



Sixth Form Entrance

A few boys are admitted each year into the Sixth Form (Year 12). **Candidates should be under 17 on 31 August in the year of entry.**

The academic expectations at Winchester are high. We are looking for boys with top academic standards who can also make a significant contribution to the life of the school.

The minimum standard for entry to the Sixth Form is six A/A* grades or grade 7 or above at GCSE or its equivalent. Competition is keen.

Most boys in the Sixth Form take three A Levels but those who take Mathematics early in Year 12 take four subjects. Other exceptions are those studying both Greek and Latin who may also take four, and those taking Mathematics and Further Mathematics who may take three further subjects. Details of the curriculum can be found on the website

<https://www.winchestercollege.org/learning/curriculum>.

Application forms are available from 1 May in the year before entry. Please contact the Deputy Registrar, Mrs Kate Yonge, at admissions@wincoll.ac.uk or 01962 621247.

Completed forms should be returned no later than 5 October 2020. Overseas candidates should arrange to sit UKiset assessment tests (www.ukiset.com), ensuring that results reach us by 5 October 2020.

The virtual Sixth Form Open Day for prospective applicants and their parents is on Saturday 12 September 2020. The morning will include an introduction from the Headmaster and a live Q and A session with the Headmaster and senior members of staff. Please do register with Miss Georgina Tyrrell (glt@wincoll.ac.uk) so we have your details.

A shortlist of applicants will be invited to the school for interview and assessments on **Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 November 2020**. Candidates must sit their test at Winchester, and tests cannot be taken elsewhere or at any other time. Only parents of shortlisted candidates will be required to pay a £375 registration fee by the end of October 2020. Offers of places will be made on 1 December 2020; and, in accordance with HMC guidelines, we ask you to accept the offer within seven days. Parents of successful candidates will be asked to sign an agreement to pay fees and charges. The Parental Contract will be issued in early January 2021, to be returned together with the relevant deposit by 31 January 2021.

Means-tested financial support may be offered if appropriate. Parents of shortlisted candidates, who have indicated that they would require assistance with the fees, will therefore be sent a bursary assessment form, and are asked to complete and return it to the Bursar by post or email (bursaries@wincoll.ac.uk) by 30 October 2020.

Sixth Form entrants are eligible for Music Awards. The Master of Music welcomes enquiries from candidates. Further details from Miss J Ambrose (jma@wincoll.ac.uk).