



The Oakwood  
Academy

## **Computer Science, ICT and Business Department**

The Computer Science, ICT and Business department consists of a team of subject specialists housed within state of the art facilities in our impressive new school building. All three subjects are popular with growing numbers opting to pursue these courses at GCSE. Results have followed an upward trend in recent years. The department follows the OCR specification for Computer Science and the EdExcel GCSE specification for both ICT and Business Studies.

At Key Stage 3 we focus on building essential skills in ICT to enable all of the students to develop good practice for Key Stage 4 study but also to be able to be successful in an ever increasing technological world..

The GCSE courses start in Year 9 and this allows the department three years to develop students coursework and examination projects. Students have 4 hours of each option subject per fortnight in year 9 and gain an extra lesson in Years 10 and 11.

The Computer Science, ICT and Business Department is vibrant within the school and the staff work hard to provide stimulating, creative and challenging work that allows students to develop the skills they require together with the freedom to pursue their own creative paths.

If you are interested in joining our team and driving future success then we shall be delighted to receive your application.

Mr David Watkins  
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