



Waseley Hills High School



2023 Entry

6th Form Prospectus

Welcome

Being a part of Waseley Sixth really does mean being part of a community, not only with your peers but the whole school.

Our Sixth Form students here at Waseley Hills High School are ambassadors of success, aspiration and change and they strive to achieve their very best in their academic studies and their experiences are underpinned by a variety of opportunities and privileges that make our Sixth Form a truly special place.

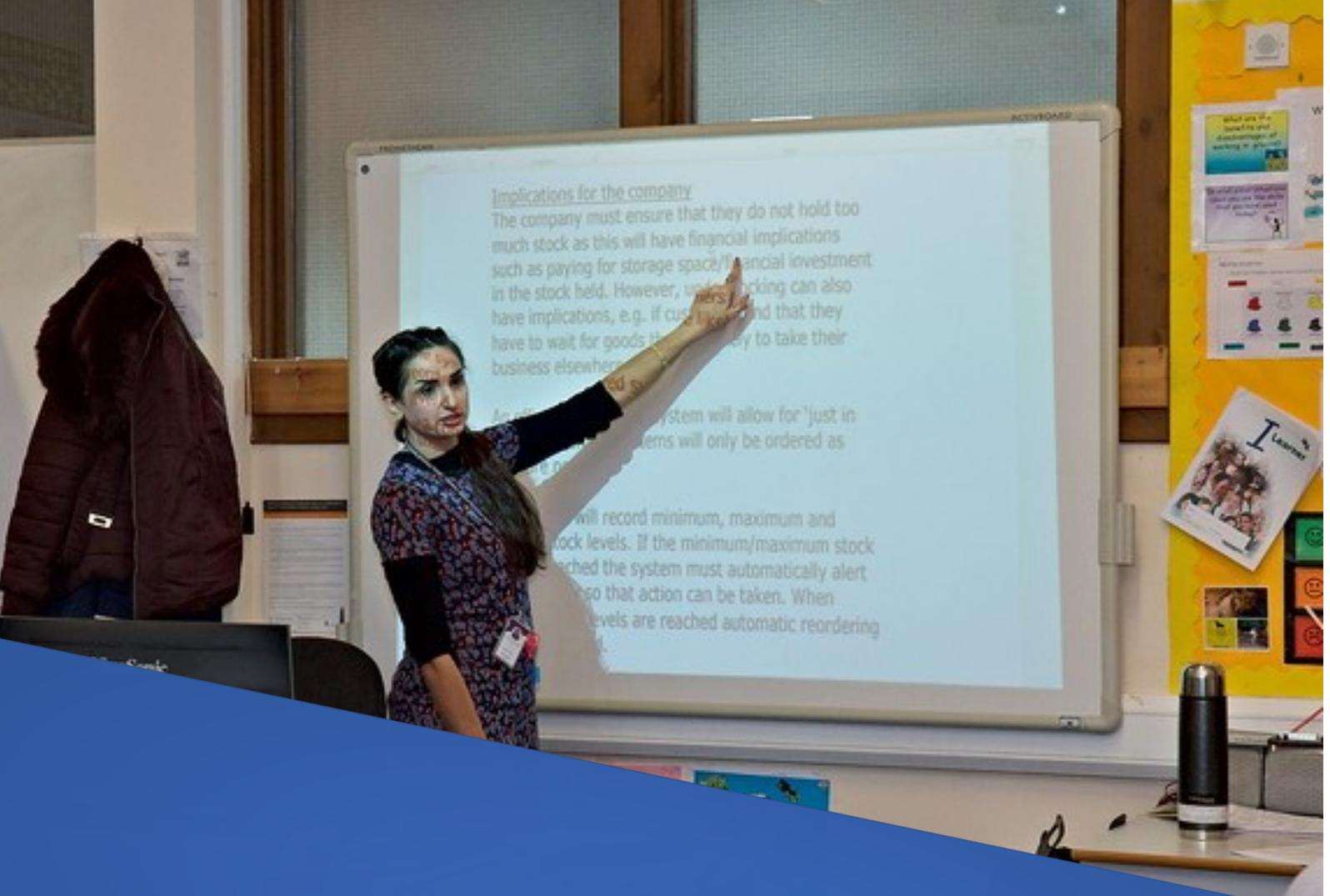
Waseley Hill's Sixth Form experience is underpinned by three core pillars of success, pastoral support, academic excellence and enrichment. Our Post 16 provision is delivered by subject experts who utilise their specialist knowledge to deliver the curriculum in a challenging and engaging way, supporting all students to achieve their very best. Students at Waseley Sixth benefit from smaller class sizes where their teachers know them well and can tailor provision to individual needs.

Our Sixth Form students are supported and guided through their time here by a dedicated expert pastoral team who are specialists in Post 16 provision; this team support taking students through from Year 12 to 13, supporting in post 18 applications and the delivery of our bespoke Culture Curriculum.

Through our leadership and enrichment programme students at Waseley Sixth can explore their passions and interests fully, participating in various non qualification opportunities that enable them to create a full and rich portfolio of evidence for their Post 18 destinations in addition to giving back to their community. I feel proud to say that our students here at Waseley Sixth feel that they belong and are part of something special.

Mrs Gemma Loveridge
Vice Principal

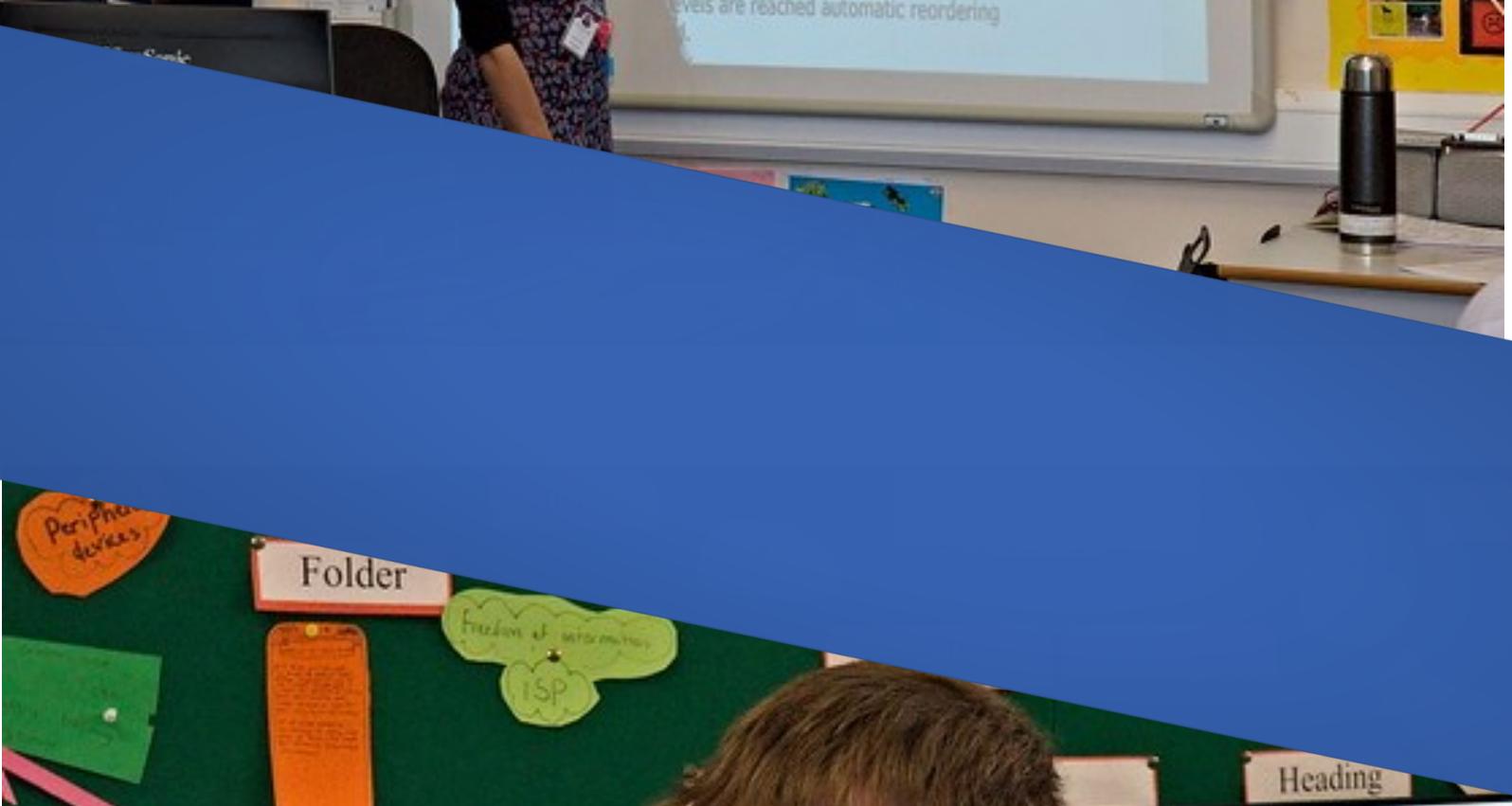




Implications for the company
The company must ensure that they do not hold too much stock as this will have financial implications such as paying for storage space/financial investment in the stock held. However, stock holding can also have implications, e.g. if customers find that they have to wait for goods they may prefer to take their business elsewhere.

An efficient system will allow for 'just in time' stock levels. Items will only be ordered as they are needed.

The system will record minimum, maximum and current stock levels. If the minimum/maximum stock levels are reached the system must automatically alert the manager so that action can be taken. When the minimum levels are reached automatic reordering can be initiated.



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Heading

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Achievement

We take academic achievement very seriously here at Waseley Sixth. The below figures are taken from the 2022 examination series and demonstrate the positive outcomes, standards and achievement of our students.

A* - A Grades

20%

A* - B Grades

45%

A* - C Grades

71%

A* - E Grades

98%

Average Grade

C+

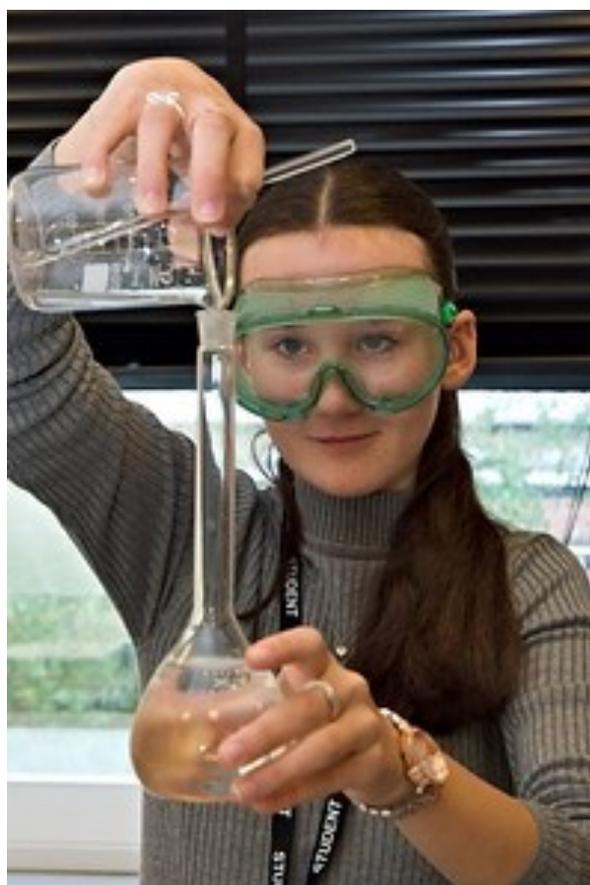
Bespoke Curriculum

Students at Waseley Sixth are able to choose from a variety of academic courses to create a package that will not only allow them to progress on to their desired career path but will also challenge, stretch and inspire their interest and passion.

Students are expected to study these courses full time, for two years, alongside other non qualification based enrichment choices, to ensure a suite of qualifications and experiences that will open many doors for them in the future. With a number of subjects to choose from students are able to create a bespoke package that will engage and challenge them throughout their time with us.

Subjects on offer:

- Mathematics
- Further Mathematics
- English Literature
- English Language
- Physics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Geography
- History
- Sociology
- Psychology
- Art and Design
- Physical Education
- Business Studies
- Economics
- Level 3 ICT
- Spanish



Entry Requirements

Students must meet the entry requirements for each subject they are applying to study in addition to achieving 5 GCSEs and grade 5 and above. More information about the content of each subject, including its entry requirements and how it is assessed is available on our website.



Enrichment

Today's universities and employers seek well rounded individuals who have explored a range of experiences to develop their skills and character. To this end Waseley Hills offer an extensive range of extra curricular and enrichment opportunities for students to add to their package in a way that suits them.

Students are encouraged to participate in a range of opportunities that build skills and provide valuable lessons for life. All students are encouraged to choose one enrichment option to complete within their independent study periods, some students choose to participate in more than one opportunity if their work load allows. In addition students are expected to complete relevant and valuable work experience in Year 12, typically for a week towards the end of the year, in order to prepare them for working life.

What Enrichment is Available?

- Extended Project Qualification
- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- IDEA Award
- Civic Ambassadors



Other Enrichment Opportunities Available:

- UK Mathematics Trust challenges
- Team building trips and activities
- Visits to national museums and galleries
- Geography and History field trips
- Trips to Universities and workplaces
- Workshops with visitors and guest speakers



Charity Work

In the wider community, Waseley Sixth Formers are renowned for their generosity and civic pride. The annual 'Pensioners' Tea Party' is a popular Christmas event with students and local residents alike, and the charitable deeds of individual students and the Sixth Form as a whole speak volumes for the selfless, generous attitude on which we pride ourselves.

Student Leadership

At Waseley Sixth student leadership forms a large part of Sixth Form life.

Being part of our leadership team will allow you to develop personal skills such as communication, organisation, resilience and responsibility in addition to being part of shaping the experiences of the whole school. Being part of this team will also allow you to develop a portfolio of evidence for personal statements, portfolios and CVs.

Student Ambassadors

In Year 12 students are provided the opportunity to support out school and wider community as Student Ambassadors. This is the first step in developing your role as leaders within the school. Student Ambassadors have a responsibility to assist subject teachers in lower school lessons, mentoring younger students and supporting staff in the supervision of social time.

Lead Ambassadors

In Year 13 you will have the opportunity to become one of our Lead Ambassadors, this is our senior leadership team who lead numerous committees such as charity, social and civic in addition to representing the school at large and public events.

Committees

In both Year 12 and 13 you will also have the opportunity to join one of our many committees who support the Sixth Form and whole school in leading exciting and engaging events. Our committees include charity, social and civic.



Destinations

Students at Waseley Sixth receive regular careers guidance in relation to their post 18 aspirations. This ranges from targeted sessions in our Culture programme to University trips, guest speakers, mock apprenticeship interviews and personal statement and CV writing support. We work hard to ensure our students are fully prepared for the next stage in their lives.

We are very proud of the aspirations our students have to lead successful and engaging lives after their studies. Our students secure destinations in some of the countries most sought after Universities, including students who apply to Oxbridge, Medicine and Dentistry.

Previous University Destinations for our students:

- Newcastle
- Birmingham
- Liverpool
- Worcester
- Warwick
- Lincoln
- Lancashire
- Keele
- Plymouth
- Manchester
- Leeds
- Northampton
- Bangor

92%

Of students who applied to University secured a place at their chosen destination in 2022.

Expectations and Support

We expect our students to uphold the high expectations and values we have for our community.

We expect students to be mature, independent, driven, ambitious and aspirational. We have high standards of our Sixth Form students in their dress code, standard of work, behaviour and commitment to the school community. Sometimes students may need support in order to get things right and our Sixth Form team are on hand to implement a number of strategies to ensure students are as successful as possible.

This is why we review students attitude to learning and behaviour when they apply to the Sixth Form either through an internal interview utilising internal systems or through a reference for external applicants.

Our end of year mock examinations in Year 12 and our Year 13 entrance criteria also ensure that students remain on a positive journey throughout their time in the Sixth Form.

Application Process

We are looking forward to welcoming students and parents to our options evening on Thursday 26th January 2023 5—6.30pm. The Head of Sixth Form Welcome will commence at 5pm the main school hall and there will then be an opportunity to speak to subject staff about the courses on offer and explore our Sixth Form Centre.

STEP ONE:

Following on from our options evening students are to complete an application form online (link on website) and submit it no later than Friday 24th February

STEP TWO:

Attend your allocated interview either in person (current WHH students) or on TEAMS (external applicants) Interviews will take place shortly after February half term

STEP THREE:

During your interview confirm your preferred choices, enrichment package and explore opportunities for student leadership. If successful you should then await confirmation of your offer. Please note all offers of subject packages will not be fully confirmed until results day, all offers are subject to change.

STEP FOUR:

Stay tuned for more information about our fantastic induction programme

If you would like to arrange a tour of our Sixth Form and do not currently study at Waseley Hills High School please contact the school reception and someone will get back to you.



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