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GOODWIN ACADEMY SIXTH FORM



Welcome

from the Head of Sixth Form

Dear parents, carers and students,

Welcome to Goodwin Academy Sixth Form. We are delighted that you are considering joining us for your post-16 education. This is such an important decision and we would like to reassure you that we are here to support you every step of the way.

At Goodwin Academy, we offer an extremely welcoming environment with experience in delivering outstanding education and extensive enrichment opportunities for all our students. Our expert teachers and our Sixth Form team will guide you to aspire towards and reach your full potential. We offer a variety of extracurricular activities, including student ambassador and leadership roles within the Academy.

We offer a range of academic and vocational pathways that will enable you to progress into the world of work or onto university. We recognise our students as individuals and aim to provide the right courses for them.

Goodwin Academy Sixth Form provides an exciting place to study, and we look forward to welcoming you.



Hilary Mercer
Head of Sixth Form

Why Goodwin Academy Sixth form?

Goodwin Academy Sixth Form is a dynamic and innovative place to learn, that enables young people to be their BEST and achieve their full potential during their time here. Students studying in the Sixth Form at Goodwin Academy receive high quality education in a caring, safe and inclusive environment.

Students benefit from teachers who are specialists in their subject area, and deliver varied teaching resources, personalised support. We offer students a positive and supportive learning environment where they are encouraged to do their BEST at all times. Students are also given the opportunity to participate in a wide range of enrichment and extra-curricular opportunities.

We invite you to visit and see what our Sixth Form has to offer. Goodwin Academy Sixth Form is not just about academic qualifications: it's about equipping young people with the tools they need to thrive, starting their career path and securing their future.

We offer excellent pastoral care and guidance. There are many challenges that young people face and our dedicated and experienced Sixth Form team supports our young people through this crucial period in their lives so that they feel safe, nurtured and able to reach their full potential.









Our Values

At Goodwin Academy, you will be encouraged to develop as a responsible, active and informed world citizen, demonstrating mutual respect, empathy and community spirit.

We live in a global community; therefore, it is essential that our Sixth Form students understand the roles and responsibilities that come with living in a democratic society.

As a Sixth Form, we believe to become effective individuals in society, it is essential that each of our students aspire to be the best citizen and develop the fundamental values that are key in British society today.





Life in Sixth Form

Our Sixth Form community is built on mutual respect and contributes to the wider community through student leadership roles.

We offer a welcoming environment with a student body full of energy and determination to succeed.

Support is offered to individual students in terms of academic progress and wellbeing. Our aim is for all our students to leave Goodwin Academy with confidence and optimism for your future.

What do you get?

- A laptop for use during your time at Goodwin Academy Sixth Form
- Designated Sixth Form areas
- Exciting enrichment activities
- One-to-one career advice
- A inclusive, supporting environment









Personal development and enrichment

We at Goodwin Academy Sixth Form are dedicated to providing the BEST opportunities for our students to broaden their experiences.

These include:

- Bespoke work experience opportunities
- A range of leadership opportunities for our students to become involved in
- A number of trips and visits
- Guest speakers





Our Courses

At Goodwin Academy, we aim to provide our students with a variety of curriculum pathways that will enable them to fulfil their ambitions, whatever they may be.

We offer a range of academic and vocational pathways, working with our students to ensure that they are enrolled onto the right courses that suit their needs, enabling our students to become lifelong learners. The courses on offer include:

- Applied Science
- Art
- Biology
- Business
- Chemistry
- Criminology
- English Literature
- EPQ
- Health and Social Care
- History
- Law
- Music Performance
- Performing Arts
- Photography
- Psychology
- Single / Double Sport
- Sociology
- Sports Leaders Award
- Uniformed Protective Services









Guidance and Support

Careers guidance

Students will take part in a range of activities and will be given individual targeted support by our careers team to help them progress successfully into their chosen career.

Support with university applications

Support and guidance will be provided to guide students with their course choices. Our dedicated Careers Lead and our trained Sixth Form team will be able to guide individual students to choose the right institution for them.

Apprenticeships and other progression routes

University is not for everyone, so we provide support and guidance to our students in building their CVs, writing cover letters and searching for other suitable opportunities such as apprenticeships.

Our Student Leadership Team



Grace Gaythwaite
President



India Day
President



Lily May James
Vice President



Emily Sheppard
Sporting Ambassador



Flynn Johnson
Sporting Ambassador



George Bean
Sporting Ambassador



Lilly Edgerton
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