



THE **LADDER**
SCHOOL

Redefining alternative provision



Who? Mercian / WSS / Ladder campaign

What? AP school and 6th form 112

Why? The need, reducing exclusions, improving employment outcomes

How? High quality staff (incl. leadership and Mercian trust context).
Significant adults from industry / employers
Personal Coaches
Bespoke curriculum

Where? St Matthews Quarter (Initially Millennium House)

When? January 2019 onwards



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Who?



**WALSALL
STUDIO SCHOOL**

Transforming Your Future



**SHIRE OAK
ACADEMY**

Turning Potential into Excellence



**QUEEN MARY'S
HIGH SCHOOL**

Quas Dederis Solas Semper Habebis Opes



**QUEEN MARY'S
GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

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**ALDRIDGE
SCHOOL ACADEMY**

Achieving Excellence Together



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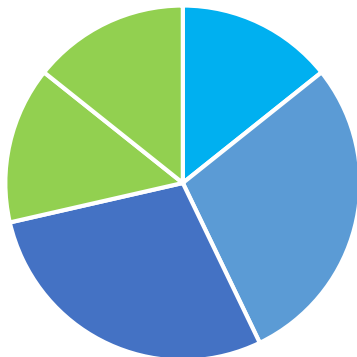
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What?

An Alternative Provision Free School and sixth form for students at risk of exclusion from mainstream schools.

Year Group	January 2019	September 2021
Y9	8	16
Y10	16	32
Y11	16	32
Sixth Form Y12	-	16
Sixth Form Y13	-	16
	40	112



■ Y9 ■ Y10 ■ Y11 ■ Y12 ■ Y13

Why?

- Overwhelming need
- Reducing exclusions locally
- Improving employment outcomes
 - Linked to AP sixth form

How?

High quality staff

(incl. leadership and Mercian trust context)

Significant adults from industry / employers

Personal Coaches

Bespoke curriculum

EN, MA, Academic GCSEs

VOC incl. PE Fitness and Creative Industries

Employability and Industry Readiness

Ladder Employers and Work Experience

Where?



St Matthews Quarter

When?

- Opening in temporary accommodation in January 2019
- New building operational by September 2020