



# POCKLINGTON SIXTH FORM

Ages 16 to 18



*Inspired for life!*

Up to 100% fee assistance available

## It's all about you

Sixth Form is a time to extend intellectual independence, follow passions – and aim high. We support our students individually to develop their strengths and become well-rounded young adults who achieve on their own terms.

Small classes, led by academic specialists, make the focus required at this level both stimulating and enjoyable. You choose your own programme of study from a broad and diverse curriculum of A Levels and BTECs. Lectures and presentations delivered by visiting experts also promote original and cross-disciplinary thought.

A breadth of co-curricular activities offers a refreshing change of perspective as well as developing confidence and resilience, and opportunities are available for you to contribute to the wider life of the school by taking on leadership roles and responsibilities.



## Up to 100% fee assistance available

If you think you would benefit from joining the Sixth Form at Pocklington School, we can offer financial assistance of up to 100% of school fees. Assistance is available to applicants who:

- meet our entrance criteria but whose family do not have the means to pay our school fees
- will make sound academic progress at Pocklington School and possess the potential to develop the quality of their work
- will take advantage of the wider co-curricular activities on offer at the school
- will benefit from becoming a lifelong member of the Pocklington School community

NB: all applications for fee assistance are strictly means-tested

*“Pocklington School felt like home from the very first time I visited, and I was sure from the outset that it could provide me with the opportunity to succeed in my professional ambitions.”*

James Reckitt, Barrister and former bursary student at Pocklington School

## Why choose the Sixth Form at Pocklington School?

In addition to excellent academic provision and pastoral care, we support our students in their personal development with the aim of preparing them effectively for their next steps after school.

Students benefit from:

- One-to-one guidance and advice from our specialist Careers Service including careers meetings, support for university applications, advice on apprenticeships, CV support, interview skills, academic scholarship information and GAP year options
- Specialist support and advice for students interested in medicine, veterinary medicine, dentistry, physiotherapy and nursing
- Specialist support and advice for students applying to the Universities of Cambridge or Oxford
- Guidance and support for students wishing to study at overseas universities
- A wide range of sport and co-curricular activities including music, drama, the CCF and the Duke of Edinburgh Award programme
- Access to our Careers and Business Network and invitations to their programme of events
- Membership of the Old Pocklingtonian Association once you leave the school



The Pocklington School Foundation Careers & Business Network is open to the whole school community. Its aim is to help each other thrive in a highly competitive world and, by working together, to help inspire our students, and each other, for life.

The Network provides access to Old Pocklingtonians (former students), current and former parents, governors and staff for advice and support in a range of business areas and professions.

For further information about fee assistance and how to apply, visit [www.pocklingtonschool.com/scholarships-and-bursaries](http://www.pocklingtonschool.com/scholarships-and-bursaries) or call 01759 321255.

"The Bursary I secured from Pocklington School has enabled me to take up great opportunities in my A Level subjects. The community action, the musical theatre and both the house drama and house music events have all given me the feel of a certain amount of responsibility and also have been a fun way to socialise. The staff and pupils were very welcoming to me and I've met some great friends. I believe Pocklington will help me aim for the grades I want and will offer support and joy in my every day learning, so that one day, I will follow my dreams in a musical or political career or any other opportunities that may come my way."

**Sixth form student**

*"As a parent you want your child to succeed and help them achieve their dreams. My son has dreamt of being a medic from a very young age and being offered a bursary to attend Pocklington School is enabling him to be in the very best position to achieve his ambition."*

**Parent of bursary student**

**Sixth Form student,  
Xylia Milsom**

"The opportunities at Pocklington are incredible and without a bursary I would not have been able to make the most of them. Confidence is the biggest characteristic that has grown throughout my experience here. I came with very little and I will leave with the belief that I can do something I would have said 'no' to beforehand. This is down to the teachers' belief in your abilities. Every teacher at this school will focus on a child and work with them to their own potential, whatever that may be."



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