

SUPPORTING OUR LEARNERS

We take great pride in our care and support for each individual, and this is a distinctive feature of our Sixth Form. Our focus on supporting all students to set aspirational goals, empowering them to achieve and building friendships for life, will secure success. High staffing ratios enable a highly personalised approach to pastoral care. The team of Sixth Form Personal Tutors monitor and advise on progress, mentoring the

students in preparation for the next phases of their lives as independent and confident young adults. Our individualised programme of support for university applications ensures that Sixth Formers have the expert guidance they need to embark on the next stage of their education.

A dedicated Sixth Form Student Services Coordinator ensures that students are supported each and every day.

"I knew this was the place in which I would strive academically and grow as a person."

Student



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WEYBRIDGE - SIXTH FORM

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to the Heathside School Sixth Form. We are very proud of our school and the Sixth Form shares our distinctive ethos which is underpinned by a strong culture of respect where happy, confident and successful learners thrive.

Heathside Sixth Form has a long standing reputation of excellent academic achievement. We want all of our students to be truly outstanding learners. They will challenge and question, synthesise complex ideas, conduct their own research and be confident taking risks when in lessons and working independently. They will continue to develop a lifelong passion for learning and be inspired to pursue academic interests beyond school. Highly qualified, well trained teachers enthuse, challenge and support our students. Our Sixth Form students act as outstanding role models both in the main school and in the wider community.

The Sixth Form offers a wide range of academic A Level subjects. The curriculum has been designed to provide students with a breadth of subject choice that will prepare them for the challenges ahead.



Mr N Renton
Director Of Sixth Form

“We are delighted with the support our daughter is receiving. Thank you Heathside.”

Parent

CURRICULUM AND LEARNING

At Heathside Sixth Form we offer a wide range of A Level courses chosen to meet the needs and aspirations of the overwhelming majority of our applicants. For our teaching staff, delivery of A Level courses is seen as both a pleasure and a challenge; a pleasure to teach at the limit of the school curriculum and a challenge to stretch the achievement of many young minds and prepare them for university study. Heathside’s curriculum offer is based on our long track record of Sixth Form success and our knowledge of subjects chosen by our past students and

their subsequent academic and employment achievement. Currently we offer a total of 23 A Level courses and have recently added Religious Studies: Philosophy and Ethics in response to student interest. Our offer includes all those categorised as ‘facilitating subjects’ by the influential Russell Group of universities; these are courses that they consider offer access to the widest range of university degrees.

A Level courses are going through a period change. The content of nearly all courses is being revised and alongside this assessment

processes have been completely redesigned. A key priority for our Sixth Form staff is to best prepare our students for further education and employment; keeping abreast of these changes is vital to ensure effective support and in particular support for those going on to university.

Heathside’s aspiration is simple; to deliver the best advice and support possible for each and every one of our Sixth Form students.

EMBRACING CHALLENGE

Our outstanding Sixth Form offers a stimulating and supportive learning environment where students mature into rounded young adults. We provide a wide range of extracurricular activities to suit all interests and talents be they academic or sporting. The facilities at Heathside support and enhance teaching and learning.

The curriculum is enriched with many trips and visits within this country and abroad. Recent visits include skiing in Austria, Humanities trips to Kraków and Naples, a French homestay in Montpellier and a Science study visit to South Africa.

Students are able to take part in the Duke of Edinburgh award scheme and we have students completing at both silver and gold level. Our extensive volunteering programme in Year 12 ensures that our students consider their impact in the wider community.

“The Sixth Form is outstanding.”

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