

## Welcome to

6th form @ Swakeleys enjoy achieve aspire succeed



# **Open Evening 24**







# Welcome



Ms Stevenson Head Teacher





## Why choose 6th Form @ Swakeleys?

We <u>empower</u> students to <u>achieve</u> outstanding academic results

We <u>enable</u> students to develop their wider skills for <u>success</u> and be part of our community

We <u>encourage</u> and support students to realise their aspirations

We <u>care</u> for students wellbeing so they can <u>enjoy</u> being at Sixth Form









## **Empowering students**

## Achieve

We <u>empower</u> students to achieve outstanding academic results

	2024	
	A Level	WITH BTEC
A*/A	21%	25%
A*-B	56%	56%
A*-C	79%	80%
A*-E	<b>99</b> %	<b>99</b> %
Average Grade		В-

Strong track record of exceptional academic progress, which is both above:

- National average
- Other local 6th Forms

Inclusive - academic progress for all

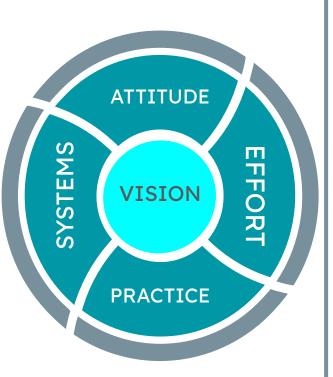
'Teachers have strong subject knowledge, which is especially evident in the sixth form'. Ofsted 2022

## **Empowering students**

## Achieve

### We empower students to achieve outstanding academic results

- Developing understanding of key characteristics of a successful 6th Form student
- Supervised study periods in 6th Form LRC exam practice in silent environment
- Peer mentoring in Form Groups
- Regular academic reviews, target setting, and one to one mentoring
- Regular teaching and learning meetings for 6th form teachers







Khushleen Chahal

**Head Girl** 



## **Enabling student success**

## Succeed

We <u>enable</u> students to develop their wider skills for success and be part of our community

- Student leadership programme
- Learning mentors
- Super-curricular study periods
- School Council Chair/Secretary
- Subject Ambassadors
- Tailor-made PSHCE programme
- DofE
- Mark Evison Foundation programme
- Oracy Form time Programme
- Level 3 Sports Leadership Award
- Community Champions Award
- EPQ

Leaders ensure that pupils development is extended beyond the academic subjects . They provide an extensive range of extra curricular activities and leadership opportunities. Ofsted 2022

#### Enabling student success Succeed We enable students to develop their wider skills for success and be part of our community Journalism society **Board Games club Badminton Club** First Aid Society **Extra Curricular clubs** Debating club Literature Society **Gospel Choir** Law Society Music clubs **Medicine Society** Self Defence Islamic Society and Sikh Sorority Mindfulness Archery club Colouring club Microscope club





Andrea Atanasova Deputy Head Girl



## **Encouraging Student Aspiration**

## Aspire

#### We encourage and support students to realise their aspirations

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grades</u>	Current Destination
Ikram	A*AA	LSE - Accounting and Finance
Sharan	AAA	SOAS - Law
Roopjot	A*A*A	City - Business with Finance
Sabooh	A*AA	Kings - Biomedical Science
Bari	A*A*B	Queen Mary - Psychology
Tanya	AAA	Bristol - Economics and Politics
Jasleen	AAA	Queen Mary - Law
Yusef	AAA	Dental surgery - Plymouth

83% of students secured their first choice at university

Of those who secured a university place 31% will be attending a Russell Group University.

Other students were able to secure apprenticeship placements in finance, retail and childcare sectors

## Support for Future Pathways



An extensive careers programme offered across the school helps pupils, including those in the sixth form, to make informed decisions about their futures. Ofsted 2022

- Workshops on UCAS process/ writing personal statements / CV writing/ Apprenticeships
- Visits from alumni students
- Online students opportunities board
- 'My Future' Day and 'Taking about the Future' Day
- Work experience week



## **Widening Participation**

## Aspire

We encourage and support Year 12 students to access a range of widening participation courses to give them the advantage in University applications



## **Oxbridge and Medicine**

Aspire

We want to encourage students to be really ambitious in their goals and offer tailored support for students thinking of applying for Oxbridge and Medicine related courses.





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Substitution brighton and sussex medical school





Samia Abdullahi Deputy





## **Caring for Student Wellbeing**

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#### We <u>care</u> for students wellbeing so they can enjoy being at 6th Form

Pupils can identify trusted adults they can talk to and places they can go to in school if they have any concerns. Ofsted 2022

- Dedicated team of experienced tutors
- Head of 6th Form, Academic Lead, and Pastoral Lead
- Student Wellbeing Team
- Place 2 be
- PSHCE lessons on managing stress
- Workshops on dealing with examinations
- Mental Health First Aid station
- Quiet room passes
- Bursary Scheme

96% of students enjoy school all or most of the time

92% of students believe the 6th Form encourages them to look after their mental health 97% of students believe there is an adult in school they can talk to if they are worried

98% of students agree that their teachers listen to them

## **Caring for Student Wellbeing**

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#### We care for students wellbeing so they can enjoy being at Sixth Form

#### We run regular social events and trips to build community

- Theatre trips Hamilton / Six
- Ice skating
- Bowling
- Halloween dress up day
- Zorbing
- Hamper making
- Christmas bake off competition
- 6th Form sports afternoon
- Team building / Escape rooms
- Easter Treasure Hunt







Karina Soor

**Head Girl** 



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## What to do next?

• Visit subject presentations

- Complete the online application form available from tomorrow on school website. 3 students chosen randomly from students who apply be December will receive a £10 voucher Deadline 10th january
- Sixth Form Taster day Thursday 18th January (for current students)

• Interviews - February - after half term