

Welcome to Hollygirt School Sixth Form Nottingham's best kept secret.



Thriving in a supportive community.

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Hollygirt Sixth Form allows students to meet their potential in a valued community in which they feel secure, whilst providing the sixth form experience of independence and opportunities to grow and develop. The Sixth Form continues the school's safe and caring environment so that students are able to thrive in a supportive community, both academically and personally.

A core value is that students will benefit from being at the heart of the Sixth Form, rather than being one of many. We deliver excellence in their education whilst keeping the students' best interests at centre of all we do. Bespoke study and enrichment programmes provide tailored packages to suit interests and needs. Teaching and learning is built on the closely interconnected fundamentals of cognitive science into how

we learn and a focus on student wellbeing, with 'test anxiety' research-informed strategies.

Sixth formers are an integral part of the Hollygirt and wider community. They will grow into future-ready young adults, through developing their skills and confidence. Clear and personalised guidance for Higher Education and career paths will allow all to make informed choices. Our vision for our students is that they will be equipped with the qualifications and mindset to shape their futures. As valued and valuable members of our society, they will become the best candidates in their chosen fields.

Alison Brown Head of Hollygirt School Sixth Form



Sixth Form.

Bespoke Learning

A fully bespoke curriculum allows students to choose from a core range of A Level and vocational courses taught in small classes by our dedicated teachers, offering unrivalled individual attention and support. Our A level courses are complemented by an optional Extended Project Qualification; a Level 3 project-based course in which student produce an extended report or artifact on a topic of their choosing. We encourage our A Level students to take on leadership roles within the wider school community, as well as becoming active members of their local community, through outreach opportunities and activities.

Science & Maths	Social Sciences	Creative	Other	Languages	BTEC
Computer Science	Criminology	Art & Textiles	Business	French	Performing Arts
Chemistry	Geography	Food Technology	English Literature	Spanish	Sports Coaching
Biology	History	Music	EPQ		
Physics	Psychology				
Maths					

EPQ is offered to students. Maths and English Language resits are available. All courses offered in good faith, subject to enrolment viability. Bespoke study programmes can be created for individual students.

Super Curriculum

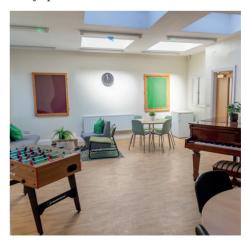
Super Curriculum activities are those that take your learning further. We balance academic rigour with the development of essential life skills that have lifelong value and are sought after by both universities and employers. This encompasses research skills, the ability to debate, to communicate confidently, to solve problems and to think both critically and creatively.

Support

Students will receive personalised and bespoke guidance on preparing for life beyond Hollygirt. For those continuing their education at university, this will include detailed guidance and individual support on completing their UCAS application and preparing a personal statement. For those wishing to start their careers, we provide tailored guidance on apprenticeships, higher (degree) apprenticeships and other career options.

Facilities

Our Sixth Form is based at Stevenson House, 9 Villa Road, one of Hollygirt's four Victorian buildings. Sixth Formers have a dedicated study space and common room.



Joining our Sixth Form.

Admissions entry requirements

On applying, you will be invited to an interview with the Head and Head of Sixth Form. We need to make sure that you will succeed in your course so we will have a realistic conversation. As experts in cognitive science, we understand the impact of test anxiety in high-stakes exams and thus will look at GCSE results in this light and with understanding.

Places will then be offered subject to a satisfactory school reference (external applicants only).

Whilst we accept applications year-round, please apply by the end of Autumn Term in order to best secure your subject preferences.

Enquiries

Our Admissions Manager, Mrs Charlotte Schmidt, is happy to talk through the admissions process and arrange a tour of our Sixth Form and taster days. Our Head of Sixth Form, Alison Brown, will also answer any questions you may have.

Email charlotteschmidt@hollygirt.co.uk call 0115 958 0596 or register on the QR code below for more information.



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