

Cedar Mount's vision and mission



At Cedar Mount Academy, our motto is **'Growing Success and Achievement'** – this means that everything we do is focused on ensuring your child has every chance to achieve their full potential. At whatever stage of development your child joins us, they will have every opportunity to become a successful, well rounded and confident young person and no child will be left behind.

The secret of our success in helping our students to develop is the sense of community that everyone feels within Cedar Mount. Everyone is made to feel welcome - students, parents and staff are all equally part of this community, and we work together to share and uphold the same high values and standards.

We only want the absolute best for our students and, in order for them to achieve success and excellence, we have clear aims that inform everything we do:

- To be inclusive to all and provide all students with a safe and happy learning environment, where all cultures and backgrounds are respected and understood
- To recognise that going to a secondary academy is a big step and to put measures in place to ensure a smooth transition between leaving primary school and joining Cedar Mount
- To encourage our students to acquire the knowledge, skills and experience to enable them to achieve their full potential
- To find, encourage and nurture each student's ambition and talent by developing a learning programme that is geared around their individual needs
- To offer the best possible learning environment, facilities and technologies
- To provide the best staff and extensive support to make learning effective and enjoyable



What's different about Cedar Mount Academy?

- Cedar Mount Academy is part of the Bright Futures Educational Trust.
 - Education standards have consistently improved over the last five years – our focus is always on helping our students reach their full potential.
 - We are based in the £27 million, highly equipped, Gorton Education Village, giving us the platform and facilities to provide the finest possible education for our students.
 - We offer a range of teaching styles, including those which encourage confidence, motivation, success and a sense of personal worth by drawing on students' own personal experience.
 - We are a mixed, multi-cultural and multi-faith academy, and we are very proud of our diversity, where students learn in harmony.
 - We offer a fantastic after school programme of creative and sport related activities providing opportunities beyond the school day which will prepare all students for the shared responsibility of citizenship in modern Britain - it is important that children enjoy their school experience.
 - We are a small 900 place school making it a safe and happy environment where all students can achieve their full potential with lots of support from our superb staff.
 - Our students learning experience is tailored to their abilities and needs.
- What your child will learn at school is known as the 'curriculum'. We aim to provide a balanced and broadly based curriculum for all our young people.
- Students in Years 7, 8 and 9 study the Key Stage 3 curriculum, whilst older students study the Key Stage 4 curriculum in Years 10 and 11.

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