



KIRKHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL

FAMILY ETHOS - INSPIRATIONAL TEACHING - FULFIL POTENTIAL

A GUIDE TO SIXTH FORM SCHOLARSHIPS

AN OUTSTANDING OPPORTUNITY

Kirkham Grammar School Sixth Form offers pupils from across Lancashire and beyond the best possible academic education, encouraging and supporting them in their move on to university and in their careers. Academic excellence underpins our belief that all our pupils must be equipped to excel in the fiercely competitive world of work.

With this in mind, each Sixth Form pupil is encouraged to seize every opportunity to widen their experiences and embrace challenge. Drama, music and sport feature prominently, and individual independence of thought and action is fostered in the setting of our dedicated Sixth Form Centre which provides a peaceful and mature environment in which to study. Careers advice, personalised UCAS application workshops and co-curricular activities are embedded in the curriculum. Learning opportunities outside the classroom, such as visits to university departments and residential visits in the UK and abroad, provide wider horizons. This enables our pupils to claim their place as global citizens and embrace the challenges of the ever-changing world.



SCHOLARSHIPS

Are awarded to outstanding pupils who will serve as leaders of the school community and beyond.



Holding firm our desire to promote our Kirkham Grammar School ethos, we have created an innovative scheme of scholarships.

Small classes, highly qualified and experienced teachers and a culture which promotes ambition, excellence and leadership combine to give pupils the very best opportunities as they look to move on successfully to the next stage of their education or career. Possession of a Sixth Form Scholarship not only assists with fees, but is also very influential with University Admissions Tutors and employers. A pupil may also receive more than one award.

The School also offers means-tested bursaries and these can be awarded in addition to scholarships where appropriate. Those already in receipt of a KGS bursary and become eligible for scholarships may still be entitled to both but will have their bursaries reviewed in light of the award of any new scholarship.

Kirkham Grammar School has a long association with the Drapers' Company, one of the City of London's livery companies. Every two years, one of our Sixth Form pupils will benefit from the Drapers' Bursary Award which provides financial support towards the cost of school fees*. The recipient of this award will be nominated by the Head and it will be presented to a pupil who has excelled academically in their GCSEs and who will make an all-round positive contribution to the school.

**This award is only open to pupils joining our Sixth Form from an external school*



ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships will be applied automatically on entry to Sixth Form. In order for an award to be granted, pupils will be asked to provide detailed information after the publication of GCSE results. Parents and pupils are warmly invited to discuss predicted grades with the Head of Sixth Form.

GCSE Grades	Reduction in Fees
6 x Grade 7 or above	4%
8 x Grade 7 or above	8%
10 x Grade 7 or above	10%



DRAMA, MUSIC AND SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS

Prospective Sixth Form pupils are eligible for a Scholarship Award based on their abilities in drama, music or sport. Our Sixth Form Registration Form invites any prospective pupil to indicate if they wish to apply for a scholarship in any of these fields. The relevant scholarship application will then be issued with full details of how to apply. Scholarship amounts are awarded at the discretion of the Head.

Pupils should complete a Scholarship Application form and return to the Registrar by 1 March. Such scholarships can be awarded alongside Academic and loyalty awards but will not exceed 50% discount when combined (excluding Bursaries). The Head reserves the right to review the awards should they exceed this amount.



OFFER OF A SCHOLARSHIP

Assuming successful, a scholarship will be offered by April. Successful candidates should then return the Acceptance Form as soon as possible in order to secure their place.

Academic Scholarships will be awarded after the publication of GCSE results in August.

KIRKHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL LOYALTY AWARD

We are delighted to offer current pupils a Kirkham Grammar Loyalty Award. This award will be given automatically based on the number of years a pupil has attended the school. This can also be combined with Scholarship Awards. The Head reserves the right to review these awards should they exceed the maximum amount.

All awards will be updated on new invoices at the start of the Academic Year.

Length of time at KGS	Reduction in Fees
8 years or more	10%
5 years or more	8%
Currently on roll	4%



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