

Preparing for Sixth Form

07 November 2018







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- **1.** No free classes are actually free classes
- 2. Your A-levels are important balance your work load
- 3. Make the most of the library
- 4. Get involved with clubs + societies
- 5. Make it worth remembering



Our admissions requirements

- Minimum academic requirement is six GCSEs grades 9 – 5, including at least three 6 grades or equivalent.
- Candidates will normally have at least grade 6 in subjects to be studied to Alevel, but it is necessary to have at least a grade 7 in:
 - Mathematics
 - Latin
 - Modern Foreign Languages
 - Sciences
- Check each subject for specific requirements





Getting our students where they want to go

- 91% into first choice university, 9% second choice
- Destinations this year included Oxford, Durham, Bristol, Imperial College, Loughborough and Warwick
- Courses included Law, English, Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, Architecture and Electronic Engineering
- Degree Apprenticeships with Rolls Royce and KPMG
- Support through the Old Princethorpians network for university and beyond





Choosing your subjects

- Princethorpe College students study three A-levels (occasionally four) with an EPQ in Lower Sixth
- Choose your three subjects carefully
- Base your choices on:
 - Your enjoyment of and interest in particular areas (enjoyment = motivation = success)
 - Your **GCSE performance** in any relevant courses (note GCSE requirements for some A-levels)
 - Your **future education and career plans** (a few degrees require specific A-levels)
 - **Research** into the content of the courses this evening



Next steps

Internal students:

 A structured plan of support is in place – your tutors will be working with you and your parents over the rest of this year to guide and encourage you

Options Survey – by Wednesday 21 November 2018 Option Choices Confirmation – by end of February 2019 Sixth Form Offers – week commencing Monday 1 April 2019



Princethorpe College

Year 11 Parents'

GCSE Revision Evening

hosted by Martin Griffin co-author of The GCSE Mindset

Monday 26 November 6.00pm – 7.30pm The Clarkson Theatre The GCSE Mindset 40 activities for transforming student commitment, motivation and productivity Steve Oakes and Martin Griffin

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Leavers' Destinations

- Aberystwyth University
- Aston University
- Bangor University
- Birmingham
 Conservatoire
- Birmingham University
- Cambridge University
- Cardiff University
- De Montford University
- Exeter University
- Glasgow University
- Hartpury College
- Hull University
- Keele University
- Kings College, London
- Loughborough University

- Maastrict University
- Manchester
 Conservatoire
- Manchester University
- Newcastle University
- Northampton University
- Oxford Brookes
- Oxford University
- Plymouth University
- Portsmouth University
- Queen Mary University of London
- Queens University Belfast
- Royal Academy of Dance

University College
 London

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- University of Birmingham
- University of Edinburgh
- University of Leeds
- University of Liverpool
- University of Nottingham
- University of Reading
- University of Southampton
- University of Warwick
- University of Westminster
- University of Worcester
- Utrecht, Germany



Leavers' Courses

- Accounting and Finance
- Aerospace Engineering
- Agriculture
- Animal Biology
- Apprenticeship Accountancy & Finance
- Apprenticeship Railway engineering
- Architecture
- Astrophysics
- Automotive and Transport Design
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Business and Economics
- Business and International Relations
- Chemical Engineering (MA)
- Civil Engineering
- Classics
- Computer Science with year in industry
- Construction Management
- Counselling Psychology
- Creative Writing and English Language

- Criminology and Psychology
- Dance
- Dentistry
- Digital Marketing
 Apprenticeship at Elle
 MagazineDrama and Theatre
 Practice
- Eastern European History
- Economics
- English
- English Literature
- English with History
- Environmental Geography
- Equestrian Sports Coaching
- Events Management
- Film and Television Studies
- Geography
- History
- International Business Management
- Law

- Marine and Freshwater Biology
- Mathematics and Actuarial Studies
- Mechanical Engineering
- Medicine
- Midwifery
- Music

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- Music Technology
- Philosophy, Religion and Ethics
- Photography
- Physics
- Physiotherapy
- Pilot Training
- Product Design
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Sports Science
- Theatre and Performance
- Veterinary Nursing
- Veterinary Science
- Zoology



Oxbridge

- Run in conjunction with Careers and the UCAS process
- 6 students were given interviews this year







Our aims

- To treat every Sixth Former as an individual and help them, whatever their level of ability, to reach and extend their full academic potential
- To help your children leave Princethorpe as independently minded, morally grounded young men and women, equipped to succeed in life and be a force for good

