



St Anselm's College

PretonSaver™ CASE STUDY



St. Anselm's College saves on printing



“**PretonSaver**™ provides us with the opportunity to minimise the impact on the environment and produce high quality documents at an appreciable cost saving. In addition our staff now have all the information required to manage our printer fleet effectively.

PretonSaver™ also allows us to save money and be environmentally responsible at the same time. The savings from Preton allow us to stretch our budget further”



St Anselm's College, Birkenhead

St Anselm's College is a Grammar School serving the Catholic community of Wirral and North Cheshire. The ethos of the school is the promotion of personal growth and the pursuit of excellence. The School has a maximum notional role of 820. In 2002 the School became a Joint Technology College in partnership with Upton Hall School. The School is striving to become one of the UK's Eco Flagship Schools and is striving to reduce its carbon footprint whilst educating pupils on the benefits of a greener more environmentally considerate lifestyle.

Business Problem

St Anselm's is totally committed to become an environmentally friendly institution and is deeply conscious of the school's impact on the environment. The achievement of Technology College status has directly expanded the use of computers which has in turn created an increase in the volume of pages printed on the inkjet and laser printers. Like most schools St Anselm's has a mixed fleet of printers and Deputy Headmaster Andy Rumsby was conscious that the use of this expanding printer fleet was providing St Anselm's with a number of differing issues which he needed to resolve. These issues are facing an increasing number of schools today:

- Consumables consumption which constantly increases and is difficult to budget and control
- Staff have no way of seeing or managing how printers are utilised and find it impossible to determine accurately the cost of printing for each user and printer.
- It is difficult to create and enforce any Corporate Policy on printers, and ensure that costly colour is only used for essential print.
- An increasing adverse impact on the environment at a time when the school's staff and pupils are actively seeking to reduce their environmental footprint

The Solution - PretonSaver™

Andy Rumsby the Deputy Headmaster for St Anselm's College was greatly aware of the above issues and was especially concerned over the magnitude of the consumables budget and the lack of information available on the cost of print.

Following a successful evaluation, St Anselm's College had installed the PretonSaver™ software on its systems. The software demonstrated an average savings exceeding 35% on all current document formats with high quality documentation being produced. In addition, by using the software's report/statistics and policy enforcement the college was able to reduce its overall print volume by over 10%. PretonSaver™ has been running at St Anselm's College for almost 6 months and exceeds their expectations.

Success Case Summary

St Anselm's College

Industry **Grammar School**

Number of pupils **820**

Number of staff **44**

Printer Fleet **HP, Brother, Epson Oki**

Location **Birkenhead, Wirral, UK**

PretonSaver™
Average Savings 35%