

DJANOGLY CITY ACADEMY Improving the efficiency and look of Academy Open Days

Djanogly City Academy Nottingham is an award-winning ICT specialist Academy situated on the outskirts of Nottingham city centre. In November 2008 we were winners of the National Whole School 'Excellence in ICT' Award from Becta.

As a result of our national, and international, reputation we are regularly inundated with requests for delegates from other schools to visit us. These guests often come to us with a range of varying requirements, including ICT infrastructure, strategy and vision as well as from a curriculum and BSF viewpoint. A charge is made to cover the costs of lunch and teaching cover.

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Previously these days were advertised on our website and then administered by email in respect of the agenda, delegate lists and payment, creating a substantial amount of co-ordination. These Open Days are now arranged and administered through an EventElephant site to which delegates are directed from our own website. This site allows payments to be collected very easily, and tracked, automatically. The system also informs guests when a particular day is fully-booked.

The EventElephant site also gives us the ability to survey the particular context which delegates are visiting us in and thus enables us to tailor the day accordingly.

The use of EventElephant for our Open Days has significantly improved the efficiency and 'look' of the Days, giving the administrative aspects a far slicker and informative feel whilst removing much of the administrative burden.

"Highly recommended!!" Matt Buxton, Director of Learning Technologies

"EventElephant is a significant resource for arranging visits to the academy both in terms of time-saving and efficiency. What did we do without it?" Wendy Jackson, PA to the Chief Executive

