



Life as a Sixth Form Student



TRUE or FALSE

- In Pairs read the statements:
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- Cross if you think it is false
- ? If you are unsure

NEW LINEAR A LEVELS



- There are now no AS levels
- This means that your final mark is based on the exam/work that you do in Year 13
- University/Higher Education applications will consider your GCSE grades and our predicted grades when you apply at the start of Year 13

How many A Levels do I study?

- Most people study 3 A Levels.
- Those students getting very high GCSE results may choose to study 4.



What GCSE results do I need to get in to Sixth Form?

- 5
- Some specific subject entry requirements (you will find about these when you receive your application bundle after the Brookfield Sixth Form Evening on Tues 21 November).



ACTIVITY 1

How is Sixth Form different to lower school?



Key Differences



TEACHERS

Your choice

Control over your own learning

More freedom in choice of dress

Use your own initiative

Flexibility in use of free time for study

WORK

Wide range of extra-curricular opportunities

Senior member of school

- Set an example to others
- Take on responsibilities

What doesn't change



Uniform / dress code

**Attendance
Punctuality**

**Still member of
School Community**

**Expectations
and Rules**

ACTIVITY 2

What makes a good Sixth Form student?



What makes a Good Sixth Form Student?

Independent learner
Enthusiastic
Good time-management
Interested
Willing to ask questions



Willing to share ideas with others in group
Ready to accept advice
Good listening skills
Good personal organisation skills

What can I study?

- Art & Design
- Art Textiles
- Biology
- Business & Economics
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Dance
- English Language
- English Literature
- French
- Further Maths
- Geography
- German
- Government & Politics
- Graphic Design
- History
- Mathematics
- PE
- Physics
- Product Design
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Theatre Studies

Other A Levels

Law

Philosophy ...



How do I choose my subjects?

- **What do I enjoy?**
- **What am I good at?**
- **What career path do I want to follow?**

- **Study the course details – on website**
- **Get as much advice as possible**
 - **Teachers**
 - **Sixth formers**
 - **Parents**



Any additional advice from our sixth form students?





How do I find out more?

- Look at websites / prospecti
- Attend University Open Days – what A levels do I need?
- **Brookfield Sixth Form Open Evening– Tuesday 21st November 2017**
- **Brookfield Sixth Form Application deadline Friday 26th January 2018**
- Attend other open evenings (see careers noticeboards for dates)
- Check out other organisations deadlines
- Speak to staff

ANY QUESTIONS?



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- Did any change?

