and develop Trentham, so that it continues to grow.'

Extra CURRICULAR

We offer a wide range of extra-curricular activities, giving numerous opportunities for leadership, teamwork and competition. We have a number of highly successful teams across a range of sports, a strong tradition of music performance and a range of clubs to suit all interests. Our staff give freely of their time and are excellent role models.

'I was really nervous in Year 7 but I have made many friends through attending extra-curricular activities' (Phoebe Y8)





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