



The Orme Academy

EMPOWERING LEARNERS FOR LIFE

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We believe, you achieve



We welcome prospective parents / carers to our Academy.
If you would like to see what The Orme Academy has to offer,
please do not hesitate to contact us on **01782 742 900**
or **office@toa.shaw-education.org.uk**.

Welcome to Our Academy

I am extremely proud and privileged to be the Principal of The Orme Academy and the community that it serves.

Our sole ethos for the school community is '**Empowering Learners for Life**'. Whilst we are committed to ensuring that every student makes excellent progress, this concept stretches well beyond academic performance. We firmly believe that every aspect of school should equip learners to be successful in all areas of their lives, both now and for their future. Indeed, every single decision or action taken improves the life chances of all our learners. This is underpinned by ensuring the Academy is a safe, nurturing and happy environment: put simply, The Orme Academy is a great place to learn and a great place to work.

We have relentlessly high expectations of those associated with the Academy; we expect everyone to be their very best at all times. We have extremely high standards and aspirations for our staff and students which are reflected throughout the Academy and we expect all who are associated with the Academy to reflect these too.

As a parent myself, I understand that choosing a secondary school can be a difficult decision, therefore I encourage prospective parents and their children to come and see what The Orme Academy can offer and why we are an excellent choice for secondary education.



Mr Mark Boughey
Principal

The Shaw Education Trust

About our Trust

We are a growing, dynamic group of academies who deliver high-quality education provision across all ages and abilities. We are proud to work in collaboration with over 26 academies, 4 teaching schools and 1 research school, stretching from Birmingham to Greater Manchester, promoting inclusivity in our provision, policies and procedures in order to secure the best outcomes for our pupils.



Message from the CEO

We are delighted that The Orme Academy is an integral member of our family of schools.

As a Trust we work with leaders, staff and students to deliver awesome outcomes for young people; outcomes which open the doors to a world of opportunity. We support students to aspire to the highest ambitions, and improve their life chances by enabling every individual's greatest possible success.

Together we are stronger and capable of incredible things.

We are very proud of the journey the Academy has taken to date and we are wholeheartedly determined that the best is yet to come.






Jo Morgan
CEO Shaw Education Trust



Trust Values

Our shared values are fundamental in everything we do. We have the highest ambitions for, and expectations of, our pupils and staff in all aspects of school life and we work hard to develop these qualities throughout our family network.

We believe that all children should be given the opportunity to be successful and reach their full potential, whatever their starting point; therefore, we continuously strive to:

-  **Be pupil and people centred**
-  **Act with integrity**
-  **Be innovative**
-  **Be best-in-class**
-  **Be accountable**

About our Institute of Education

Within our umbrella of provision, we offer a range of school-to-school support and staff development opportunities through our Institute of Education, including:

- Blackfriars Teaching School Alliance
- Keele and North Staffordshire Teacher Education
- St Andrew's Teaching School
- St Martins Teaching School

To find out more about our Trust's provision and career opportunities, visit our website at:
www.shaw-education.org.uk





Expert teachers deliver an array of subjects and lay the building blocks for future success. The curriculum is enriched at every opportunity.

Our Curriculum

The curriculum at The Orme Academy is broad and balanced and encapsulates the ethos of Empowering Learners for Life through our ACE values: **Aspiration**, **Challenge** and **Enjoyment**.

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- Creates opportunities for students to gain key subject knowledge, hone transferable skills and learn how to be successful.
- Provides an exciting range of opportunities and experiences to inspire students to succeed in the next stage of their learning journey.

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- Cultivates strength of character and resilience that will help students to make well informed choices and overcome the challenges they are likely to encounter in life.
- Affords opportunities for all students to develop a high level of literacy and numeracy required for success in the wider curriculum and in adult life.
- Enables high standards of academic achievement where outcomes empower students to progress into higher education, apprenticeships and ultimately, the world of work.

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- Broadens students' perspectives and promotes their sense of moral and social responsibility through a range of spiritual and cultural opportunities.
- Ensures that all students are safe and understand how to stay safe.
- Provides a broad and balanced curriculum that is comprehensive, inclusive and accessible to all students.



Academic Excellence

Here at The Orme Academy we have a keen focus on academic performance. We have strong links with a number of high quality local providers for those students looking to move onto A-levels and University programmes.

Our careers curriculum throughout all year groups, supports students to consider their opportunities and develop their aspiration for further academic study and success.

This is supported by state of the art equipment, well equipped classrooms and ever increasing ICT facilities.





Exceptional teaching in dedicated specialist classrooms provides the environment for academic excellence.

Enrichment for All

The **'Empowering Learners for Life'** ethos means that The Orme Academy looks for every opportunity to enrich everyone's experiences. We believe that education is so much more than purely the taught subjects.

We go well beyond what is expected. Our specifically extended curriculum time ensures dedicated lessons in PSHE, careers and enrichment. All students and staff access enrichment lessons each week during curriculum time so that can experience a wide range of activities and learning opportunities which extend into the community.


Learners are guided in all year groups to focus on their futures through our high-quality careers program.

Local businesses are used to support the careers programme and subject curriculum areas.



Our students are always well supported both academically and pastorally, but we believe that Personal, Social and Health Education is of paramount importance for our students and this is delivered through bespoke curriculum time.

Beyond dedicated enrichment curriculum time, The Orme Academy offers a diverse and wide range of additional visits and clubs, such as sports, the Arts, robotics to name a few. Student leadership empowers learners to impact on their community whilst developing their own personal skills and this is an opportunity given to all at The Orme Academy.



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Pastoral Care

Our '**Empowering Learners for Life**' ethos recognises that effective pastoral support and care is essential to ensure our students are happy and well looked after.

Dedicated pastoral and support staff ensure that the learning, emotional and behavioural needs of all students are effectively met. We have extremely high standards and expectations of all, and we work with students and their families to ensure that everyone can succeed and strive to reach their ambitions and be the best that they can be.












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For a tour of the Academy, please contact us at The Orme Academy directly, using the details below.



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