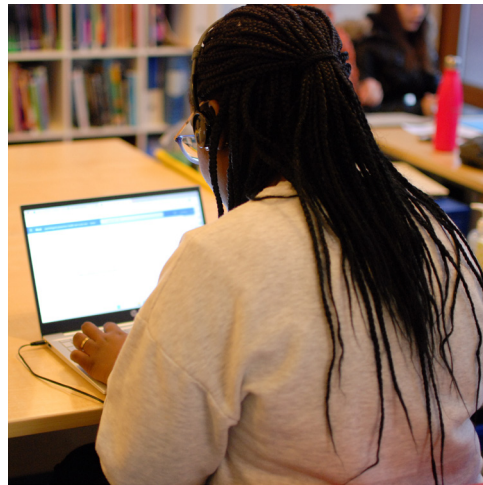


Headteachers welcome

Thank you for showing an interest in our school. We are committed to helping individuals achieve the best academic outcomes possible, while helping our learners to progress and grow socially. Our students come to us from a variety of backgrounds, but all with a common goal; to succeed academically where they have struggled to succeed in a mainstream setting. We are a small and nurturing setting which allows us to build strong bonds with staff and students alike. We aim to be flexible to meet the needs of our learners and remove barriers to learning to allow our students to access education. We firmly believe in education as the gateway for future success and happiness in life and aim to help our students achieve the next steps in their lifelong learning and self development.



"The school is chilled, everyone here is really nice."

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6th Form prospectus



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6TH FORM OPTIONS

Maths

The main focus of this Edexcel A-Level is Pure Maths. Covering topics which tend to be mainly algebraic in nature, you develop your understanding of these concepts and improve your logical reasoning skills so you can begin to solve challenges that occur frequently in modern day life.

As the course develops, the topics become increasingly related to real life and it becomes clearer how these powerful new techniques can be related to industry and the financial world.

English Literature

The Edexcel A-level qualification in English Literature will encourage you to develop your interest and enjoyment in literary studies through reading widely, independently and critically. The course will give you an introduction to the traditions of English Literature. The subject will allow you to develop as a confident and reflective reader of a range of texts and you will learn to express your responses effectively through speech and writing.

You will learn to use critical concepts and terminology with understanding and discrimination. You will be encouraged to reflect on your own responses to texts, consider other readers' interpretations and develop awareness of the contexts in which texts were written.

Art or Photography

Students will specialise in either Fine Art, Graphics or Photography, working through a carousel of topics initially covering traditional and modern techniques, still life, portraiture and landscape, exploring the work of local and critically acclaimed artists, designers and photographers. Students will have a chance to develop digital design skills working on Adobe editing software.

Students work to the AQA exam criteria and will produce a sustained coursework project choosing their own theme and areas of interest and finally an exam project. Students will create a series of sketchbooks and a portfolio of work, as well as final pieces. Students also have the option to create a digital sketchbook.

Health and Social Care

This BTEC, equivalent in size to 3 A Levels, is an introductory course and focuses on a person-centred approach to the topics of Health and Social Care. It will give you the knowledge, skills and values needed to work in the health and social care sector, be that Early Years, Nursing or Biomedical Sciences.

The mandatory units you will cover include the Human Lifespan Development, Anatomy and Physiology, Working in Health and Social Care, Enquiries into Current Research into Health and Social Care, 7 Principles of Safe Practice in Health and Social Care, Promoting Public Health and Meeting Individual Care and Support Needs. You will also have the opportunity to do Work Experience in Health and Social Care.

Creative Digital Media

Students will gain an RSL qualification in Creative Digital Media Level 3 Extended Certificate (equivalent to one ALevel). The course will encourage you to develop your interest and skills in Interactive Digital Media. You will explore theory, terminology, and practical explorations of different media forms for different audiences.

You will be encouraged to create your own practical response to a brief to develop your understanding of varying forms of media to give you the opportunity to develop and apply practical skills within an industry-relevant context.

Business Studies

Business studies gives you an opportunity to look at how businesses are started, from the initial idea, to raising finance, managing people, and finally bringing your product or service to the market. You will identify the challenges faced by entrepreneurs in running a business and how they might overcome these by making tactical and strategic decisions. You will investigate several familiar businesses and organisations in developing your understanding and applying your new knowledge to the world around you.

This course will prepare you for the world of work as you will consider the impact of globalisation, global marketing and global industries on future work places in the UK.

Sociology

Sociology is about the study of people living together in social groups ranging in size from the family to the nation state. It analyses human behaviour by identifying patterns within social groups and explaining the factors which shape them.

Sociologists study the effect that living in advanced industrial society has on people's lifestyles and social attitudes, analysing those structures in which they operate in their day-to-day lives.

Economics

Economics is a social science whereby you study how society allocates scarce resources between different economic agents such as households, firms and governments who have unlimited needs and wants. It relates to every aspect of our lives, from the decisions we make as individual students or families to the functioning of society set by governments and firms.

Economics is divided into two broad categories; microeconomics which examines individual firms and markets, whereas macroeconomics which allows you to understand the choices made by society in general and their contribution to the wider economic and social environment.