

BRAMHALLHIGH SCHOOL

THE PREFERRED CHOICE



WELCOME FROM THE HEADTEACHER

I am extremely honoured to welcome you to Bramhall High School.

We are a thriving, high-performing, and successful school where students develop into the absolute best version of themselves. This prospectus highlights what makes us such a vibrant, happy and special place to learn and makes us the 'preferred choice' for so many parents.

We are ambitious for all our students and recognise that everyone is unique and has particular strengths and talents. We want students to be successfully engaged in their learning and have an entitlement to learn in a safe, stimulating, inclusive environment supported by highly knowledgeable, committed and motivated staff.

This ambition, combined with our commitment to the performing arts, sport, and a wealth of extra-curricular experiences, ensures that all our students are fully supported and challenged to achieve their unique potential.

I am proud of the school's achievements and am confident about our future success. I hope you will take the opportunity to visit the school and see for yourself the quality of education we can offer your child.

Mr Paul Williams

OUR VISION

Our vision is simple, Every Student will achieve exceptionally well in Every Subject they study to secure Every Grade possible. Students will be encouraged to cherish Every Hope they have, Every Dream they

pursue and **Every Aspiration** they consider along the way.

We provide the perfect balance and blend of academic challenge, personal care and enrichment that allows for the holistic development of each child. As a result, students make outstanding progress, leaving us as creative, talented and rounded individuals.

OUR CORE VALUES

Bramhall High School's focus is on ensuring that all pupils from all backgrounds and abilities make the best progress possible and can leave us with strong academic qualifications and a strong 'moral compass'. We live and breathe our values of Respect, Resilience and Excellence.

They ensure our students leave Bramhall High with a high level of knowledge, and a vast expanse of skills and develop into well-rounded citizens who are well prepared for their next steps in life.

RESPECT

RESILIENCE

EXCELLENCE

Bramhall has been fantastic for my son. Having achieved some amazing GCSE results, Toby has just finished his 'A' Levels. He has now been offered a degree apprenticeship in a highly competitive field at PWC. A huge thanks to all his former teachers!

WHY BRAMHALL HIGH SCHOOL?

Choosing a secondary school for your child is one of the most important decisions you will make regarding their future.

At Bramhall we want our students to thrive and enjoy high quality and purposeful learning in a calm and professional environment.

Our outstanding and dedicated specialist staff aim to give our students the best possible education and provide them with a wide range

of experiences and opportunities to help them grow socially, emotionally and spiritually.

Our goal is not just to educate our students so they can pass their exams but to help them become well-rounded, happy, responsible, kind, resilient young adults who make a valuable contribution to society.

We would encourage prospective parents to visit our school and experience what makes Bramhall the preferred choice for high achieving and happy students.

PARENT

OUR CURRICULUM

The curriculum is the backbone to our success at Bramhall High School.

It is designed to reflect our commitment to providing a high-quality academic provision, underpinned by our vision and values.

We provide education that secures the best achievable qualifications. We firmly believe that the value of our curriculum goes beyond purely what is examinable. The curriculum is broad and balanced, recognises national guidelines and fulfils the requirements of the National Curriculum and beyond.

We want our students to become confident, independent learners

well-equipped for lifelong learning. It is our intention to lay secure foundations for progression into Post 16.

Lessons are taught by highly qualified and motivated staff who are experts and passionate about their subject.

OUTCOMES

All students at Bramhall are challenged through our ambitious curriculum.

This vision has allowed our students to consistently perform well academically in public examinations whilst supporting them in pursuing their interests. Our relentless focus on learning ensures that students have the resilience.

knowledge and confidence to perform well consistently.

Our focus on academic achievement is supported by a knowledgeable staff who understand their students and offer guidance and challenge to help them achieve excellent outcomes consistently. Our school community is immensely proud of the fantastic academic successes we accomplish each year. My child came to secondary school with some apprehension and anxieties. The Form Tutor and Head of Year were so supportive. He has settled down so well and thoroughly enjoys coming to school. He has made so many new friends!

PARENT

I just wanted to say a massive thank you to the Pastoral Team for the support that you have given my son on his year 7 journey.

He has had his ups and downs but has grown and settled in so well.

PARENT

OUR EXPECTATIONS

At Bramhall High School our climate is positive. We have a culture where learning comes first, and achievement and effort receive praise and reward. We challenge all individuals to do their best. This culture is based on Respect, Resilience and Excellence.

As a Restorative Approach school, we wish to ensure that:

- Students who make the right choices about their behaviour and learning are rewarded.
- Students who make the wrong choices about behaviour and learning are dealt with in a way that enables them to repair and rebuild relationships.

Behaviour is primarily the responsibility of the individual. However, consequences will result from the choices that a student makes.

We believe that responsibility for behaviour forms a part of our partnership between students, parents/carers, and Bramhall staff. At the core of this partnership is the importance of learning.

Each of the partners must share the responsibility to ensure that learning is not disrupted due to inappropriate behaviour. Therefore, we ask all members of our community to commit to our Home-School agreement as they embark on their journey with us here at Bramhall.

HOME-SCHOOL RELATIONSHIPS

Our students' pastoral care and wellbeing is a responsibility we take very seriously.

We place great store on creating and maintaining the right relationships between students, staff, and parents. We have a highly skilled and dedicated welfare and pastoral support team who are fully committed to the wellbeing of every student.

Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of students is the responsibility of every adult in our school.

We want our families to be fully engaged so we would invite you to contact us if you ever have any concerns you wish to discuss.

Working together in partnership with parents provides us with the best platform to ensure every student feels supported and happy during their time with us at Bramhall.

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

One of the foundations for success at Bramhall is our unwavering commitment to high-quality learning and teaching.

Students learn best when they feel happy, safe and supported. We believe that providing students with the right learning environment and resources gives them the best opportunity to fulfil their potential.

We are tremendously proud of our school and the specialist facilities we can offer our students.

All students are treated as individuals at Bramhall and are

provided with their very own bespoke learning pathway, which is supported throughout their learning journey.

Just wanted to thank the staff of the wonderful Design and Technology Department. My daughter is now studying Graphic Design at Loughborough University. PARFNT

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ACCELERATED LEARNING HUB

Our Special Educational Needs department is known as The Accelerated Learning Hub.

It is staffed by highly skilled and experienced colleagues with specialist training to support the students' individual needs.

Within the hub, students receive the support they need, allowing them the space to develop and thrive.
As an inclusive school, we aim to

integrate our hub students into mainstream schooling as much as possible and provide them with a comprehensive support plan.

Such an extensive package ensures we can offer students access to a range of professionals, including educational psychologists, speech and language therapists and occupational therapists.

If you have any specific questions about our Accelerated Learning Hub please email our team on: alh@bramhallhigh.stockport.sch.uk

We initially chose another local school.

However, my daughters both came to a special music transition event and begged me to let them attend Bramhall High School.

After that, we never looked back, and I am glad we made the change!

PARENT

ENRICHMENT

Our high-quality and wide ranging extra-curricular programme makes Bramhall High School the 'preferred choice' for many parents

Bramhall has an unrivalled reputation both locally and nationally for its excellence in Sports/PE and the Performing Arts. We strongly believe this commitment to developing the whole child is

fundamental to helping achieve excellence in the classroom.

Activities and clubs are designed to nurture each student's wide range of interests, skills and aspirations. We encourage all students to take part. Being a member of our extracurricular programme gives students opportunities to represent the school in various forums, at school, local, national and international levels.

EXPLORING BEYOND BRAMHALL

Over the years, Bramhall High School has gained an outstanding reputation.

We offer our students the chance to see the world and enrich their learning in a way that cannot be matched in the classroom. Such provision is not generally experienced in state education and relies on our staff's hard work, goodwill and dedication.

We are committed to ensuring that our students' education is as rounded as possible. To this end, we provide students with exciting opportunities and experiences as part of our extensive educational visits programme.

STARTING YOUR BRAMHALL JOURNEY

Moving to secondary school can be quite a daunting experience for students and their families.

We aim to make this transition as seamless as possible with our bespoke induction and transition programme, which begins with taster days in years 5 and 6 and continues until they join us in September.

Members of our transition team are in close contact with colleagues from primary schools to ensure that every child is supported in their transition to secondary school.

If you have any questions about our transition programme, please email our transition team: admissions@ bramhallhigh.stockport.sch.uk

Many thanks to all the staff who gave up their half term to take our daughter skiing this February. She has not stopped talking about it since she came home, and I am sure she has made some lifelong memories.

PARENT



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