



NORTH BIRMINGHAM ACADEMY

MORE ABLE STUDENTS POLICY

1. INTRODUCTION

The North Birmingham Academy (NBA) is committed to the principle of providing the best possible education for each of its students. Within the context of the overall academy aims, and in line with other academy policies, it follows that it is also important to cater for the specific needs of students who show a particular aptitude in one or more areas of academy life.

2. SPECIFIC AIMS

1. To identify and promote talent through the curriculum and the extended curriculum
2. To integrate the programme for supporting the more able into the organisation of the curriculum as a whole, and thereby to use time, personnel and resources as effectively as possible.
3. Through healthy competition, to encourage the expression of talent, and to encourage more able students to recognise, take pride in and benefit from their talent.
4. To set more able students more demanding targets which encourage them to work to their true potential.
5. To identify and support more able students who are not making full use of their ability and talents.
6. To help more able students to develop the skills, self-motivation and confidence which will enable them to make the best use of their talents.
7. To encourage in all students a positive attitude to the value of hard work and high achievement.
8. To provide staff with appropriate training, so that suitable pastoral care is in place to cater for the emotional and psychological needs of more able children.

9. To encourage all members of the academy to have a positive attitude to the promotion of talent.

Policy adopted by NBA Governing Body on:

Senior Leader with policy responsibility :

Date of next review :