



Sacred Heart School

17 Mangate Street, Swaffham, Norfolk, PE37 7QW

What is the future of your child's education in Swaffham?

You may already be aware that the Sacred Heart School based in Swaffham, Norfolk is currently working towards transforming from an independent school to a free school.

This simply means that more children will be able to participate in the learning opportunities currently provided by the school. It is anticipated that the school will welcome more children of all ages as it operates as an 'all through' school for children aged 3 to 16. Not only is it currently a mixed school for both boys and girls but it also welcomes children from all backgrounds and faiths. The key element that is valued by parents, children and teachers alike is the simple ethos of the school, where everyone is treated with respect, encouraged to thrive and is motivated to be the best that they can be.

The school's ethos also underpins high expectations and standards both with quality of work and personal presentation and behaviour. The holistic view of education where every pupil will be encouraged to achieve their full potential is demonstrated throughout all year groups and a number of open days will be held over the coming months so you can come and visit the school and experience this for yourself. You can also follow us on



@SHS_Swaffham



@Sacredheartsch

A phased increase in the number of children attending the school is now planned over the coming 18 months with the aim of having 325 children on the roll when the school re-opens its gates in September 2018 as a free school. Therefore should you feel that you would like to give your child/ren the opportunity to join our school and benefit from the many activities and broad ranging academic facilities provided by excellent teaching staff then please register your interest. Our current GCSE results are consistently the highest in the local area and we will continue to strive to ensure every child receives the best education possible and leaves the school as a well rounded and confident individual.

Should you wish to discuss your child/ren's individual needs or if you have any general questions please don't hesitate to contact the Sacred Heart School on 01760 721330 or email info@sacredheartschool.co.uk.

Yours faithfully

Sr Francis Ridler

Headteacher and Trustee Sacred Heart School



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Form to register your interest

A free school is funded by the government but isn't run by the local council. A free school therefore has more control over how they do things. Free schools are governed by non-profit charitable trusts that sign funding agreements with the Secretary of State. Free schools are expected to offer a broad and balanced curriculum and are subject to the same Ofsted inspections as all other maintained schools and are expected to comply with standard performance measures.

Name of parent/guardian	
Address	
Tel No	
Email	

I would like to register my interest in possibility sending my child/ren to the Sacred Heart School, Swaffham when it becomes a free school in 2018 or some point thereafter. Please indicate when you would be interested in sending your child/ren to join Sacred Heart Free School by completing the form below:

Child Name	I would like to register my interest in sending my child to Sacred Heart Free School - please indicate the year in the box below:							Year group at the time of joining would be
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	

I understand, that by registering my interest at this point this doesn't necessarily guarantee me a place for my child/ren at the Sacred Heart School, Swaffham but does indicate that I would be interested to learn more about the opportunity of doing so at some point in the future.

Signature of parent/guardian: Date :

Please return your completed forms to The Secretary's Office, Sacred Heart School, 17 Mangate Street, Swaffham, Norfolk, PE37 7QW