

The Charter Way

Our Vision

The Charter School was founded in 2000 with the clear commitment to become an exceptional school that transforms the life chances of the young people of our diverse local community. This commitment still underpins everything we do.

We believe that all our young people have the potential to achieve in school and succeed in life. We are committed to our pursuit of the highest standards possible in education and we are united in our determination that all students will excel regardless of their starting points or personal circumstances.

We want all our students to flourish and to become creative, confident and caring citizens who are happy in themselves, excited about learning, and ambitious for success. They will leave us ready to participate fully in our democratic society and prepared to face the challenges and opportunities of the 21st century.

To make this happen we will continue to:

- Develop further as an inclusive and happy family school founded on caring relationships with every child
- Provide an exceptional academic education, supported by wide-ranging and exceptional sporting, cultural and artistic activities
- Always go 'the extra mile' to enable all students to achieve above and beyond their perceived potential
- Nurture in ourselves a love of learning and belief in growth mindset
- Build a disciplined community based on personal and social responsibility.

Our Values

1. Excellence	2. Responsibility	3. Community	4. Respect	5. Perseverance
<i>Our students are committed to being the best that they can be in everything that they do and they strive to exceed all expectations inside and outside the classroom.</i>	<i>Our students take responsibility for their own learning and behaviour, and they demonstrate leadership in their conduct inside and outside school.</i>	<i>Our students care for each other, participate fully in the life of the school, and work together as a team to change our school, local and global communities for the better.</i>	<i>Our students show respect for themselves, for others and for the school environment. They promote equality and inclusion, and value diversity and difference.</i>	<i>Our students know that effort and hard work are the keys to success and they keep trying even when they find things difficult. They love challenges, are resilient, and maintain a growth mindset at all times.</i>

Our Goal

We will enable all students to develop the knowledge, skills and character so that they can be happy in life, and be successful in higher education or the inspiring career pathway of their choice.