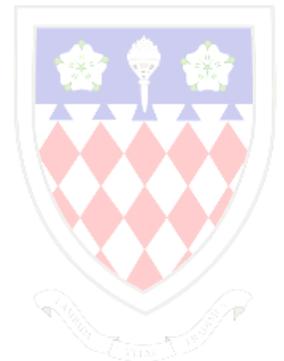


Welcome to Year 12 Curriculum Evening

Agenda

1. Introduction
2. The sixth form curriculum
3. Careers provision
4. Tips for success
5. Attendance and sixth form dress code



Summer 2019 Highlights

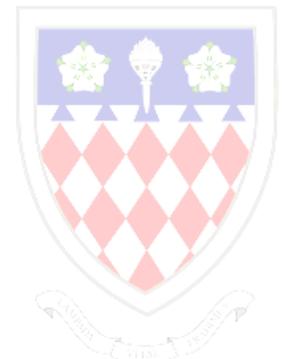
119 Year 13 students

95 have secured a university place (80%)

24 have secured a job, apprenticeship, further education course or volunteering placement (20%)

University applications

78% of students gained entry to their first choice university



Our Ethos

We want our sixth form students to:

- achieve their academic potential
- enjoy their time at school
- prepare thoroughly for their progression route
- continue to grow and develop as people



Meet The Team

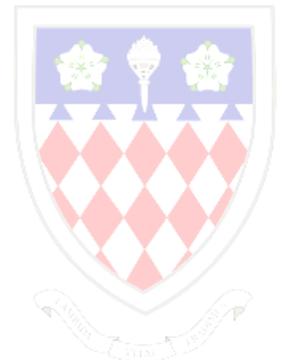
Mrs Haunch – Head of Sixth Form

Mrs Waldron – Deputy Head of Sixth Form

Mrs Bushell – Careers Leader

Mr Blackbourn – Assistant Headteacher

Mrs French – Pupil Support Coordinator



Key Dates

7th November – Year 12 Progress cards to parents

26th November – Year 12 Parents' Evening

27th February – Year 12 Progress cards to parents

29th April– UCAS Information Evening

7th May – Reports to parents

1st – 5th June – Year 12 examination week

8th + 9th June– Personal statement writing days

10th July - Year 12 Progress cards to parents

13th July – Careers Fair in school



Progress Card

A Student

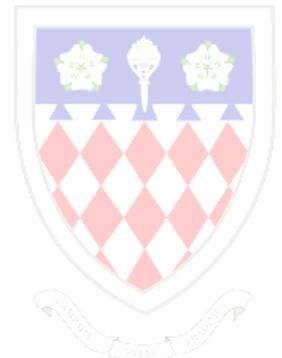
Form: 6LM

Attendance: 98.7 %

Subject	Projected A Level Grade	A Level Estimate	Aspirational Target	Effort
Business Studies	B	D	A	AE
Chemistry	B	D	B	E
Psychology	C	D	A	AE

Effort

- O Outstanding
- AE Above Expected
- E Expected
- BE Below Expected
- I Inadequate



Sixth Form Curriculum

- Three A Levels *or*
- Three A Levels and Core Mathematics *or*
- Four A Levels in agreement with the Sixth Form Team (university courses only require three A Levels)

In addition, students will also have:

- Supervised study periods
- 1 careers lesson per fortnight
- 1 personal development (PSHCE) lesson per fortnight
- 2 games lessons per fortnight
- 1 MOOC lesson per fortnight
- 1 mindset lesson per fortnight



Enrichment Activities

Mandatory Enrichment Activities

- Careers Education (1 lesson per fortnight)
- MOOCs (1 lesson per fortnight)
- Mindset Awareness (1 lesson per fortnight)
- Personal Development Programme (1 lesson per fortnight)
- Physical Education (2 lessons per fortnight).

Optional Enrichment Activities

- Core Mathematics
- Sixth Form Positions of Responsibility
- Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme
- NCS
- Work Experience
- Working with younger students (study buddy)
- Sixth Form Committees
- Charity Events
- School and Staff Choir
- Motivational Career Talks/Presentations
- Drama and Music Productions
- Sporting Opportunities
- Art Exhibition / shop / catalogue / displays.

Careers Education

See 'Useful websites to investigate in the Sixth Form' – student planner p117-119

Research time:

- progression route options post sixth form
- applying to higher education and preparing for open days
- Oxbridge/Medicine/Veterinary Medicine/Dentistry
- skills and how these can be matched to progression routes
- labour market and careers of the future information.



Apprenticeships

Various levels of apprenticeship depending on skills and qualifications.

Name	Level	Equivalent educational level
Intermediate	2	5 GCSE passes
Advanced	3	2 A Level passes
Higher	4, 5, 6 and 7	Foundation degree and above
Degree	6 and 7	Bachelor's or master's degree

How to apply

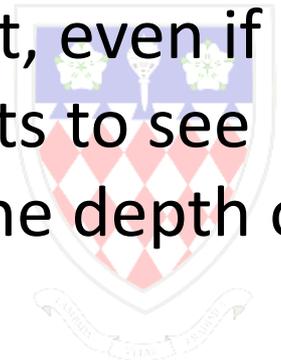
Visit [gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship](https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship)

Also look at www.notgoingtouni.co.uk and www.ucas.com

Students can start their research early in Year 12.

Applications for degree apprenticeships are often completed early in Year 13.

Tip: Set up an account on the gov.uk site to receive alerts if an apprenticeship comes up in an area of interest, even if the deadline is too early. This will enable students to see what is involved in the application process and the depth of information required.



University Applications Timeline

Year 12

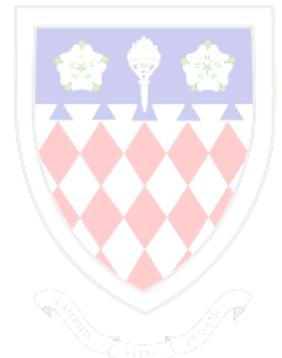
- Early in Year 12 - Students given information regarding progression routes and start to research their options
- April – UCAS Information Evening in School for students and parents
- June – Personal Statement Writing Day in School

Year 13

- End of September – School deadline for priority deadline applicants (Oxbridge/Medicine/Veterinary Medicine/Dentistry)
- Mid October – Official deadline for priority deadline applicants
- Beginning of November – School deadline for all other applicants
- Mid January – Official deadline for all other applicants
- Early May – Students choose a firm and insurance university
- August – Results day. Students find out if they have gained a place at their firm or insurance choice university or if they are eligible for clearing.

Tips For Success

- Get involved
- Positive use of non-contact time
- Work/life balance
- Talk
- Look after yourself

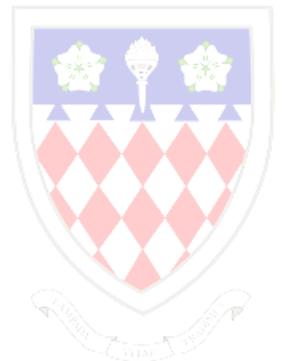


Attendance

The government has reduced the persistent absence threshold from 15% to 10%.

90% attendance =

- ½ day missed every week
- 4 whole weeks missed in a year
- 100 hours of learning per year



Sixth Form Dress Code

Our students are extremely smart and excellent role models for younger pupils.

