

Visitors Comments at Park Hall Academy's Open Evening
21st September 2010

Facilities were very impressive.

"The school is colourful"

Lots of students enjoyed maths

Prospective parent also brought their Y9 child; they said that they are also considering moving their Y9 child to Park Hall Academy

Pleased to hear about the academic clubs in English and Maths – as an employer it is clubs like these that develop confidence and interview skills.

Excited about the choice / range of extra-curricular.

Pleased about the uniform – new ties and PE kit

Welcoming environment, conducive to learning

Average class sizes are much better at this school, the building and ICT are fantastic.

Lots of ICT – lovely environment to learn in – pleasant atmosphere – lovely views.

It looks as though the children enjoy this subject (Media)

The school has improved so much since I left. Great atmosphere, supportive environment.

Good facilities in Media

Facilities and opportunity in Maths left no-one out of the process and all had access to learning.

To a Year 7 – "You look like you're really settled in already, wonderful"

Pupil's response to magnesium burning "Wow, this is fantastic"

Lovely big rooms – impressed with the facilities

Staff very helpful – now putting Park Hall first

Principals' talk really professional, could be slightly shorter, need for a 3rd talk

Very impressed with range of subjects, asked about BTecs for less able

The rooms are all so bright and spacious

I can see the importance of citizenship within the curriculum

Y7 parent – my son is gifted and I want you to lead him to success e.g. as you did in the Maths Challenge I have heard.

Excellent ICT facilities, a lot more spacious than other schools

Bright, colourful, energetic young staff, happy environment, lovely building

A couple of years ago we didn't consider Park Hall for my oldest child, now, we're really impressed and we'd like our youngest to come here.

The building is bright and beautiful – maths looks like it is fun here at Park Hall Academy

SEN – I wasn't expecting this to be so informative

A really nice colourful room – Languages

What a beautiful site

Teaching staff very personable

Activities in classrooms were varied and enticing

Thank you for such a welcoming experience.

Fantastic facilities in Technology – impressive classrooms

Park Hall is finally on the up

Student – "I've been here for 3 weeks and I've loved every minute it's great here"

Knowing now the level of support available, there would be no second choice

Really positive and lots of opportunities

Great dance studio

Great feeling around the school

The kids in Performing Arts look so happy

One parent had come straight from another Academy's open evening and said Park Hall had 'blown them away' with attitudes of staff

Some schools don't have the activities her daughter is interested in e.g. trampolining and Performing Arts facilities

Interested in the Performing Arts status and department, range of extra-curricular activities

Colourful, bright and open building

Very pleased with options available in Year 9

Very approachable staff, felt comfortable, good atmosphere

Unaware of all the support available

Felt safe and secure in knowing their child would be able to ask for help

Pizzas are lovely, what a great way to show off what you do here

There's some fantastic work done by students here.