



# Lawnswood Campus Students from The Midpoint Centre were involved with a **Community Outreach Project** At Arden Manor Care Home



Developing  
Community based  
projects through  
the integration  
of old and young  
people



Dr Anthony Felton, Community Development Officer at Lawnswood Campus was successful in bidding for a £2000 Grant for the Outreach Project from Wolverhampton City Council Outreach Project Funding



The concept was to change 10 accommodation doors in a local care home Arden Manor, for the residents with Dementia/Alzheimer's to **"Resemble the front door of their old house...!"**

The care home doors were stripped back and undercoated, glossed and finished with new door furniture (handles, number and letterbox, together with kicker plates for the residents using wheel chairs).

The students completed the whole of the project with skills learned during construction lessons.

Lawnswood Campus provides a vocational course for 14 to 16 year old pupils in **Painting & Decorating**



"Integrating old and young people alike in the local community"



"Providing pupils and an ageing population with social wellbeing"

**Marie Weatherington**  
a member of teaching staff, identified a community need in that a number of older people do not have the resources or funding to have basic decorating carried out in their residential living accommodation.

The aim was to develop a Community based outreach project through the integration of old and young people by facilitating a basic decorating service at a local residential home.



"THE PROJECT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS"

"The students have been a credit to The Midpoint Centre and are eager to take part in another project!"

