



Highworth Warneford School Core Values

Highworth Warneford School is a friendly, welcoming and caring environment. We believe that people achieve more when they feel happy, secure and valued. Our philosophy is to educate the whole person; we want students to enjoy their learning and we have high expectations for their academic, creative and social progress. Team spirit is very much part of the ethos here and there is high expectations of all staff, students and parents to work cooperatively, to make a positive contribution to the life of the school and to give their best.

The school's vision is based on five clear principles:

Excellence

We want students to aim for excellence in everything they do; academic merit is important but this also means excellence in other aspects of their lives.

Aspiration

Students need to understand that they are capable of amazing things and not settle for just enough; there is a world of opportunity waiting for them.

Challenge

We want to develop resilient students who understand that failure often leads to success – taking the easy option is not what we are looking for.

Values

We want students to be independent, confident, empathetic, curious, resourceful, moral and enterprising learners and citizens.

Community

The school is part of a much larger community – local, national and international; our staff and students need to recognise and engage with this.

There is a focused commitment on Teaching and Learning, which involves the whole school community. We are reflective and adaptive in our practice. This is a safe place to make mistakes and we are happy to try out new ideas, because we want to ensure that every student succeeds.