



Welcome to Outwood Academy Easingwold

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Students First
Raising standards and transforming lives





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- An inspirational educational experience for up to seven years
- Passionate teachers who are experts in their field and who have access to high quality professional development
- Endless opportunities in lessons and outside of lessons
- Opportunities to make new friends and to be part of a wonderful community
- Unwavering support from all staff (teaching and support)
- Fantastic examination results and personal success



Outcomes this year

GCSE Results 2025 - Key Measures

All of our key performance measures are consistently significantly above the national average, which is very pleasing. Strong outcomes mean that our young people can secure excellent opportunities in the future.

- 63% of students graded at 5 or higher for both English and Maths. Grade 5 is considered a good pass, an old style high C / low B. The national figure is 47% so we are well above this.
- 81% of students graded at 4 or higher in both English and Maths, Grade 4 is considered a pass by further education providers and employers, an old style C. The national figure is 67% so again, we are well above this.
- Attainment 8 is 51.91 indicating that on average every grade was almost a grade 6.
- Almost a third of grades issued were grade 7 or above across all subjects.

A Level Results 2025 Key Measures

- 55% of all entries were grades A* - B
- 77% of all entries were grades A* - C

Students go onto both Further Education, Higher Education, apprenticeships at all levels, employment and training at the end of KS4 or 5 and are expertly supported by Progress Careers.

Our Sixth Form is a vibrant and happy community where students feel supported and encouraged to develop both personally and academically.

From September 2026 the school day will be slightly longer to meet the DfE requirements of 32.5 hours a week

- The day will start at 8.40am with an extended form time session which will be known as Personal Development and Growth.
- Morning break will be extended to 25 minutes to allow children to have more social time.
- The day will end slightly later at 3.15pm with enrichment continuing after school.
- Students will have five lessons each day.

Our knowledge-rich curriculum supports your success

- Broad and balanced curriculum at all key stages, including a redesigned personal development and growth programme from 2026
- A great Year 7, 8 and 9 experience to prepare for GCSEs in Years 10 and 11
- Our KS4 Guided Pathway process promotes the best possible outcomes for you at GCSE
- A flexible and personalised curriculum across KS4 (GCSE) and KS5 (A Level) with more intensive careers education alongside mentoring and guidance
- Bespoke academic and personal interventions in all year groups to support progress when needed and to encourage maximum success
- Additional study opportunities after school

Teaching Excellence



Raising achievement first and foremost rests in what happens in the classroom.



Effective monitoring and assessment

- Daily learning conversations
- Feedback on learning and understanding in lessons
- Regular tracking by Senior Leaders and Learning Managers
- STAR reading tests and appropriate interventions
- Reading ages (KS3) will be published regularly for parents and carers and progress tracked
- Praising Stars reports - published each half term and will report on effort and projected attainment
- Robust assessment opportunities within, and at the end of topics so that we can maximise progress and success over time

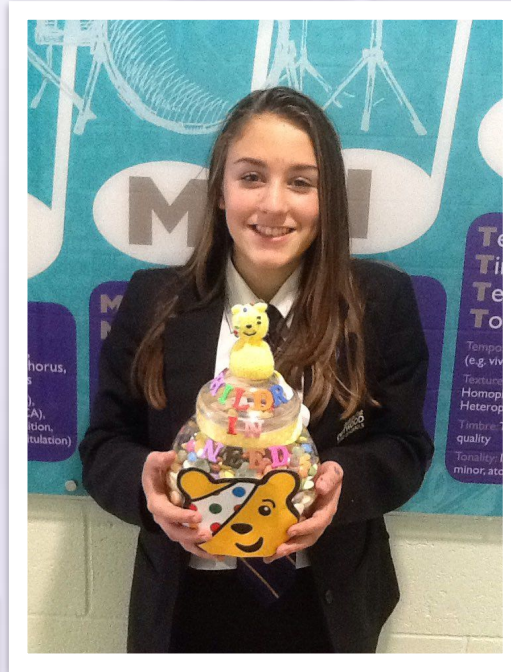
**A relentless focus on learning and
personal development**

**Placing students' right to
learn and develop,
undisturbed by others, at
the heart of our school in a
supportive environment.**

Enrichment



Student Voice



Admissions and Home to School Travel Arrangements from September 2025

Key Admissions Dates for Secondary Parents

12 September 2025	Admissions round opens
31 October 2025	Closing date for applications
22 November 2025	Last date to make a change to an application or to submit a late application
2 March 2026	National Offer Day

For further information on school admissions and all you need to know when making an application can be found at:

[Starting secondary school | North Yorkshire Council](#)



Transport- What happens after places are allocated?

- School places for September 2026 will be allocated in accordance with the admissions arrangements for the school and will be offered on National Offer Day:
 - 2 March 2026 for Secondary Pupils
- Currently, if you reside in North Yorkshire and you have applied for a school place you do not need to apply for free home to school transport if your child is starting a school in September 2026.
- After your child has been allocated a school place on National Offer Day, North Yorkshire Council will assess your child's eligibility to travel assistance and notify you whether your child is eligible.
- Travel arrangements for North Yorkshire eligible pupils will be determined **only after** school place offers have been made and travel requirements of all pupils are known.

Eligibility for Home to School Travel Assistance

- The main eligibility criteria for eligible pupils is for travel to their '*nearest suitable school with places available.*'
- Transport assistance is not available to a school on the grounds of it being the catchment school unless it is the '*nearest suitable school with places available.*'
- There are differences in eligibility for pupils with extended rights (free school meals).
- A parent can find out their nearest school by using the find my nearest school calculator which is available on the North Yorkshire website: find [my nearest school 2025-26](#).

This distance calculator uses bespoke NYC mapping tools and is individual for each address in North Yorkshire, distances are not the same as using other online route mapping.



How to find more information on school travel:

More information on home to school transport including frequently asked questions is available at:

[School transport for reception to year 11 children | North Yorkshire Council](#)