

Students come together to talk about tackling bullying

Students from across Wiltshire will be meeting to discuss how to tackle bullying as part of a leadership conference held by The Ascend Learning Trust.

The day-long event, which is being held at the Royal Wootton Bassett Academy on Wednesday 25 March, will see invited students from all the Trust's schools come together to discuss inclusion and diversity under the theme of 'anti-bullying.'

There will be speakers, workshops, and break-out discussion groups throughout the day led by The Storyy Group - an organisation which works with young people to bring out the best in them.

Alice Falvey, from Royal Wootton Bassett Academy and organiser of the conference, said: "We are really looking forward to what will be a great day of learning for all.

"We have a selection of students from each of the Trust's seven schools – both primary and secondary - all working together in one big room to discuss what a healthy, anti-bullying culture looks like considering things like inclusion and diversity.

"Bullying takes place in all levels of society – whether you are at school, university, or work – it's a sad fact but it does happen. However, if we can equip our young people – the generation of tomorrow – in how to be the better person and deal with this unacceptable behaviour then

they are preparing for a positive and bright future.

"It's going to be a fantastic experience for all involved."



'The Storyy Group' vision is synonymous with Ascend Learning Trust's core values of Compassion, Aspiration, Respect, Dedication, and Integrity. The workshops and talks will be right for all ages from primary to sixth form. Their focus is to 'create a world where every young person has a brighter future.'

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