



Community Charter



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Our Mission Statement

To inspire learners to recognise and achieve their full potential

Our Beliefs and Values

Excellence, Passion, Team Work, Integrity, Innovation,
Sustainability, Valuing Others and Supportiveness

Sparsholt College Hampshire incorporating Andover College

The **Community Charter** was approved by the Board of Governors in December 2010 and is the current version.

Equality Impact Assessment	Conducted: April 2011
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Originator: <i>Ralph Stratton</i>	Located: College Document Library

In line with the Disability Discrimination Act (DDA), Sparsholt College Hampshire incorporating Andover College will make all reasonable adjustments to ensure our Policies are accessible. This document can be made available in alternative formats.

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COMMUNITY CHARTER

This Charter, in conjunction with our Employer and Learner Charters, sets out our College's continued commitment to support the well-being of the local area and our social responsibilities to those who also live and work locally.

Our local economy

Our College is a significant contributor to our local economies, as an educator, an employer and as a user of local services, both as an institution and through the patronage of local businesses by the college's 3,000 plus staff and students. The College will seek to:

- offer a curriculum which supports the skill needs of the businesses it serves
- use local suppliers whenever possible subject to commercial considerations
- advertise employment opportunities on our website
- fairly and positively represent the local area as a great place to live, to work and to visit, in our marketing and promotional materials
- provide vocational experience for schools

Our resources

The College will maintain and secure its estate and facilities for the benefit of its students and for the generations to come and will:

- provide on our website, information about our educational, recreational and other facilities that are available for local people to access

Working together

Our College is committed to playing an active part in addressing local needs and supporting local communities, to these ends the College will:

- publicise on our website, opportunities for employers, individuals and other stakeholders to view our facilities and to comment on the development of our curriculum, facilities and estate
- collaborate with local community schools, industry and governmental organisations, to support the integration of our combined efforts to provide high quality services which are sympathetic to local considerations
- make available and publicise on our website, information about the performance of the college and where possible plans for the future
- welcome comments on our activities and how we could do better. Feedback can be given via the link on the college website or by letter to:

Quality Development Manager
Sparsholt College Hampshire
Westley Lane
Sparsholt
Winchester
SO21 2NF

Our environment

Guided by our Environmental Sustainable Development Policy, the College will continue to:

- encourage and promote environmental awareness amongst our students, staff and visitors
- promote the principles of sustainable development
- seek to reduce the impact of our activities on the environment
- promote and encourage considerate and socially responsible behaviour amongst our student body