



Sixth Form Prospectus
2025 - 2026



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Introduction

With the school values of 'respect', 'kindness' and 'determination' at its heart, our specialised programme will ensure that you have all the skills you will need to flourish in a changing education and social environment, no matter how challenging. We want our students to be ready for study, ready for work, ready for life.

Our dedicated, passionate, and knowledgeable Sixth Form team have developed an academic and extra-curricular programme that offers:

- Superb teachers who have high aspirations for all;
- An excellent pastoral support from an experienced team;
- A respect for various abilities and an academic offer that meets your needs;
- An extensive enrichment programme which enhances every individual's skillset as well as forging key links with our community;
- A designated Sports Academy, providing the highest quality in sports education and coaching.

The Cox Green Sixth Form has been praised for its commitment to ensuring all students make outstanding academic progress. Working with you, the school community will provide a platform to opportunities at some of Britain's top universities and apprenticeships, as well as opening doors to unique scholarships at home and abroad. These places have been gained by Cox Green Alumni based on the strength of character that emerges from the Sixth Form environment. Students are encouraged to embrace the 'Ambassador' programme and make the most of our comprehensive enrichment offer, which continues to grow year on year.

Please read ahead to discover more about our Sixth Form team, our academic and pastoral offer, and how to apply to the Sixth Form.



Headteacher's Welcome

The move into Sixth Form education is an important transition within each student's individual study pathway. Our ambition at Cox Green School is to give all students an opportunity to excel in academic, social, and extra-curricular experiences. These values are upheld across the whole school community: our Sixth Form students are actively encouraged to become independent learners and build on their Key Stage 4 skill set.

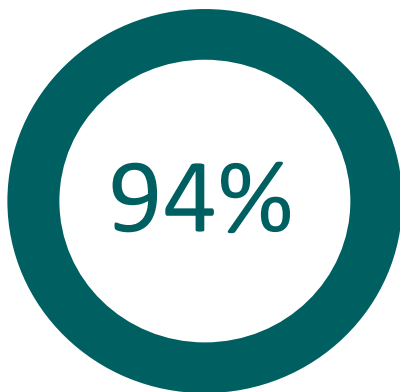


The Sixth Form curriculum at Cox Green is one that allows and supports opportunities for all: to apply for university; to secure apprenticeships; to progress into full time employment. Alongside our wider enrichment curriculum, our A Level and BTEC pathways offer the essential tools for our students to succeed. We provide a caring environment for students and their parents, coupled with good teaching. The demands of Sixth Form are rigorous, our expectations are high, and we require students to work hard. However, we believe each of our study pathways will offer students the ability and support to make continuous improvements to meet their chosen goals.

Our duty to students extends beyond helping them achieve academic success. We strive to ensure that they leave us with the essential life skills and experiences to flourish as young adults. Good teaching, hard work and support from home will lead to both academic and social successes for our students. We wish for students to aspire to make a positive contribution to society while achieving their dreams.

I wish you all the very best in your choices and look forward to seeing you at the Cox Green Sixth Form.

Mr Edwards
Headteacher



**Students said they
enjoyed their Sixth Form
experience**



**Students went onto university,
an apprenticeship or
employment**



**Students results from
2019-2024 were A*-C**

Stats based on Year 13 2024 Results

Be Respectful - Be Kind - Be Determined

Welcome from Head of Sixth Form

Welcome to the Cox Green Sixth Form prospectus. Thank you for taking the time to explore the wonderful opportunities available at our school for your post-16 study!

I joined the school in 2016 and I have witnessed first-hand the Sixth Form grow from strength to strength. I was therefore delighted to be given the opportunity to lead such a vibrant and flourishing part of the school.

Sixth Form is a special time in your life. During this time, you will forge everlasting relationships, get a fuller appreciation of your skills and passions, and build a foundation for your adult life. All the while, making unforgettable memories along the way. The Sixth Form team truly stands out for its excellence in providing opportunities for your future. Our enrichment offer for example, is second to none. In this programme you will gain the opportunity to work with local businesses, charities, and schools, develop extra qualifications outside of academic study or contribute to the community beyond the school gates.

Moreover, the advice and guidance in the process for applying to universities, apprenticeships and scholarship programmes is outstanding. The destinations of our alumni are a source of pride as students from Cox Green go on to achieve incredible and diverse offers from far and wide. For me, a Cox Green School Sixth Former will epitomise the fundamental values of the school: they will be kind, respectful and determined. This will see them tackle their academic challenges head on, contribute to the building of a vibrant and open community, and develop a broad skill set.

I encourage you to take advantage of any opportunity to visit the school and discover the amazing place this truly is, and I look forward to seeing you soon!

Mr Burrows
Head of Sixth Form



“Students are highly engaged in their learning and take pride in belonging to the improving sixth form ”

Ofsted(2024)



Meet the Sixth Form Team



Mr Burrows

Head of Sixth Form



Mr Smith

Head of Sports Academy



Mrs Morgan-Russell

Senior Leader Link



Miss Beech

Deputy Head of Sixth Form



Mrs Basher

Sixth Form Mentor



Mrs Thompson

Careers Guidance Officer



Mr Wines

Sports Academy



Mr Mallinson

Sports Academy

“Sixth Form students are learning more effectively through challenges set and tougher expectations of what they can achieve” Ofsted (2024)



The Sixth Form Centre

A designated space for our students, the Sixth Form Centre provides two large rooms available for our students to study, communicate and socialise. With facilities improving all of the time, our Sixth Form space is growing with the expansion of the Sixth Form. Students have new kitchen facilities, greater access to the on-site public library and our Sports Academy have use of the gym.



Study Ready – Post-16 Academia

On GCSE results day, it is the priority of the Sixth Form team to ensure you are on the appropriate courses linked to your future goals and academic performance. At Cox Green School you can select an A Level, BTEC or ‘blended’ pathway which equates to 3 A Levels.

Students have assigned ‘study periods’ for each subject which are built into their timetable. These study periods are planned by our dedicated A Level teachers who provide a framework for academic excellence. Alongside this, the Sixth Form team utilises opportunities to check your progress, support and guide you through transition to A Level study.

Studying at Post-16 provides greater independence, broadens your skill set and prepares you for undergraduate study. Moreover, the vast curriculum on offer provides you an opportunity to build the qualifications that best suit you, even providing the chance to tackle the prestigious EPQ. We encourage our staff to prepare you for the study required at university or in an apprenticeship environment, and to challenge you on a day to day basis.

Meanwhile, our professional coaching in the Sports Academy, as well as our incredible extra-curricular offer, teaches the value of being a well rounded individual to support your academic study.



“Students choose from a variety of vocational and academic subjects that prepare them well for future study, apprenticeships or work. (Ofsted(2024))

Life Ready - Beyond the Classroom

Our pastoral programme:

- **Support:** Our committed Sixth Form team will provide you with support every step of the way on your journey. The close knit group will provide regular, caring and personal support to every individual student in the Sixth Form. This is a key feature of the Cox Green Sixth Form as students forge strong relationships with their mentors and advisers.
- **Personal Development/Tutor program:** Tutors follow a stringent tutor and personal development programme which is adapted for the needs of the young adults we care for. Utilising powerful and engaging external speakers, alongside the expertise in school, Cox Green Sixth Form provides an awareness of the important traits needed for life beyond academia.
- **Enrichment:** All students take part in Enrichment activities once a week. These timetabled sessions are truly unique. Opportunities provided are invaluable with a growing list of schools, charities and businesses grasping the opportunity to work with our young people. Enrichment provides an opportunity to work with others, work with the local community or build external qualifications. This contributes to the students being able to present a more well rounded individual ready for adult life.
- **Ambassador and Duke of Edinburgh (DofE) programmes:** You are encouraged to provide mentoring or extra-curricular activities to achieve a Bronze, Silver or Gold ‘Sixth Form Ambassador’ award. Success on the DofE programme has led to many alumni achieving a gold award and a visit to Buckingham Palace!
- **Junior Student Leadership (JSL):** Sixth Form students lead the JSL programme which meets regularly to drive change for the better within the school.
- **Careers:** A dedicated Careers Advisor and regular links with external providers ensure that you are guided towards appropriate destinations whether it be university, the work place or apprenticeships.



“Sixth-form students relish the opportunities to be sports leaders and many take part in the Duke of Edinburgh award scheme. This teaches them vital organisation and leadership skills.” Ofsted(2024)

Work Ready – After Sixth Form

Careers Support

Cox Green Sixth Form has always prioritised funding and planning for our Sixth Form students. They have privileged access to our full time, on-site Career's Advisor, the benefit of career's apps such as Unifrog, and well-established links with local, national and multi-national companies based in the vibrant Thames Valley area. Every Sixth Form student completes at least one work experience placement while studying with us, as well as benefitting from a variety of volunteer awards and advice from businesses and other external providers. It is for this reason the school is a leading Career's Hub School within the county.

The **intent** of the Cox Green Careers' Programme is to provide students with the following:

- Current and relevant market place information for academic, vocational courses as well as employment and the world of work;
- Advice and guidance to inspire students to realise their ambitions;
- Timely and tailored information so that students can make decisions about their next steps;
- Support for parents and staff, enabling students to take their next step;
- Access to a range of information and experience within a wide network.

Cox Green **implements** this by having:

- Our in-school Careers Advisor, Hannah Thompson who supports with university and apprenticeship applications, writing CV's and interview skills;
- One to one careers meetings for every student;
- A careers presence at school events;
- Opportunity for parents to engage with the Careers Advisor by making appointments at parents evenings;
- The Careers Advisor has an open-door policy;
- An extensive collection of university and college prospectuses available;
- Various events during the year including Careers Insight, Careers Fair and a range of speakers;
- Academic subjects which promote careers within their subject areas as appropriate;
- Use of a wide range of resources including LMI Information, Unifrog (supporting UCAS and vocational and employment post-16/post-18 steps);
- The Gatsby Benchmarks (framework to ensure the best career provision for our students);
- The opportunity for all Year 12 students to connect to LinkedIn to aid their futures and build a network of support for each other and the school in the future.



“Careers information, education, advice and guidance is strong and led by knowledgeable staff. All pupils receive support to plan for their next steps in education, employment or training” **Ofsted(2024)**

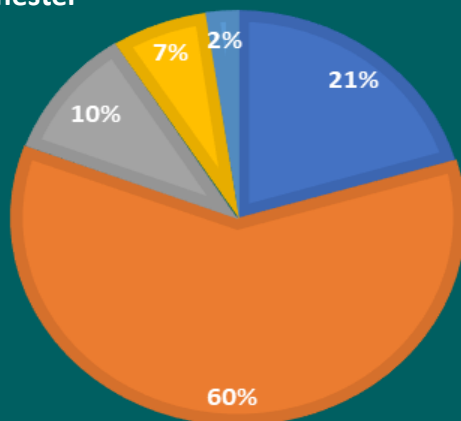


Sixth Form Destinations 2024

1. ACM (The Academy of Contemporary Music)
2. Bath Spa University
3. Birmingham City University
4. Bournemouth University
5. Brunel University
6. Buckinghamshire New University
7. Cardiff Metropolitan University
8. Coventry University
9. De Montfort University
10. Harper Adams University
11. Keele University
12. King's College London, University of London
13. Kingston University
14. London Southbank
15. Northumbria University
16. Oxford Brookes University
17. Royal Holloway, University of London
18. St Mary's University
19. Swansea University
20. University of Aston
21. University of Bath
22. University of Birmingham
23. University of Brighton
24. University of Bristol
25. University of Exeter
26. University of Leeds
27. University of Leicester
28. University of Portsmouth
29. University of Reading
30. University of Southampton
31. University of Sussex
32. University of Warwick
33. University of West London
34. University of Westminster
35. University of Winchester



- Employment
- University
- Apprenticeship
- Gap Year
- Unknown



- 21% of University destinations are Russell Group Universities .
- Top 3 most popular degree subjects are Accounting, Business and Law.
- The most popular city for studying is London

Head Student Profiles

Name: Deeya Jutla

Subjects: History, English Literature, Spanish

Aspirations: I hope to attend University post sixth form. I've always been interested in law, but struggled to decide on which pathway to take. With the help of my amazing teachers and their dedication to making us engage with our subjects, I discovered my passion for history, and chose the degree route.

Why Cox Green? I have been at Cox Green School since 2018, and decided to stay in sixth form due to the vast range of opportunities and memories I have made.

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? Something I enjoy most about Cox Green School is its drive to make us succeed. Over the past year at sixth form, I have attended multiple different events and enrichment opportunities, all of which have added to my experience and opened up future opportunities. One of my favourite memories has to be our Unity Festival, where the day was spent teaching younger years of different cultural traditions and the importance of diversity.

Extra-Curricular? As a sixth former, I am encouraged to get involved, and with our schools memorable experiences its difficult to ignore. Additionally, I am one of the Head Students at Cox Green, and, with the help of the rest of the head team, I take pride in running various events and clubs in order to unite our school further. I see my school as a place that thrives in pushing each and every student to their level of success, and I am proud to say I am a part of the Cox Green community.



Name: Taylor Brooks

Subjects: Government & Politics, Psychology, Business Studies

Aspirations: After leaving Cox Green I would like to find an apprenticeship which allows me to build skills, grow and inspire me to one day start my own business.

Why Cox Green? I chose to stay on at Cox Green as it gave me so many opportunities during my time in the main school, I grew up and developed so much as a person which has enabled me to become the confident person that I am today.

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? The thing I enjoy most about Cox Green is that because there is something for everyone, it is easy to fit in and find a sense of belonging. Cox Green isn't just a school, but a Welcoming community where I have made friends for life.

Extra-Curricular? During enrichment I have enjoyed mentoring younger students. I also play Football and Softball outside school.



Student Profiles



Name: Keelan Hughes

Subjects: BTEC Sport, Biology

Aspirations: Post Sixth Form I would like to expand my knowledge in Biology; at the moment I am looking into neuroscience as a possible profession, however I have not made a definitive decision yet. To achieve this, I am looking into universities around the world and the courses they provide; moving to America on a scholarship is also an option again with focus in the field of biology whilst also playing the sport I love on the side.

Why Cox Green? I chose to move to Cox Green from my previous school because this school offered me the subjects that I wanted to study. I was struggling to find a football college programme that prioritised education more than football. The other football college programmes I looked into did not offer any extra education other than BTEC Sport, which would really narrow my options in the future. Cox Green provided an educational pathway I wanted, excellent football facilities and coaches and great teachers for all my subjects.

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? I enjoy learning in this school, I find the teachers tend to make lessons fun for students and equally valuable, changing up the structure of lessons really helps me and other students to absorb the information. The pupils in the school are all very respectful, during lunch and break it is great to speak to the other sports academy players and find it really easy to get along with all of them.

Extra-curricular: I have been a part of enrichment which is really helpful especially in the first year of Sixth Form to get you comfortable with your pees, it also helps as during enrichment valuable lessons are taught that are needed in that stage of life; for example university skills, what we would need to know before applying for University etc. I have also heard from other students that went on the school trip to Brighton and although the weather was not great and seagulls had stolen peoples food on the beach, everyone I spoke to said it was a great day and well worth going.

Name: Chloe Boore

Subjects: English, Geography, Graphics

Aspirations: I hope to go to University to study Marketing, hoping to use the creativity I have learned in Graphics in the Business world in the future. I am currently hoping to go to the University of Liverpool.

Why Cox Green? I felt comfortable and at home with the school, and didn't have the want to leave because I enjoy being a student of Cox Green, and have done so from the very start. Since joining in year 7 I have always felt happy with my decision of joining the school, and the environment and support of my teachers made staying at Sixth form a must. I could not imagine doing as well anywhere else!

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? I love the support from A Level teachers and Sixth Form staff, and the activities provided to help everyone to interact with each other. This has definitely made the Sixth Form a good community. As well as this, I have built a lot of confidence and skills due to the opportunities provided at the school, like enrichment.

Extra-curricular: I used to do Literacy reading and now do Cooking, and used to take part in the school netball team.



Name: Milly Rogers

Subjects: BTEC Health & Social Care, Physical Education, Philosophy

Aspirations: When leaving Sixth Form I would like to be a children's occupational therapist. I have developed a passion for child development whilst studying it over the past couple of years and know it is the future career I would to head into—therefore, I am looking at the best University and Apprenticeship options to help me get to where I want to be.

Why Cox Green? I chose to stay at Sixth Form due to the overwhelming support and range of options within the school. I was supported through the application to choose the best options for me.

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? I enjoy the community environment among the students and the ranges of personal support and the many branches of opportunity to develop your skills. I have really enjoyed the Sports Leaders programme where I have developed the confidence to lead groups.

Extra-curricular: The Enrichment groups that I joined were cooking on a budget which has been really fun and informative and Sports Leaders which has provided me skills for life.

Name: Aurungzeb Usmani

Subjects: Maths, Biology, Physics

Aspirations: After Sixth Form I hope to become an apprentice in automobile engineering or enter a University to study automobile engineering.

Why Cox Green? I chose to stay in Cox Green and join Sixth Form because of the familiarity with teachers and the fact that they understand how I learn. I felt confident that the teachers would provide me the best education to help me achieve my very best.

What do you enjoy about Cox Green? I feel supported and feel that I have the environment to explore all social and educational opportunities to make the best of my time in Sixth Form. I have made a great group of friends and we push each other to work as hard as possible.

Extra-curricular: I love basketball and have been able to both play and support younger years in my time at Sixth Form. I enjoy the chemistry that has developed between the basketball community at school.



Cox Green Alumni Profiles



Name: Jodie Cook

Subjects taken: History, Psychology, English Literature, EPQ

Next step: After finishing my A-Levels, I went to the University of Birmingham to study Law with Criminology.

I am currently: working as a Dispute Resolution and Litigation Paralegal at a law firm in Reading.

Alongside working, I am completing the Legal Practice Course and a Masters in Professional Legal Practice at the University of Law. My ultimate goal is to qualify as a solicitor in 2026 after finishing my LPC Masters and training contract.

My memories from Cox Green: I have really fond memories of CGS, particularly spending so much time with my friends (who I am still friends with 5 years later!). I really enjoyed the residential trips, particularly the ones abroad to Belgium and Poland.

How my time at Cox Green has helped me today: My time at Cox Green was really formative in helping me to figure out what I wanted to do at university, particularly the University Fairs Trip and the guidance from my teachers. Without this help, I would not be on the career path I'm on today and I am really grateful for that. I was also really lucky to make the most amazing group of friends and those friendships have continued for years after I left school/sixth form. I think time spent at school and sixth form is so valuable in forming the adults we become and I am very grateful for my time at CGS for giving me the skills I needed to grow as a person.

My advice to those considering Cox Green Sixth Form: I would advise anyone looking to study at CGS Sixth Form that it is important to think about your future goals, such as a dream career or a city you'd love to live in/study in, and think about how you can tailor your A-Level choices to suit your future plans. Ultimately however, I would say to make sure you study subjects you're passionate about and find interesting as this will make your entire experience more enjoyable if you genuinely enjoy what you're learning about. I would also use the time to think about the next steps and utilise the teachers/mentors whilst you have them to help you decide whether university, an apprenticeship or going straight into work is the best fit for you personally. The next stage of your life after Sixth Form is much more independently led so I would really make the most of the support whilst you can.



Name: Chara Vettou

Subjects taken: Biology, Chemistry, Maths

Next step: After Cox Green School, I went to the University of Plymouth to study BMBS Medicine and Surgery.

I am currently: a 4th year medical student. I currently live in Torbay for my second placement year. After finishing fourth year, I am doing a medical elective project in Greece where I get to work as a ward doctor and assist in plastic reconstructive surgeries for children with congenital defects and traumas. I am planning to follow this as a career after finishing my foundation year training.

My memories from Cox Green:

Mr Haghazali's Christmas and Easter Maths weeks, that as much as I complained about them, they made a huge difference to my progress (plus there was so much cake!) The Sixth Form table tennis and foosball break tournament My first tissue dissection in A Level Biology, which at the time sparked the idea that surgery might be the medical pathway for me My teachers being actually happier than I was about getting into medicine.

How my time at Cox Green has helped me today:

I think that from my time in Cox Green I gained a lot of transferable skills that at the time I didn't realise I was getting. I think one of the most important ones that my Chemistry teacher taught me was that a lot of the work that I did was a sprint but a marathon. I still think about this now, when I feel overwhelmed as it taught me the importance of planning, time management and prioritising yourself.

My advice to those considering Cox Green Sixth Form:

My advice for anyone considering Cox Green School Sixth Form is be proactive. The teachers are fantastic and majority of them would be more than happy to spend extra time helping you achieve your best and listen to your concerns.





Name: Julita Ciuba

Subjects taken: History, Maths and Chemistry

Next step: University of Southampton- Biomedical Sciences Degree

I am currently: living back in Maidenhead and working in Cancer Services for the NHS while I figure out where I want to take my career. I want to go travelling next summer and potentially do a Masters when I come back.

My memories from Cox Green: I really enjoyed my time at Cox Green. I liked that our Sixth Form felt like it's own community and we got to form really tight friendships, which made lessons and study periods much more enjoyable. One of my favourite memories was taking part in fundraising events for our prom.

How my time at Cox Green has helped me today: Being at Cox Green Sixth Form has provided me with many opportunities that prepared me for life after school. For example, we were given a designated week for work experience, volunteering opportunities in enrichment and the possibility of being part of the student leadership team. I found that these experiences became really useful in helping me find a job. We also got so much support from the teachers and Sixth Form staff when it came to university applications, which helped me get to where I am today.



My advice to those considering Cox Green Sixth Form: Make the most of your time at Cox Green and the opportunities given to you because they are really worth it!



Name: Jamie Middleton

Subjects taken: Drama, Maths and Philosophy

Next step: The Liverpool Institute of Performing Arts, Foundation Certificate (Acting) Saint Mary's University Bachelor of Arts (Acting)

I am currently: studying a BA (Acting) course at Saint Mary's university, in my 2nd year. I spent a year in Liverpool studying acting prior to this, which helped me to push myself forward into the next step of my training. Both locations and styles of teaching at the two Universities heavily contrast, providing me with a vast array of styles of acting and performing.

My memories from Cox Green: The teachers during my time at Sixth Form. All of my teachers were incredibly supportive in what I wanted to do, and helped in any way they could to get me to where I aspired to be. While I am still climbing and pushing myself, I couldn't have done it without the teachers at Cox Green to support me.

How my time at Cox Green has helped me today: Cox Green provided me with the building blocks to push further to the next chapter of my life, and I made many lifelong friends during my time there.

My advice to those considering Cox Green Sixth Form: Do it! I very nearly didn't, I had a number of options in Year 11 and opted to stay on at Cox Green, and to this day I don't regret a moment, it's a very comforting and welcoming space for you to prepare for your next chapter!



Name: Dan Thirlby

Subjects taken: History, Media and Spanish

Next step: Oxford Brookes University – History and International Relations degree

I am currently: recently graduated and have moved back home, looking for a job in a relevant field.

My memories from Cox Green: I have so many memories from Cox Green Sixth Form. From being in the Sixth Form Centre with my friends, having interesting lessons and one to one feedback from teachers, to taking part in enrichment activities such as cooking and reading to primary school children.

How my time at Cox Green has helped me today: My time at Cox Green was extremely helpful. The teachers, such as Mr Burrows, were always there to help with not just academic needs but anything we needed. Their support in creating CVs, applying to UCAS and exploring further educational options were vital in getting me to where I am today. The Sixth Form also helped me develop many of my academic skills as well as helping me gain confidence in myself.

My advice to those considering Cox Green Sixth Form:

I would recommended applying to Cox Green because they offer a well-rounded Sixth Form experience which is not just focused of good education, with small classes and personalised support, but also gives the advice and experiences necessary to be ready for post-sixth form - such as trips, non-curricular education and real world skills.



Applying to Cox Green Sixth Form

Our applications open on Thursday 14th November 2024 and all applications should be made online. A link will be available on our website, or follow the QR code at the back of this prospectus.

Thursday 14 th November 2024 5.30-7:00pm	Sixth Form Open Evening
Thursday 14 th November 2024	Sixth Form Applications Open
Sunday 23 rd February 2025	Deadline for Applications
From Monday 3 rd March 2025	Interview and conditional offers for all prospective students (internal and external)
Wednesday 25 th June 2025	Sixth Form Induction Programme for all applicants
Thursday 22 nd August 2025	GCSE results day
Thursday 22 nd and Friday 23 rd August 2025	Admissions interviews

All students in Year 11 at Cox Green School who meet the entrance criteria, demonstrate commitment to their academic work and follow our Cox Green School Values are entitled to a place in the Sixth Form. We also welcome external applications from students who have completed their examinations elsewhere.

Our final course offer is, as usual, subject to final student numbers.

Our policy is to ensure that students accepted into the Sixth Form are placed onto appropriate courses that will ensure that they achieve their very best.

For this reason, the entry criteria on the following pages apply to the courses offered.

Please note:

- Cox Green Sixth Form is open to offering three-year pathways which can be discussed with individual applicants.
- External applications must be accompanied with a reference.

Pathways and Course Combinations

There are a range of potential pathways available at Cox Green Sixth Form.
Here are some examples.

3 A levels	2 A Levels and 1 BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate <i>(equivalent to 1 A Level)</i>	1 BTEC Level 3 National Diploma <i>(equivalent to 2 A Levels) and 1 A Level</i>	1 BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Sport <i>(equivalent to 2 A Levels)</i> 1 A Level and Sports Academy Training	1 BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Sport <i>(equivalent to 2 A levels)</i> and Sports Academy Training
With / Without EPQ or Core Maths	With / Without EPQ or Core Maths	With / Without EPQ or Core Maths	With / Without EPQ or Core Maths	With / Without EPQ or Core Maths

If you wish to discuss any other potential combinations, please contact

Mr Burrows, Head of Sixth Form j.burrows@coxgreen.com

Minimum Entry Criteria to Cox Green Sixth Form

Unless stated otherwise, all applications must have a minimum of Grade 4 in English (Language/Literature) and Maths, in addition to the subject specific requirements.

A Level Subjects	Criteria
Biology	Grade 6 in GCSE Double Science or GCSE Biology, Grade 5 in GCSE Maths and Grade 4 in English.
Business Studies	Grade 5 Maths and English.
Chemistry	Grade 6 in GCSE Double Science or GCSE Chemistry and Grade 6 in GCSE Maths and Grade 4 in GCSE English.
Computer Science	Grade 5 in GCSE Computing and a Grade 5 in Maths.
Drama and Theatre Studies	Grade 5 in GCSE Drama and Theatre Studies. Grade 6 in English if not studied GCSE Drama.
Economics	Grade 6 in GCSE English and Grade 6 in GCSE Maths
English Literature	Grade 5 in both GCSE English Literature and GCSE English Language.
Fine Art	Grade 5 in GCSE Art and a minimum of a Grade 5 in English.
French	Grade 5 in GCSE French.
Further Maths	Minimum Grade 8 in GCSE Maths. A Grade 7 may be considered in exceptional circumstances.
Geography	Grade 5 in GCSE Geography and a Grade 5 in GCSE Maths.
Government and Politics	5 Grade 5's and above including Grade 5 in History, English Language or Geography.
Graphic Communication	Grade 5 in GCSE Graphics and a minimum of a Grade 5 in English.
History	Grade 5 in GCSE History.
Mathematics	Grade 7 in GCSE Maths. A Grade 6 may be considered in exceptional circumstances.
Media Studies	Grade 5 in GCSE Media, English Language and English Literature.
Music	5 at GCSE Music or ABRSM/Trinity/Rockschool Grade 5, Grade 5 in ABRSM Music Theory desirable
Philosophy	Grade 5 in either GCSE Religious Studies, History or English Language/Literature and Grade 5 in Maths.
Physical Education	Grade 5 in GCSE PE, Grade 5 in Biology and a proven commitment to extra-curricular sport/coaching.
Physics	Grade 6 in GCSE Double Science or Grade 6 in GCSE Physics, Grade 6 in GCSE Maths and Grade 5 in English.
Psychology	Grade 6 in GCSE Maths, English Language/Literature and Science.
Sociology	Grade 4 in GCSE English and four GCSE grades at 4 and above.
Spanish	Grade 5 in GCSE Spanish.

Minimum Entry Criteria to Cox Green Sixth Form

BTEC/Vocational Subjects	Criteria
BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Business <i>(equivalent to 1 A level)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Business <i>(equivalent to 2 A levels)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Applied Criminology <i>(equivalent to 1 A level)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths, English and Science at Grade 5 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Health and Social Care <i>(equivalent to 2 A levels)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Health and Social Care <i>(equivalent to 1 A level)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in ICT <i>(equivalent to 1 A level)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Applied Science <i>(equivalent to 1 A Level)</i>	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Performing Arts	5 GCSE's including Maths and English at Grade 4 and above.
Sports Academy	Criteria
BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Sport <i>(equivalent to 2 A levels)</i>	5 GCSE's Grade 4 and above.
Additional Qualifications	Criteria
Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)	Grade 5 in English, History, Geography or Religious Studies
Core Mathematics	Minimum Grade 5 in Mathematics

Subject Specific Guidance & Supplementary Information Pack can be downloaded from our school website or scan the QR code at the back of the prospectus.

All BTEC options are subject to Official Government 2024 review.



COX GREEN SPORTS ACADEMY

Welcome from the Sports Academy

The Sports Academy continues to grow and flourish, this academic year has seen us increase the pupil intake and further our great relationship with Cox Green School.

When you become a part of the Sports Academy, you are being primed for a first-class education both on and off the field. We offer A Level and BTEC education routes that align with football coaching and match programs, enabling you to showcase your talents at Arbour Park Stadium from UEFA A-License coaches.

We have an excellent blend that will help students move upwards in their careers towards playing football at their highest level and entering further education or the job market with meaningful qualifications and experiences.

For more information, please reach out to r.mallinson@coxgreen.com



Offering A Level and/or BTEC pathways, Cox Green Sports Academy offers young people with a passion for sport, pathways into the professional sport industry or further education. We are committed to creating a vibrant learning environment to allow student athletes to be successful, both in and out of the classroom.

Football Academy

We offer a full time football programme alongside academic pathways developing aspiring footballers with up to 8 hours a week of professional coaching sessions including technical, tactical, position, conditioning and preparing for regional and national competitive fixtures. We are currently partnered with Slough Town FC, allowing players the opportunity to play at various youth and senior levels. This includes a clear pathway to achieve at a high level of semi-professional and professional football.



Scan to apply for September 2025



Subject Booklet



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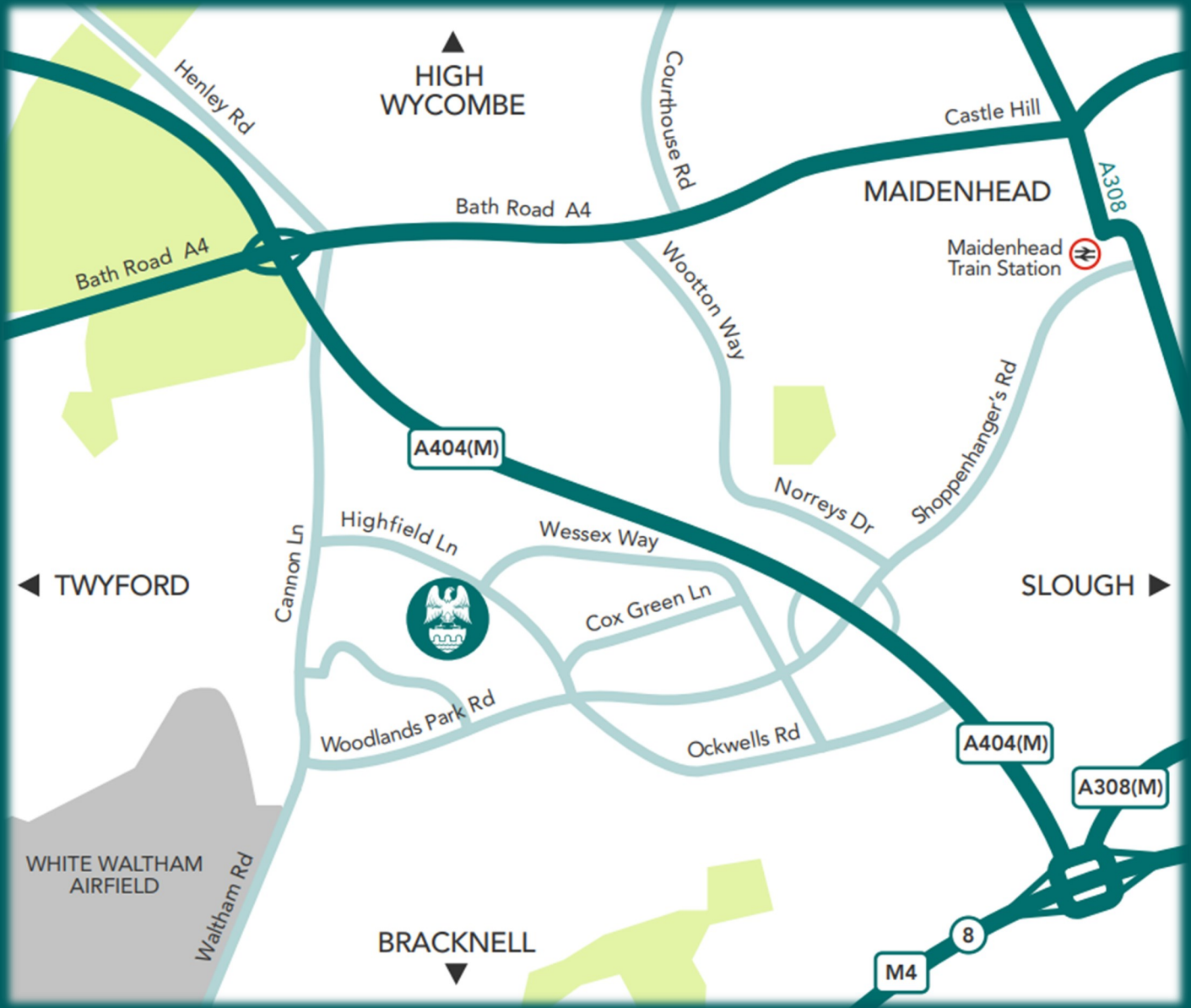
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