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Converting to academy status is an attractive proposition for many schools and is intended to lead to greater innovation and the raising of standards.

Academies have greater freedom from local authority control gaining access to the budget previously retained to provide central functions such as accountancy, legal services, health & safety and insurance.

However, this additional flexibility brings increased responsibility and administration, and this is where Dodd & Co can assist. We have put together a range of

support packages to assist both during the conversion process and afterwards when you are operating as an academy.

Our conversion support services include assistance with accountancy software installation, set-up and training, implementation of financial control systems and preparation of initial budgets.

On an ongoing basis we can help with everything from general advice on bookkeeping and accounts procedures to performing the responsible officer role during the year and carrying out the year-end audit of accounts for submission to the Department for Education and Companies House.

In addition we can advise on ad hoc issues such as

business planning, business case preparation, corporate structure and guidance and support on VAT issues.

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Specialist Academy Schools Services:

- Accountancy Software Installation, Set-up & Training
- Financial Control Systems
- Budget Preparation
- Accountancy Support
- Audit Services
- VAT & Charity Advice
- Strategic Planning

Dodd & Co are able to assist your school during the conversion process and afterwards when you are operating as an academy.



To find out more about how we can help you operate as an academy school call Alison Johnston on 01228 530913 or complete our simple form online or overleaf.

