

## Cookie Notice

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Staffordshire University Academies Trust (SUAT) and its' partner organisations may use cookies and related technologies to provide you with a fast, safe and personalised experience on its sites. Cookies also help us to understand how certain features are being used, and allow us to improve our sites for all users. Below we explain more about what cookies are, how we and our third party partners use them, and how you can control their usage.

By accessing and using our sites without disabling cookies on your device or opting out of third party cookies, you consent to our use of these cookies and the information we collect with them. If you do not consent, please disable or block cookies in your browser using the methods described below under "How to Control Cookies."

### What are cookies?

A cookie is a piece of information in the form of a very small text file that is placed on an internet user's device. It is generated by a web page or app server, which is a device that operates a service. The information that the cookie contains is set by the server and it can be used by that server whenever the user visits the site. A cookie can be thought of as an internet user's identification card, which tell a website or app when the user has returned.

### What websites and services?

SUAT operates a large number of websites which have one domain per Academy. This policy is intended to cover the following domains:

Site	Domain
Staffordshire University Academies Trust	<a href="https://www.suatrust.co.uk">https://www.suatrust.co.uk</a>
Staffordshire University Academy	<a href="https://www.suacademy.co.uk">https://www.suacademy.co.uk</a>
Moorgate Primary Academy	<a href="https://www.moorgateacademy.co.uk">https://www.moorgateacademy.co.uk</a>
John Wheeldon Primary Academy	<a href="https://www.johnwheeldonacademy.co.uk">https://www.johnwheeldonacademy.co.uk</a>
Perton Primary Academy	<a href="https://www.pertonacademy.co.uk">https://www.pertonacademy.co.uk</a>
St Edwards CE Academy	<a href="https://www.stedwardscheddleton.co.uk">https://www.stedwardscheddleton.co.uk</a>

Tynsel Parkes CE Academy	<a href="https://www.tynselparkesacademy.co.uk">https://www.tynselparkesacademy.co.uk</a>
Boney Hay Primary Academy	<a href="https://www.boneyhayschool.co.uk">https://www.boneyhayschool.co.uk</a>
Littleton Green Community School	<a href="https://www.littleongreen.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.littleongreen.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Charnwood Primary Academy	<a href="https://www.charnwood.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.charnwood.staffs.sch.uk</a>
St Augustine's CE Academy, Draycott	<a href="https://www.st-augustines.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.st-augustines.staffs.sch.uk</a>
St Peter's CE Academy, Alton	<a href="https://www.st-peters-alton.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.st-peters-alton.staffs.sch.uk</a>
All Saints CE Academy, Denstone	<a href="https://www.allsaints-denstone.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.allsaints-denstone.staffs.sch.uk</a>
St Luke's CE Academy, Endon	<a href="https://www.st-lukes-endon.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.st-lukes-endon.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Horton St Michael's First School	<a href="https://www.hortonstmichaels.co.uk">https://www.hortonstmichaels.co.uk</a>
All Saints Primary, Bednall	<a href="https://www.allsaints-bednall.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.allsaints-bednall.staffs.sch.uk</a>
St Leonard's First, Dunston	<a href="https://www.st-leonards-dunston.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.st-leonards-dunston.staffs.sch.uk</a>
St Paul's CE First, Coven	<a href="https://www.stpaulscoven.co.uk">https://www.stpaulscoven.co.uk</a>
Church Eaton Primary	<a href="https://www.churcheaton.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.churcheaton.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Dove CE Academy, Uttoxeter	<a href="https://www.dove.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.dove.staffs.sch.uk</a>
Little Aston Primary	<a href="https://www.littleaston.staffs.sch.uk">https://www.littleaston.staffs.sch.uk</a>

Cookies set by SUAT, its Academies and the partner organisations' websites use cookies to deliver, measure and improve its platform in different ways. We always attempt to use secure cookies which means that the data contained in them can only ever be transmitted over an encrypted connection. General categories of use are described below.

#### Authentication:

When you log into one of our websites, we set a cookie that uniquely identifies you so that on subsequent visits to the site, you automatically stay logged in.

#### Analytics

In order to understand how users interact with and to further improve our websites, we sometimes collect anonymous data about website usage and store it in cookies. We also set a cookie containing a unique and random value so that we may anonymously identify you each time you visit the website. These cookies can be set with durations anywhere from the current session to several years.

Google Analytics is a service provided by Google that aids us in analysing how users interact with and navigate our websites. Google Analytics uses cookies to capture anonymous statistics about your

usage of the website. This information cannot be used to identify you individually and the data is only used in aggregate to analyse broad trends in usage of the website.

### **Preferences**

Some of our websites will store your preferences about how the site is displayed or used in a cookie. You will be asked to opt into this.

### **Social Media**

Some of our websites display data from social media services. Cookies can be used by these social media services to ascertain your logon status. You can opt into these cookies.

### **How to Control Cookies**

Besides opting out of third party cookies, you can control and/or delete cookies used by any of our sites at any time. For instructions on how to do this, depending on what browser you are using, visit the [Information Commissioner's Office](#). You can delete all existing cookies on your computer and set most browsers to prevent them from being placed. However, please note that if you do this, our websites may not function properly.

### **Further References**

[Word Press Cookie Policy](#)

[Google Analytics Cookie Policy](#)

[Twitter Cookie Policy](#)

[Facebook Cookie Policy](#)