

Thomas Telford School

Aims & Objectives

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The general aim of Thomas Telford School, a City Technology College, is to maximise student performance in all its forms.

It is also our intention to offer a broad curriculum which includes the National Curriculum with the opportunity of specialising in more Mathematics, Science, Technology and Business Education.

In the Post 16 phase, we aim to provide a wide range of vocational and academic opportunities for students of all abilities, emphasising opportunities in Mathematics, Science, Technology and Business Education.

Objectives

- To admit students of all abilities.
- To improve attendance to that above local and national average.
- To develop qualities of enterprise, self-reliance and responsibility.
- To involve, as fully as possible, the wider community, including industry, business, commerce and parents in the education and training of the students.
- To operate a longer school day.
- To share research with the neighbouring Schools and the educational community and where possible support collaborative developments locally.
- To remove the artificial barrier that exists between vocational and academic courses.
- To improve Post 16 staying on rates to that comparable with France, Germany, USA and Japan.
- To deliver the National Curriculum with extra Science, Mathematics, Technology and Business Education.
- To ensure that all students obtain their educational entitlement, irrespective of gender, religion, ethnicity or special need.
- To provide a safe and secure environment for students, staff and visitors.