Oakwood Academy has successfully achieved Centre of Excellence for the second time.

A Centre of Excellence is an educational centre that has embraced and embedded financial education into their vision, ethos and curriculum. This results in young people gaining the knowledge, skills and confidence to be able to make informed and independent financial decisions.

Financial Capability is a key life skill and as a school, we recognise the importance of all young people having the ability, knowledge and confidence to manage their money well, now and in the future ... We believe that regardless of background or income level, financially informed young adults are better able to take control of their circumstances and improve their quality of life.

Oakwood Academy's vision statement

We have embedded a cross curricular approach to teaching financial education across all year groups (from Year 5 to Year 13), with a continuing increase in financial topics covered across the KS3 curriculum and 11 staff members trained at delivering financial education as well as many other staff members delivering it within many subjects.

