



BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL



✓ Hard Work

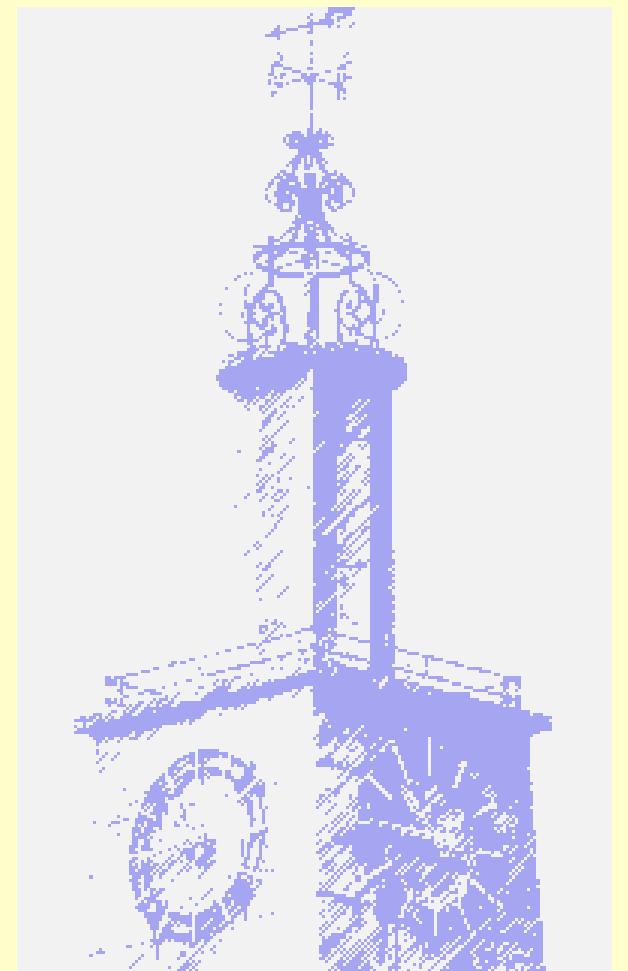
✓ Discipline

✓ Smart Appearance

✓ Respect

Why join our Sixth Form?

- A large Sixth Form with a track record of excellence
- Students are treated as young adults and take on meaningful responsibilities in the school
- First class advice and guidance on next steps
- Extensive extra-curricular activities
- Not a “bolt-on” but the “jewel in our crown”



Ofsted Outcomes

“Pupils flourish at this exceptional school”

“Pupils receive an excellent quality of education and, as a result, achieve highly”

“Leaders and governors share a clear and ambitious vision for all pupils”

(February 2024)



Ofsted Outcomes: The Sixth Form

“Sixth form study programmes are ambitious and tailored to students’ needs”


“Sixth form students mentor younger students, volunteer in local hospitals and run their own clubs and societies”

“There are extensive opportunities for students to take on meaningful leadership roles”

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An Over-Arching Approach



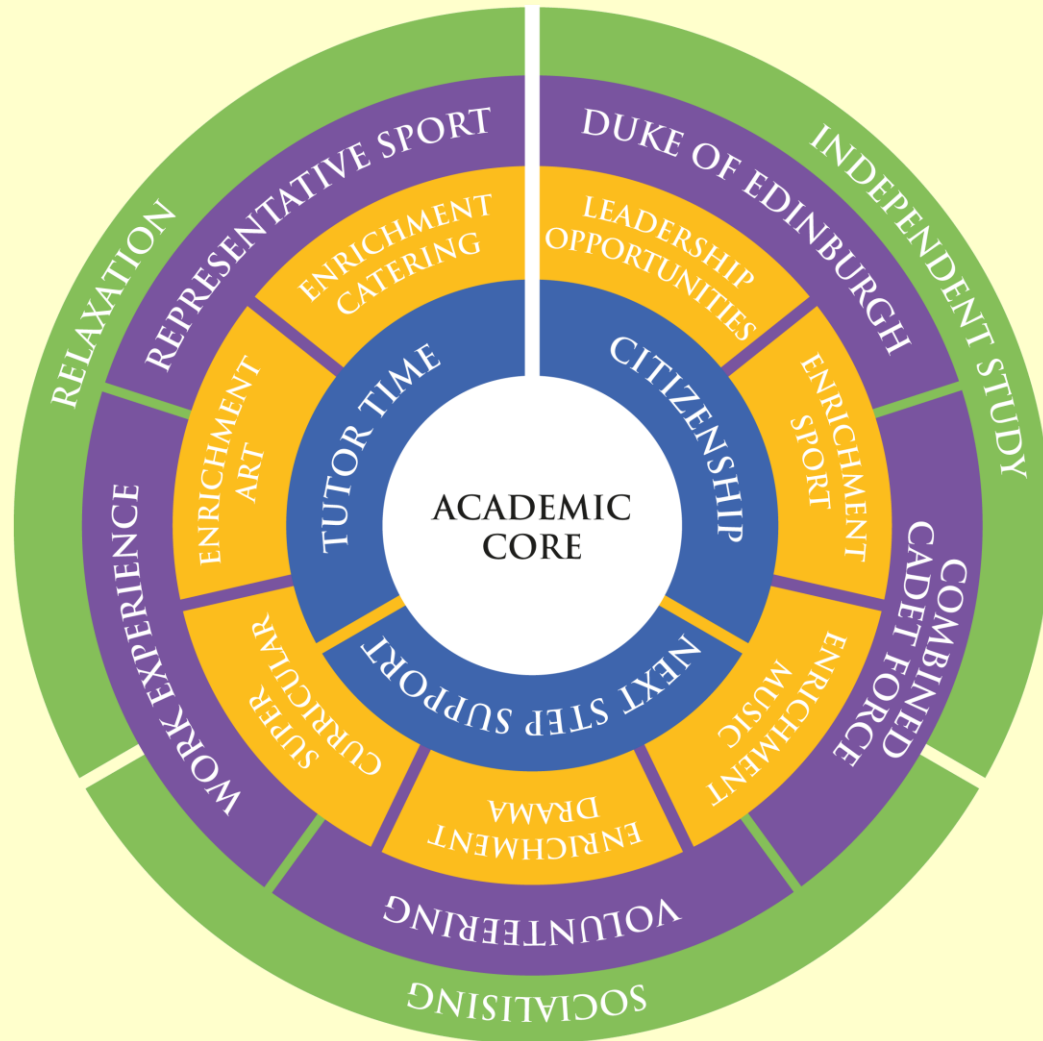
Nothing wilts faster than laurels
that have been rested upon.

Percy Bysshe Shelley

How are we different to other sixth forms?

- A phased approach to the transition from Year 11 to Year 12 and beyond
- High expectations:
 - Attendance and engagement
 - Dress
 - Attitude (within and beyond subject lessons)
 - Developing independence over time
- High quality support from experienced teachers, tutors and other colleagues
- An excellent reputation with employers and higher education providers

Ambitious, bespoke study programmes



Joining our Sixth Form is not just about your A level subjects!

A Level Subjects

- Art & Design
- Biology
- Business Studies
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Design & Technology (Product Design)
- Economics
- English Literature
- French
- Further Mathematics
- Geography
- German
- Graphic Communication
- History
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Politics
- Psychology
- Religious Studies
- Spanish

We do not currently offer AS qualifications

Beyond Lessons

- Prefect roles
- Mentoring
- School Council
- Charity Events
- Combined Cadet Force
- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- Volunteering
 - ✓ Lower School Classes
 - ✓ Primary Schools
 - ✓ Hospitals & Local Care Homes
- Enrichment activities
- Representative Sports
- Leading Societies, e.g.
 - ✓ Art
 - ✓ Catering
 - ✓ Chess
 - ✓ Computing
 - ✓ Drama
 - ✓ Law
 - ✓ Medical
 - ✓ Psychology

An ever-evolving provision!

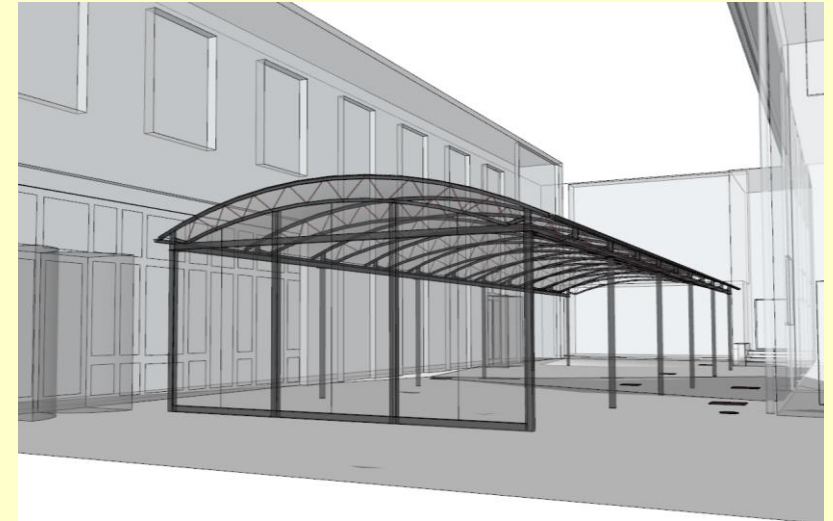
Facilities and Resources

- ✓ Study centre
- ✓ A well-stocked library
- ✓ IT and printing facilities
- ✓ BYOD and remote access
- ✓ Textbooks and online materials
- ✓ Music practice rooms
- ✓ Outstanding sporting facilities
- ✓ Access to *Le Bistro* in non-contact periods



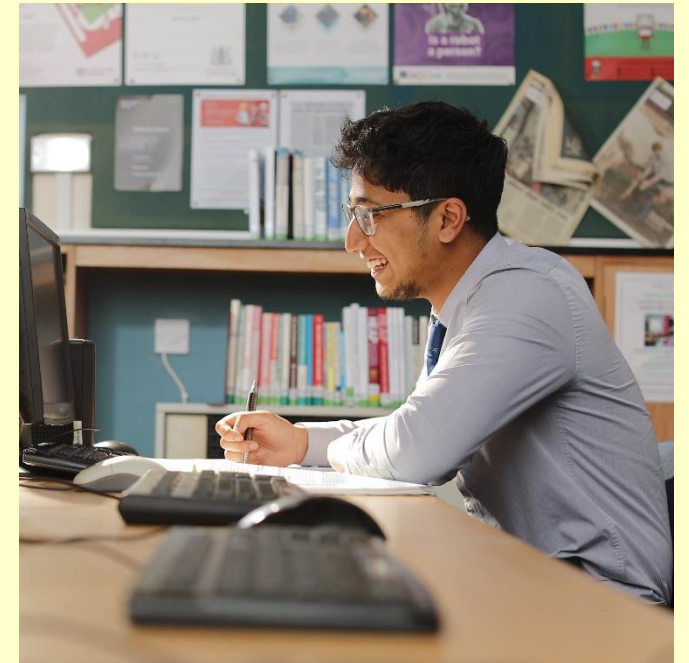
Further Improvements (by September 2025)

- Outdoor (covered) dining area
- Fully refurbished lecture theatre
- Three new additional IT suites
- Remodelled toilets in the library block



Joining our Sixth Form

- Consider all the courses available – *seek advice!*
- Research HE/career possibilities and their requirements
- Complete the online application form (submit by **31 January**)
- You'll need a capped (best 8) GCSE points score of at least 48, with a grade 5 (or higher) in both English Language and Mathematics
- Aim for as many 6+ results as possible to maximise your choices (each course has its own entry requirements – see Subject Information guide)
- No other entry criteria (i.e. no interview to pass)





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Our Sixth Form

An education to last a lifetime



Mrs Clare Brown

Director of Sixth Form



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A record of academic success

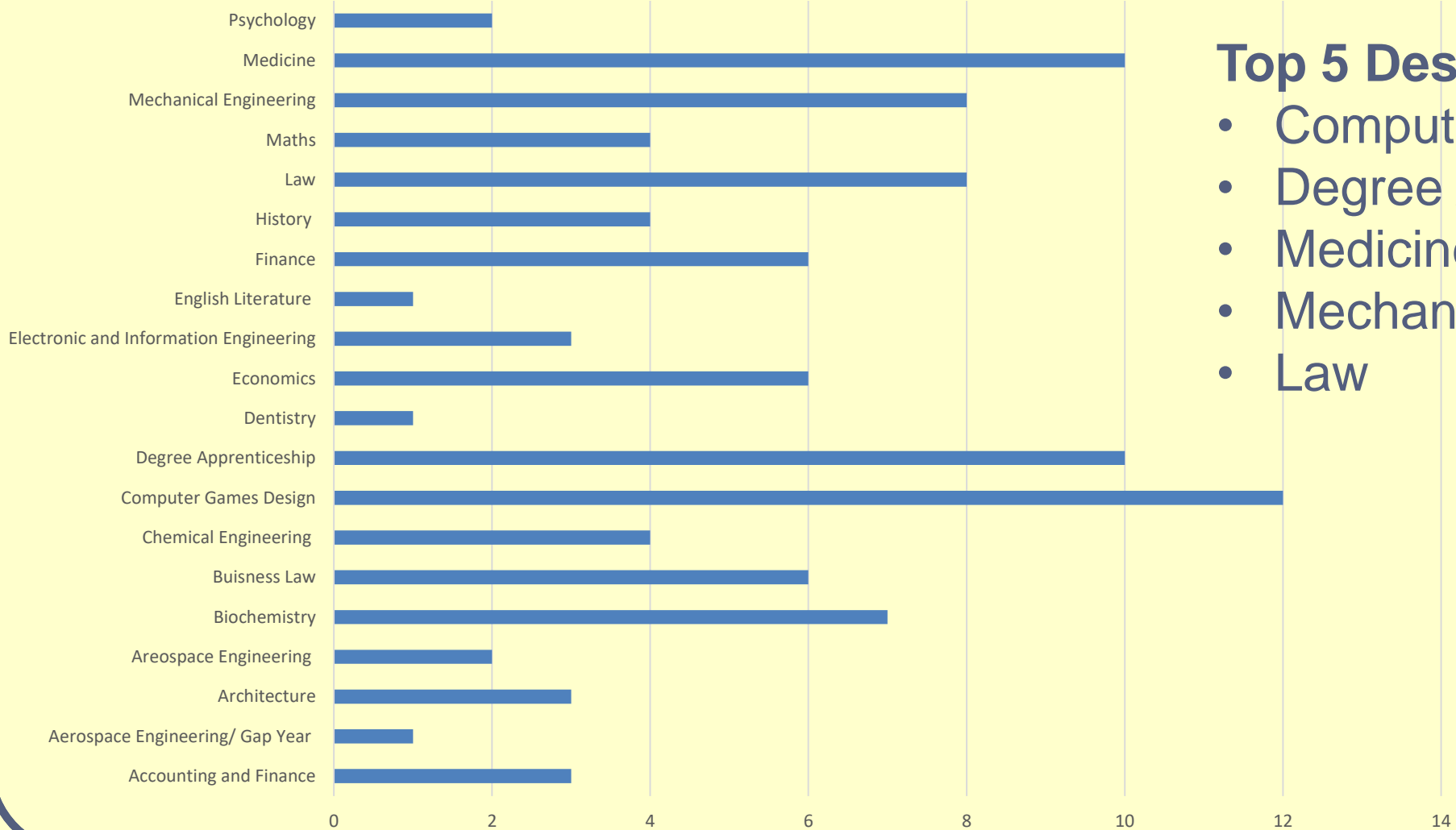
**Overall, almost
42% of all entries
were graded A*
or A**

**82% were
graded A* - C**

**Seventeen
students
achieved at
least 2 A* and 1
A grades**



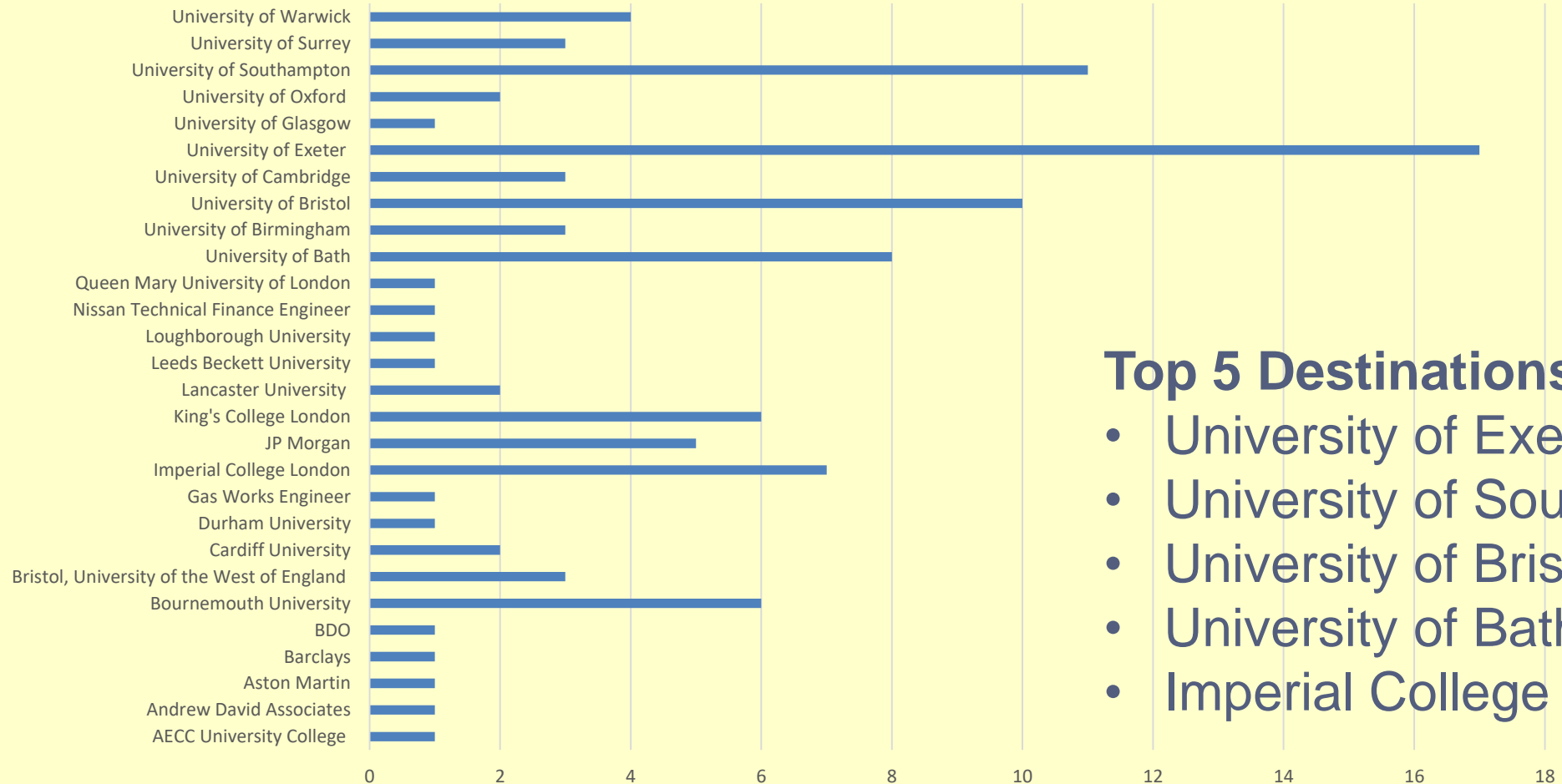
Destinations: Courses



Top 5 Destinations

- Computing
- Degree Apprenticeship
- Medicine
- Mechanical Engineering
- Law

Destinations: Institutions



Top 5 Destinations

- University of Exeter
- University of Southampton
- University of Bristol
- University of Bath
- Imperial College London

Interest Talks



Student Profiles

Fellow at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government, and former Chief of Staff to the British Government's National Infrastructure Commission.



- Short listed for Apprentice of the year
- Works for Jaguar Land Rover – Level 7 Apprenticeship
- Achieved 1 of only 6 places nationally

The Bournemouth School Mindset

- Working day ethos
- Supportive transition to a proactive learner
- Enrichment
- Work-related learning
- Bursary
- Pastoral care



Joining our Sixth Form – *next steps this evening*

- Visit subject areas/tours from prefects
- Subject specific talks in the Study Centre
- Informal advice in *Le Bistro* from both students and staff
- *Why not apply today?* Support is available in the Study Centre

Key Dates

Deadline for Applications	31 January 2025
Sixth Form Experience Day	26 June 2025
GCSE Results Day	21 August 2025
Registration Day	1 September 2025
First Day of Term	3 September 2025

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