



St Lawrence College Aims, Educational Philosophy and Objectives

St Lawrence College Aims:

St Lawrence College aims to be a first-choice school in Kent with a national and international reputation for excellence.

It seeks to achieve this by:

- Providing an outstanding holistic education which caters for the individual.
- Attracting the best staff at every level to help deliver our mission.
- Being financially strong and resilient enough to deliver our charitable aims.
- Embracing opportunities to improve the quality of what we do and the way we do it.

Educational Philosophy and Objectives:

St Lawrence College aims to add value to every child, whether that is in the classroom, theatre, concert hall, sports pitch or in the local community. Our belief is that a genuinely holistic education will develop individuals who not only gain excellent academic results, but who also hone the soft skills required to thrive in the 21st century marketplace: positivity, flexibility, teamwork skills and a solution-focussed approach to problems.

With our Christian values, boarding ethos, all-through nature of the School and focus on the individual, we aim to create a feeling of care and compassion that permeates every corner of our campus. We believe that the strength of community that exists, and the security that our pupils feel from it, empowers them to be the best that they can be and to grow into confident team players and good decision makers with an entrepreneurial spirit.

Our focus on service and the active role that our pupils play in their local and global community is designed not only to have a positive impact on others, but to also give them a wider perspective on their individual responsibility to society. Our aim is that our pupils become inclusive in all of their dealings with other people and leave St Lawrence with the ability to engage with their local, national and international communities, and, in keeping with the School's motto ('In Bono Vince'), with a burning desire to do good in the world.