



EXCELSIOR ACADEMY NEWCASTLE KEY FACTS

- Opening September 2008
- For local children living in the West End
- Free and non-selective
- A multi-faith academy, open equally to all children regardless of their beliefs
- 1,800 places including 300 in Excelsior College, the post-16 school
- Taking 300 children per year into year 7
- Each of the four 11-16 schools will have 375 students, with 75 in each year group
- It is being set up by the Department for Children, Schools and Families and the sponsor, Irvine Laidlaw

