



# No Smoking Policy Statement

**Date of Adoption:**

19<sup>th</sup> March 2018

**Review date:**

19<sup>th</sup> March 2019  
(or sooner if required)

**Signed by:**  
Chair of Local Academy Council

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Roberts".

**Date**

19 - 3 - 2018

## **The Law**

From 1st July 2007 smoking became illegal in all public indoor spaces in England.

By law people continue to have the right to smoke outdoors, in the home or places considered to be 'homes', such as prisons, care homes and hotels.

By law if people are caught smoking in a banned area they could be fined £50 and those in charge of the premises could face a £2,500 fine if they fail to stop this activity.

## **Schools**

All school sites are non-smoking sites including school buildings and any area of the grounds. People should not smoke in their cars if they are within the site, this includes staff and visitors.

Staff will be encouraged to give up smoking and be supported, on request, by information that will help them access smoking cessation advice, guidance and support.

Failure to comply with the law may also result in staff disciplinary action.

Our schools will promote emotional and physical health and well-being across all sections of the school community and therefore support any staff that require help with smoking cessation by 'sign-posting' them to other services.

Our school complies with the requirement to display no-smoking signs across the site and at all entrances.

Our schools will inform all staff of the ban at induction.

Local governors will monitor that the ban is being implemented, through visits, site walks and incident logs and through Head Teacher reports.

It is the collective duty of all staff at school to support adherence to this policy and the law.