

# Tudor Grange Academy Redditch

## Inspiring the next generation of learners



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## Prospective year 7 open evening

### 8th September 2015, 5.30-8 p.m.



**This is an exciting time for the Academy because, from September, we will take students into year 7 and then year 8 from 2017. Together these years will be referred to as the lower school.**

**“We seek to nurture leadership, promote confidence and a sense of citizenship”**

### Pastoral care

The lower school will be incorporated into our college structure and vertical tutor system. The tutor assigned, will remain with the same group of students through both their lower school and upper school years within the Academy. This is a key feature in our strong pastoral system providing continuity for students and parents alike.

The tutor will act as champion and mentor, offering encouragement and support. This will promote students confidence and helps lead, amongst other things, to success. We welcome close parental involvement and participation.



Indeed, the on-going dialogue between a tutor, pupils and their parents is of great importance.

**“At Tudor Grange we believe that learning should be exciting”**

### Enrichment

The Academy nurtures leadership and, as such, the Lower School will be encouraged to take up leadership opportunities such as form captain and team captains. Our senior students in the 6th Form and upper school also act as mentors.

Our College system, of which the Lower School will be a part, is an outstanding feature of the Academy. It is centred on a promotion of identity, pride and, above all else, a sense of belonging.

Students are exposed to a wide range of creative learning through exposure to our art, design and technologies department, together with new opportunities and experiences through our Skills Action

Service programme (SAS). We believe that it is essential to ensure the rounded development of our students and support achievement across all areas of the curriculum.

### Curriculum

Students in the Lower School will follow an imaginative Curriculum, delivered by specialist teachers familiar with

all aspects of GCSE and A level learning.

We will seek to instil a love of learning that the students will take with them as they progress through the Academy.

The curriculum will allow choice and a breadth of opportunity. Students will be encouraged to explore their own talents and interests.

Numeracy, literacy and problem solving underpin the curriculum core elements of English, mathematics and the sciences which are balanced with humanities subjects and modern languages.

**“We seek to instil academic rigour and develop a love of learning”.**



**Open morning**  
9th September  
9am until  
12 noon

We want our students to explore ideas. An emphasis, therefore, will be placed on discussion, debate and active learning through exposure to project based learning. Whilst it is important that the students study individual disciplines, we also want them to make links, draw parallels and understand a wider perspective.