

# Our ambitions for Norfolk are:

- **an inspirational place with a clear sense of identity**
- **a vibrant, strong and sustainable economy**
- **aspirational people with high levels of achievement**

**We are**

**Improving educational attainment  
and helping children and young  
people to achieve their ambitions**

- Over the last five years we have been closing the gap faster than other local authorities at GCSE. From 2003-2007 the number of Norfolk students getting five or more GCSEs at A\*-C went up by 6.3%, compared to 3.4% nationally.
- We have programmes in place to get around 300 pupils at risk of exclusion, absenteeism and offending involved in positive activities.
- We're improving more school buildings than ever, with our current programme investing £209m into more than 90 school buildings and children's centres across Norfolk.

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