

INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS



**THE
HESSE
ACADEMY**



**THE CONSORTIUM
ACADEMY TRUST**



A WELCOME FROM THE HEADTEACHER



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in joining The Hessle Academy. We are one of only 170 all-through schools in the country providing education and support for learners aged 3-19. The Academy comprises Hessle High School and Sixth Form College and Peshurst Primary School.

The Hessle Academy is a member of The Consortium Academy Trust. The Trust supports almost 8,000 children and young people aged 3 to 18, working to ensure an excellent education and learning

experience is provided for each and every child and young person. The Academy, located in the East Riding of Yorkshire, primarily serves the East Riding town of Hessle and some parts of West Hull. Smaller groups of learners are drawn into the secondary phase from the neighbouring small towns and villages of East Yorkshire as well as from Barton, in North Lincolnshire. Proximity to the M62 ensures easy access to the motorway network and other major cities in Yorkshire and beyond.

The Hessle Academy is a good and ambitious school. This was recognised by Ofsted in our most recent inspection in September 2018, when the achievement of learners, quality of teaching, behaviour and personal development of learners, leadership and management were all judged to be good. In recent years, outcomes for learners have been consistently above average in terms of attainment and the school is a disciplined and well-organised environment. We have high standards of school dress and have clear expectations on punctuality,

attendance, and behaviour. Our learners are positive and respond well in all aspects of school life.

The school is a hub of learning with enthusiastic and engaged children who demonstrate a real passion for both work and play.

Penshurst Primary is a very popular, larger-than-average school with two or three teaching groups in each year. The school also offers a nursery which is equally popular with parents. The school occupies a traditional yet extremely attractive series of buildings which are at the heart of the local community set in extensive grounds

Historically, Hessle High School was a split-site school, however, in 2016 we took possession of our new single site school. Staff and students alike are now enjoying the benefits of high-quality accommodation, equipped with the latest technology and specialist facilities that are among the best in the region. Hessle High School and Sixth Form College is set in attractive grounds, located on Heads Lane, with excellent views down the River Humber and across the spectacular Humber Bridge.

The Sixth Form College is focussed on providing high quality teaching and care to secure the best achievement and outcomes for all. Students are able to study at Hessle as well as having the option to study subjects at one of the other Consortium Sixth Form campuses.

The Sixth Form is based in the historic Tranby House, a Grade II listed building that was fully refurbished and brought

back to its former splendour in our recent renovation. Tranby House now comprises a Sixth Form social area and catering facilities as well as extensive study facilities. Sixth Form students play a full role in the life of the school, but equally will continue to enjoy the advantages of this dedicated provision.

The teaching staff are extremely dedicated to maximising the potential of the children in their care. Most have worked at the school for many years and have sent their own children to the Academy. The atmosphere is supportive and friendly, many visitors and staff often remark that 'it feels like an extended family'.

The Academy prides itself on the wide range of extra-curricular opportunities offered to our learners. Annually, learners take part in over 300 teams, clubs, and events.

The Hessle Academy enjoys an excellent reputation amongst the local community and is a popular choice amongst parents. During our most recent Ofsted inspection, a response to the Parent Survey commented that;

“All the staff from the Headteacher to the Caretaker seem to genuinely care for the children from a pastoral care and academic point of view”.

Best wishes,

Mr V Groak – Headteacher



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Vision Statement

Mission Statement:

“ *Everyone can achieve the extraordinary.* ”



Respect

We respect ourselves; we respect each other; we respect our diverse community and our environment.



Resilience

We are determined, we do not give up when things get tough. We persevere. We know that learning is often hard but we know that it will be worth it.



Aspiration

We aim high; we have ambitious expectations of ourselves and others. We believe that we can make a difference to our local community.



Responsibility

We take responsibility for our own actions; equally, we are not blamed when we make mistakes. We see mistakes as an opportunity to do it better next time.



Integrity

We do the right thing. We are honest with each other and ourselves. We are comfortable in ourselves and proud of our values.



Kindness

We treat each other with kindness, courtesy and have good manners.