

## Press Release

# World Class Schools Quality Mark (WCSQM)

## Shortlist for World Class School of the Year 2021.

We are delighted to announce our shortlist for the World Class School Quality Mark School of the Year. All of the schools in our network are World Class. Our School of the Year exemplifies and role models what it means to be World Class with typicality and consistency.

<a href="#">Berkeley Academy</a> , Hounslow	primary
<a href="#">Bluecoat Wollaton Academy</a> , Nottingham	secondary
<a href="#">Bosworth Academy</a> , Leicester	secondary
Featherstone High School, Ealing	secondary
<a href="#">President Kennedy School</a> , Coventry	secondary
<a href="#">St Albans Girls' School</a> , St Albans	secondary
<a href="#">The Ashley School</a> , Lowestoft	special
<a href="#">Weatherhead High School</a> , Wallasey	secondary

Schools that are shortlisted for School of the Year  
(in adherence with the charity's [mission statement](#))

- offer the best education to students in the UK
- develop the World Class skills, competencies and characteristics which students need to flourish in an emerging global economy
- give students the confidence to overcome socio-economic barriers to recognise and achieve their potential

The schools' students live our World Class vision

- for secondary

'We are #worldclass **learners** and **leaders** with a **commitment to achieving** the best for our **community** and our best in the **work place**, by acquiring a deep **knowledge and understanding** of our world'

- for primary

'Because of who **we are**, what **we feel** and how **we learn** we are #worldclass.'

In order to be eligible for shortlisting, the students from each school had to submit a video evidencing why they meet the shortlisting criteria.

The winner of the World Class School Quality Mark School of the Year All shortlisted will be announced at our WCSQM Awards Ceremony 6th December, held at Oxford University's [Sheldonian Theatre](#) by our sponsor [ClickView](#).

Our School of the Year Award has only been running for two years. Winners so far have been  
2019 [King Egbert School](#), Sheffield  
2020 [Forest Gate Community School](#), Newham, runners up [Sneinton CofE Primary School](#) and  
[Hillcrest Academy](#).

#### Information on WCSQM

WCSQM is a UK charity working to accredit the best non-selective state schools across the UK with the World Class quality mark accreditation. In order to achieve accreditation primary and secondary schools can subscribe to the [WCSQM application](#), giving their entire cohort of students access to the WCSQM framework designed to help students develop and demonstrate World Class skills and characteristics across areas including learning, leadership, community and the workplace.