



QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PROSPECTUS

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Welcome

I am proud and privileged to be the headteacher of such a successful and supportive educational community with a long-standing and fantastic heritage. Our vision is 'we care, therefore we **QUESTION**, we **EXPLORE**, we **GIVE** and as a result, we **SUCCEED**'.

At QEGS, we value education in the broadest sense; with sport, the arts, enterprise, performance, employability skills, competition, cultural school visits and many other amazing opportunities taking equal standing with academic success. At QEGS, our goal is to prepare students for life beyond school, for QEGS students to be employable, to be life-long learners and to be happy and successful in life. We offer a broad and balanced curriculum, more information can be found on our website.

We believe that for students to achieve their best academically, their education should be enriching and well balanced to ensure they are mentally and physically ready for the academic challenges they will face. Enabling our students to be the best they can possibly be is our duty and privilege.



Mr S Garrity
Headteacher



Proud to be part of QEGSMAT

QEGSMAT is an Education Trust which was set up to enable schools and academies, already determined to deliver the best possible education, to improve even further. By bringing skills, experience and diversity, we encourage each school to keep its own identity, partnerships and traditions.

Our aim is to ensure that every young person aspires to a great future and achieves their absolute potential, so that they are not only prepared academically, but also inspired socially and culturally for the successful future they deserve. Our Trust is based on the combination of traditional values such as respect, responsibility, participation, hard work and smart appearance, together with innovation, creativity and critical thinking, in relation to high quality teaching and learning.

We set very high aspirations for our staff and students and are ambitious and excited about the future.



If you are interested in learning more about QEGS, we are always happy to offer guided tours and taster days. Give us a call on 01335 343 685 or email admissions@qegs.email

www.queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk

All students are given the opportunity to question who they are and who they want to be; to question their understanding and their actions. They learn how to question in a considered way, and then to listen to the response.

**Students
are proud
of their
school, and
enthusiastic
about their
learning.**

- Ofsted



QUESTION



EXPLORE



We give students opportunities and experiences, both in and beyond the classroom, educating the whole child and offering them the chance for individual development. We have high expectations and ask students to explore every opportunity afforded them, looking for new ways to accomplish their goals, examining others' values and beliefs, and exploring the world around them.

“ Students conduct in lessons is of a very high standard. ”
- Ofsted



Our school has a great and extensive history, as it was founded in 1585. We have put all the details onto our website for those who are interested in our traditions and heritage. At Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School our staff and students are expected to give their very best in all that they do; they give their time and experience to help others, always giving equal respect to all.

“There are so many co-curricular opportunities to develop my confidence and self-esteem.”

- Year 9 Student



SUCCEED

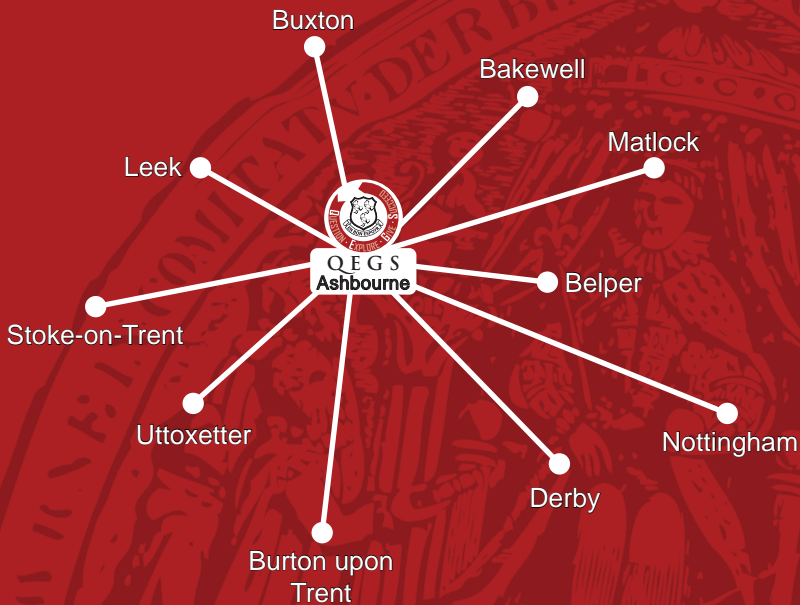


We are a successful school. Success is celebrated and promoted with all members in our community. We want all of our students to succeed – individually and as part of a team – to be courageous and to succeed with good spirit and humility, developing resilience and character to succeed, even if at first they fail.

“ I can’t thank QEGS enough for the help they have given my son. I’m proud to say he attends QEGS. ”

- Parent





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