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COURSE GUIDE 23/24



WELCOME TO OUR SIXTH FORM COMMUNITY

Welcome to our Sixth Form Course guide for 2023.
I am delighted you are considering joining us next year.

We are really proud of our students, our staff and everything that we achieve together, as our results have demonstrated the high standards at our colleges that meet the aspirations of our talented students. We believe that all of our students have amazing potential and that it's our job to work with you to unlock that potential. We want you to aspire to be the best you can be – and we will do everything we can to help you achieve your ambitions. Come and find out for yourself at our Open Days and feel the amazing Sixth Form spirit at Strode's and Windsor.



Gillian May
CEO AND GROUP PRINCIPAL

We have had a fantastic year fully back on campus which has resulted in some phenomenal achievements for our students. We are immensely proud of our students' exam results and of the 100% success for our six Oxbridge candidates who all achieved places at these prestigious universities.

We have been delighted to see our students engaging with opportunities to enhance their studies through incredible trips to add context to their programme and encounters with visiting speakers and industry experts.

We pride ourselves at Strode's and Windsor on offering that perfect balance of independence and support, helping you to develop the skills needed for university, further study, higher apprenticeships or employment while providing a guiding hand as needed to help you succeed. We hope you will join us next year and look forward to meeting you at one of our Open Day events.



Amanda Down
PRINCIPAL



**HEAR AMANDA'S
PRESENTATION
TO PARENTS**

TWO COLLEGES – ONE HIGH QUALITY SIXTH FORM

Strode's College

Combining quality and tradition where excellence abounds.

Windsor College

Celebrating creativity and innovation with high academic standards.



Why choose Sixth Form at Strode's and Windsor?

- ✓ Outstanding Results
- ✓ Exceptional Oxbridge and Russell Group Entry
- ✓ Superb Facilities
- ✓ Personalised Tutorial Support
- ✓ Academic and Industry Trained Teachers
- ✓ Friendly, Supportive Environment

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OUR SUCCESS STORIES

Strode's



**ALEJANDRO
GARCIA CAMACHO**

A*A A C – Going to study Civil Engineering at University of Bath



JAKE RAWAL

A*A*B B – Going to study Computer Science at King's College London



LOUELLA BROWN

A*A*A*A* – Going to study Business Economics at University of Liverpool

Windsor



AMBER CELESTE REOCH

D*D*D* Performing Arts – Gap year then studying Performing Arts at RADA



BETH MCGILL

D*D*D Business – Going to study Finance and Accountancy at Oxford Brookes University



NIA MAXIMIN

D*D*D* Creative Media – Going to study UAL Level 4 at Windsor College

STUDENT DESTINATIONS

Each year we have students go onto a wide range of universities in the UK and abroad. This includes many impressive universities such as Oxbridge and the Russell Group.

University of Oxford

University of Cambridge

Royal Holloway, University of London

University of Liverpool

University of Southampton

University of Durham

University of Sussex

University of Brighton

Keele University

University of Kent

University of Cardiff

University of York

University of Leicester

Nottingham Trent University

Bournemouth University

University of Surrey

University of Warwick

University of Bath

University of Reading

OXBRIDGE SUCCESS

We were delighted that all of Oxbridge candidates secured places at these prestigious universities.



ISABELLA AYERS

A*A*A*B – Reading Law
at the University of Oxford



MIA EVANS

A*A*A B – Reading English
at the University of Cambridge



KONRAD WARZYCHA

A*A*A A – Reading Law at
the University of Cambridge



SERENA SAUPIN

A*A*A*A – Reading English and
Classics at the University of Oxford



KIAYA PHILLIPS

A*A*A* – Reading English
at the University of Oxford



KIERAN HUGHES

A*A*A*A* – Reading Engineering
at the University of Cambridge

BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Coming to Strode's or Windsor will give you the chance to develop your skills through a range of extra-curricular activities. These activities will allow you to make new friends, have fun and develop transferable skills to enhance your CV or UCAS personal statement.

We want to enrich your studies and further deepen your learning and understanding but we also want to give you every opportunity to enjoy new experiences and broaden your horizons. Our goal is that when you progress from Strode's or Windsor, you do so as self assured and confident young adults.



EXTENDED PROJECT QUALIFICATION (EPQ)

Increase your UCAS points by studying the EPQ (worth half an A Level) – choose a subject you are interested in and demonstrate your independent research skills.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH

Build confidence, resilience skills, team working and demonstrate your resourceful side. Add value to your UCAS application and CV.



STUDENT UNION EXECUTIVE

Our active Student Union (SU) leads our student voice on a number of issues close to the hearts of young people. By being part of the SU, you will enjoy a range of opportunities and activities to enrich your time at College.

ELITE ATHLETES

We are a Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme (TASS) accredited college providing support to help our talented students balance the demand of high level training alongside college study.



THE GOLD ARTS AWARD

This Level 3 qualification is worth 16 UCAS points and will benefit those students aiming for art/drama school or university by showcasing a specialism outside of college.



SPORT

There's an exciting sports programme and extensive facilities at Strode's, also open to Windsor students. There are sports pitches, hall, courts and a well-equipped fitness suite. Regular competitions and additional personal fitness qualifications are also available.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Guest speakers will be a key part of your college experience. These will deepen your understanding with talks from keynote speakers and experts in their fields.

TRIPS AND VISITS

Our trips and visits are undoubtedly a highlight, both complementing the curriculum and giving students national and international experiences beyond the classroom.

A*SPIRE

Our exclusive A*spire Programme is designed to stretch and challenge academically gifted students. This programme will build your confidence and skills to articulate well-reasoned thoughts, challenge conventional thinking and build strong arguments.

“ Our A*spire students are exposed to inter-disciplinary activities to provide a super curricular experience. The results have been outstanding!

JOHN MERRILL A*SPIRE LEAD



SUPPORTING YOU

The physical and mental wellbeing of all our students is extremely important to us, so we provide a number of support services to help.



Safeguarding

It is important to us that everyone feels safe while at college. Our Safeguarding team helps students make good decisions and offers a range of advice from digital safety, radicalisation, neglect, to homelessness, mental health and personal safety.



Counselling

The Colleges provide a fully qualified counsellor that can be accessed during the college day.



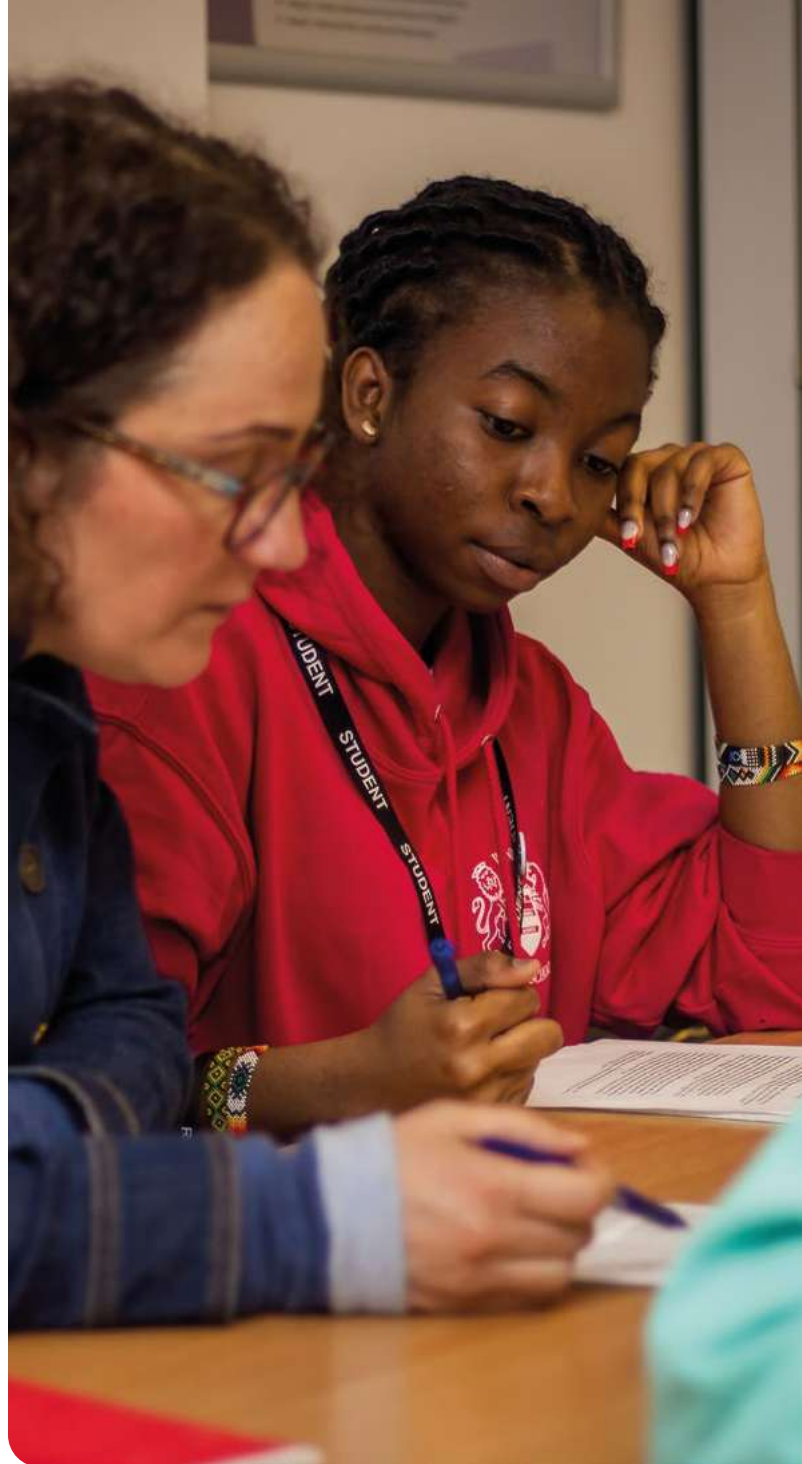
Health and wellbeing

We provide help and information about staying healthy with a range of services and advice for your wellbeing and safety.



Careers and employability

Our accredited team is always on hand to offer impartial and confidential advice and guidance on courses, careers and training.



Personal support services

You are a name not a number at Strode's and Windsor Colleges and we are dedicated to helping you achieve your potential.

PERSONAL TUTORS

You will have a tutor who will play a central role in supporting your progress at sixth form. Group tutorials and one-to-one meetings will help keep you on track with your studies as well as helping you plan for life after college.

LEARNING SUPPORT

The Learning Support team are there to help with literacy and numeracy skills, provide you with expert support with dyslexia and dyspraxia, support time management, revision skills, essay writing, assistive technology and access arrangements.



EXAM ARRANGEMENTS

We know that some students will require special arrangements when taking exams and support can be provided, post assessment, in accordance with awarding bodies' guidelines. Dependent upon assessment results, scribes and readers may be supplied and assistive equipment may be borrowed.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

For those from low household income families, the Colleges offer financial support for the compulsory costs associated with your course. More information is available on page 60.

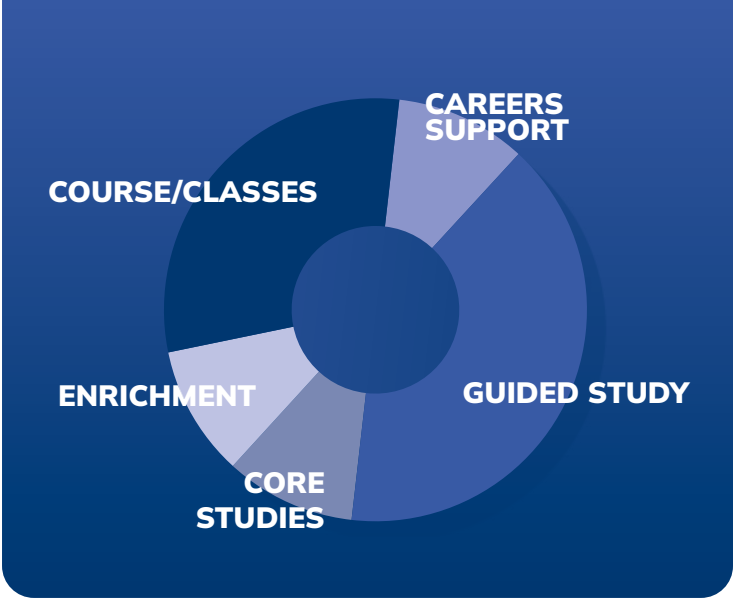


Please email
financialsupport.sixthform@windsor-forest.ac.uk or call
01753 793368

YOUR STUDY PROGRAMME

If you're aged 16–19, you will follow a study programme to help you develop academically, practically and personally.

Study programmes are designed to meet students' individual learning needs and outlines all the elements that make up their individual timetable at the College. We want you to be confident and ready to meet the demands of learning, work and life.



Our students typically study three A Levels or an Extended Diploma BTEC Level 3, which is the equivalent to three A Levels. Level 2 students will complete a BTEC or UAL course alongside English and Maths GCSEs. See the following tables for more information:

Choose the right course and level for you

ACHIEVED OR PREDICTED GCSE GRADES	YOUR OPTIONS	YOUR PROGRESSION
Five GCSEs grade 4 and above Including English and Maths You must also meet the specific subject entry requirements	Three A Levels Any combination for two years OR Study both A Levels and BTECs by mixing and matching any combination for two years to suit your future career	University Apprenticeship Employment
Four GCSEs grade 4 and above Including English and Maths	Level 3 BTEC In any combination for two years	University Apprenticeship Employment
Less than four GCSEs Minimum of three grade 3s and one grade 2 including English or Maths at grade 3	Level 2 BTEC Including English and/or Maths for one year	Two year, Level 3 programme including A Levels, vocational courses or a mix and match combination of both Apprenticeship

This will be based on your achieved or predicted GCSE grades, but if you're not sure then come to an open day and we can help you decide. See the back page for dates and times.

A Levels

With A Levels you can study a number of different subject areas. These will give you the academic standing needed for university, Higher Education, employment or a higher level apprenticeship.

BTEC Level 3 courses

BTEC courses are industry-focused qualifications which combine practical and theoretical studies ranging from certificate level to extended diploma. You can also gain valuable UCAS points and progress to university through studying BTECs. See the table for details.

BTEC Level 2 pathway

The Level 2 BTECs are practical, hands-on and work related, studied over one year.

Qualifications explained

QUAL CODE	BTEC LEVEL	EQUIVALENT TO
C	Level 2 Award/Certificate	Approximately GCSE grade 4 or above
EC	Level 3 Extended Certificate	One A Level
D	Level 3 National Diploma	Two A Levels
ED	Level 3 Extended Diploma	Three A Levels



Please email
admissions@windsor-forest.ac.uk
for information about course
levels at the College

UCAS Points

BTEC Level 3 Diplomas are equivalent to A Levels and will give you important UCAS points for university.

BTEC EXTENDED DIPLOMA	BTEC DIPLOMA	BTEC SUBSIDIARY DIPLOMA	UCAS TARIFF POINTS
D*D*D*			168
D*D*D			160
D*DD			152
DDD			144
DDM			128
DMM	D*D*		112
	D*D		104
MMM	DD		96
MMP	DM		80
MPP	MM		64
		D*	56
PPP	MP	D	48
	PP	M	32
		P	16

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

To study a standard A Level programme (three A Levels) you must have a minimum of five GCSEs grade 4 and above including English and Maths. You must also meet the specific subject entry requirements.

For a mixed programme of A Levels and BTEC Level 3 courses you must have five GCSEs grade 4 and above which could include one BTEC and either GCSE English or Maths as appropriate for your chosen courses.



ART, DESIGN & MEDIA

Get the skills and qualifications to pursue a career in advertising, art, design, interior design, media or fashion. Now is the time to hone that talent with the UK's booming creative industries growing nearly twice as fast as the rest of the economy.



Studios and Resources

- Modern art, design and media workshops
- Photography darkrooms
- Apple Mac suites
- Performing arts studios
- Professional media suite at Windsor
- Textile classroom at Strode's

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

Arts University Bournemouth Illustration

Nottingham Trent University Architecture

Falmouth University Film

De Montfort University
Fashion Communication and Styling

Bournemouth University
Television Production

Courtauld Institute of Art, University of London History of Art

University for the Creative Arts
Hand Embroidery

Career Inspiration

- Graphic Designer
- Film Maker
- Visual Merchandiser
- Interior Designer
- Illustrator
- Costume Designer
- Production Assistant
- Animator

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Art and Design (3D)	●	
Art and Design (Fine Art)	●	
Art and Design (Graphic Communication)	●	●
Art and Design (Photography)	●	●
Film Studies	●	●
Media Studies	●	●

BTECS		
Art and Design Level 3	D	ED
Art and Design (Fashion, Interiors and 3D Design) Level 3		ED
Art and Design (Photography) Level 3	EC	
Creative Digital Media Production Level 2	L2	L2
Creative Digital Media Production (Film and Television) Level 3	EC/D	
Creative Media Practice Level 3		ED
Hair & Makeup Effects for Film & Theatre Level 3		FD

UAL		
Art and Design Level 4		●
Creative Media Level 2		●



STUDENT STORY

Isabella Hawkins

Previous school: The Magna Carta School

Courses studied: Level 3 Extended Diploma in Fashion, Interiors & 3D Design

Future plans: After college I am going to study Modelmaking at Arts University Bournemouth

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My course gave me opportunities to learn different skills such as sewing, modelmaking, graphic communications and interior design.

ART, DESIGN & MEDIA

ART AND DESIGN (3D)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This is a creative course with an emphasis on practical problem solving in 3D using a range of modelling and resistant materials. Design themes include product design, furniture design, architecture, interior design, packaging, promotional devices, signage and environmental design e.g. theme parks. Your coursework projects will develop your investigative, design, CAD and practical skills.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above, including English and Maths. You will also need grade 4 in Art and Design, Design and Technology or Product Design GCSE or Merit in Level 2 Art or Design BTEC or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Maths and Physics if interested in Architecture, other art courses.

ART AND DESIGN (FINE ART)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

Develop your technical and creative art skills, as well as learn more about the history of art. By researching the work of historical and contemporary artists, you will gain a firm theoretical basis upon which to build your own practice. You will develop a range of skills and refine areas of specific interest; you will consider and appreciate tone, colour, form, rhythm, scale, space and texture.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above, including English and Maths. You will also need a grade 4 in Art and Design GCSE or Merit in Level 2 Art BTEC or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Philosophy, Sociology, Law and other art courses.

ART AND DESIGN (GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Graphic design is an expansive and important part of modern culture. Branding, magazines, websites, fashion, film and signage are all underpinned by graphic communication. This course will introduce you to a variety of different graphic design experiences working with both traditional and new technologies. You will have the opportunity to work practically and critically, the result of which will be a skilled and intellectual understanding of graphic communication.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English, Maths and a grade 4 in Art and Design GCSE or a Merit in Level 2 Art or Design BTEC or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Maths and Physics for architecture, other arts and media courses.

Students go on to further study at some of the best providers in the UK such as, Central St. Martins, UAL and the Royal School of Needlework.



For full course details, head to our website
windsor-forest.ac.uk

ART AND DESIGN (PHOTOGRAPHY)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course will provide you with the practical skills to become a competent and confident photographic artist. You will develop skills in a range of photographic techniques while learning about the history of photography and the work of other photographic artists. As you progress, you will develop your skills and knowledge in both practical and contextual elements of photography.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English, Maths and a grade 4 in Art and Design GCSE or Merit in Level 2 Art or Design BTEC or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: English Language, Photojournalism and other arts courses.

FILM STUDIES

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course is ideal if you're a film-lover who wants to know how films work. Film Studies is a theoretical course, focused on the analysis and deconstruction of films ranging from early silent cinema to 1930's Hollywood films to contemporary, experimental international films. You will be invited to engage in critical debate based on film theories and theorists and produce your own creative piece.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including Maths and a grade 5 in English or English Literature GCSE.

AWARDING BODY: WJEC

GOES WELL WITH: English Literature, Performing Arts and Creative Arts subjects.

ART, DESIGN & MEDIA

MEDIA STUDIES

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

You will enjoy this academic course if you have a serious interest in the media, including TV, film, magazines and newspapers, computer games, music video, social media, and online advertising. Over the space of two years, you will engage in critical debate, discussion and analysis in order to understand the importance and power of the media. You will also put theory into practice by producing a cross-media creative piece of your own design.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including Maths and a grade 5 in GCSE English Language or English Literature GCSE.

AWARDING BODY: EDUQAS

GOES WELL WITH: Film studies, English A Levels, Performing Arts.

ART AND DESIGN

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

If you're a creative student with a serious interest in general art and design, this double award vocational course is for you. Over two years, you will be introduced to ideas development, visual recording and communication and different art and design materials and techniques. At the end of two years, you will have built up a portfolio of creative work, which will become more specialist as the course progresses.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English or Maths and a grade 4 in GCSE Art or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Art and Design or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Graphics, Media, Psychology (Art Therapy).



ART AND DESIGN (FASHION, INTERIORS AND 3D DESIGN)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course is ideal if you're creative and have a serious interest in fashion, visual merchandising, retail display, interior design, prop making, large scale installations and graphic communication. You will learn the basics of visual recording and communication, how to embark and execute a creative process and become confident working with a range of different materials and techniques.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English or Maths and a grade 4 in GCSE Art or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Art and Design or a demonstrable interest in and experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Media, A Level English, Photojournalism, Film Studies.

ART AND DESIGN (PHOTOGRAPHY)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course is a general art and design course, with a specific focus on photographic practice. To take this course you should have a specific interest in photography and be enthusiastic about being creative. Over two years, you will explore different photographic practices, techniques and methods. You will also investigate the work of photographic practitioners in order to create your own work.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English or Maths and a grade 4 in GCSE Art and Design or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Art and Design or a demonstrable interest in and proven experience of the subject.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Photojournalism, Media, Film, A Level English.



For full course details, head to our website

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Meet the team



I love the diversity, the creativity and the unpredictability of the Arts subjects. It offers students a chance to express themselves in a safe environment. The lessons are full of energy!

Simon Wright

ART, DESIGN & MEDIA

CREATIVE DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION (FILM AND TV PRODUCTION)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course will introduce you to Television and Film Production. Learners will get hands on with industry standard equipment and software, which will allow them to create moving image pieces. Supplementing the practical element of the course will be the teaching of industry knowledge and practices.

You will leave this course well prepared to enter the Creative Media Industry as a worker, apprentice or student.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need a four GCSEs grade 9–4 (A–C) which may include one BTEC and either GCSE English or GCSE Maths at grade 4 as appropriate for chosen courses. Specific entry requirements: Grade 4 in GCSE English and a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Creative Media if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Arts courses, Performing Arts, English A Levels, Business.



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CREATIVE MEDIA PRACTICE

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This challenging and exciting course is designed to expertly train students with skills for the film and television industries and covers areas such as radio drama. Working to professional briefs, you will be immersed in every aspect of production, from scriptwriting to filming and editing and sound recording.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English and a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Creative Media if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: English A Levels, Film Studies, Media Studies, Performing Arts courses, art courses.

CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION AND TECHNOLOGY

BTEC LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This is a one year course that will allow you to study and create a variety of different media. The two main focuses of the course will be moving image and print media. You will have the opportunity to create short films, digital audio editing, as well as page layout and design.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs, three at grade 3 and one at grade 2 which must include English or Maths at grade 3 or three GCSEs and one Level 2 BTEC which must include English or Maths at grade 3. You must be able to show a demonstrable interest in or experience of a creative subject.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Level 2 Business, Level 2 Travel and Tourism.

HAIR & MAKE-UP EFFECTS FOR FILM AND THEATRE

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This exciting new course which is the equivalent to 1.5 A Levels and is designed to be studied alongside the Foundation Diploma in Performing Arts or two other A Levels such as Film Studies, Media Studies or Photography. During the course you will explore hair and media effects for a range of historical looks, characters and special effects and wounds, while also learning the skills required for high-end fashion editorial.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Four GCSEs at grade 4 or above if combined with other another BTEC or five GCSEs at grade 4 or above if studying alongside two A Levels.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

CREATIVE MEDIA PRODUCTION AND TECHNOLOGY

UAL LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course has been designed to provide you with the skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to progress to further study and training in a range of media-related subjects, including games design, website design, film, TV, radio, sound engineering and others.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs, three at grade 3 and one at grade 2 which must include English or Maths at grade 3 or three GCSEs and one Level 2 BTEC which must include English or Maths at grade 3. You must be able to show a demonstrable interest in or experience of a creative subject.

AWARDING BODY: University of the Arts, London

FOUNDATION DIPLOMA IN ARTISTIC MEDIA PRODUCTION

UAL LEVEL 4 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

The UAL Level 4 Foundation Diploma has been designed to provide you with the skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to progress into higher education and employment. This training year will provide students with an opportunity to stretch and refine your practical skills whilst defining their own personal interests and area of expertise. This course is the ideal stepping stone in to Higher Education or industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Minimum of two A Levels or an equivalent BTEC Diploma/Extended diploma in a related subject. In order to demonstrate your flair for the subject, we also recommend that applicants bring their portfolio of previous work.

AWARDING BODY: University of the Arts, London





BUSINESS, IT & TRAVEL

Business, IT & Travel are ever evolving and changing at an unprecedented pace. Whether you're a would-be entrepreneur or someone destined to climb the corporate ladder, you will need the technical skills and know-how to forge a career in this exciting sector.



Facilities and Resources

Our industry experienced lecturers lead a highly developed programme complemented by:

- State-of-the-art classrooms
- IT suites with fast broadband, new infrastructure and technology
- Guest lecturers
- Expert speakers
- Specialist classrooms and workspaces

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The average salary in business jobs in the UK is £47,500

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

University of Birmingham Business Management with Marketing and Year in Industry

Queen Mary University of London Business Management

Bournemouth University Marketing Communication with Advertising

University of Portsmouth Business Management

Royal Holloway, University of London Management with Accounting

University of Manchester Economics

University of Portsmouth Accounting and Finance

University of Surrey Human Resource Management

Career Inspiration

- Marketing
- Human Resources
- Management
- Finance
- Games Designer
- Computer Support
- Travel Agent
- Flight Attendant

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Business	●	●
Economics	●	●
BTECS		
Business Level 2	L2	
Business Level 3	EC/D	ED
Information Technology Level 3	EC	
Travel and Tourism Level 3	EC	



Daniel Hasan Diaz

Previous school: The Magna Carta School

Courses studied: A Level Business, A Level Biology and A Level Chemistry

Future plans: I would like to go to university and hopefully study physiotherapy



College allows you to have more independence and more freedom over your choices.

BUSINESS, IT & TRAVEL

BUSINESS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This is the right subject for you if you want to learn about how the world of business functions, its role in wider society and links to political and international issues, such as workforce migration, globalisation, marketing and financial performance.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and a grade 5 in English and Maths.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Economics, Law, Psychology, Politics and Media.

ECONOMICS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Economics is the right subject for you if you enjoy debating economic issues such as inequality, immigration and how we should pay for healthcare. You will use and interpret data to analyse economic problems, discuss alternative courses of action and support them with well-reasoned cases. Keeping up to date with national and international trends is also important.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English and grade 6 in Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Business, Maths, Geography, Science, Psychology, History and Politics.

BUSINESS

BTEC LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

On this course, you will learn the fundamental aspects of working in a business from financing and marketing to dealing with customers effectively. Additionally, the course will help you develop skills that are essential for the modern-day workplace.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs, three at grade 3 and one at grade 2 which must include Maths or English at grade 3, or three GCSEs and one Level 2 BTEC which must include English or Maths at grade 3.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Level 2 Media or Sports.

BUSINESS

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

On this course, you will learn about various types of businesses, how to develop effective marketing communications and the importance of budgeting and financing a business.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English and Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: IT, Travel, Media or Sports.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

If you're interested in an introduction to creating IT systems to manage and share information, then take a look at this course. You will explore the relationship between the hardware and software that form an IT system, and the way that systems work individually and together. You will also design, create and evaluate database systems.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Business, Travel, Maths, Media.

TRAVEL AND TOURISM

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This is the ideal course if you're interested in working in the travel, tourism, aviation or hospitality industries in the UK or overseas.

You will have the opportunity to look at business and destinations round the world, understand who works for these businesses, where people travel to and why.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English or Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Business, IT, Geography, Photography.



For full course details, head to our website

windsor-forest.ac.uk



Meet the team



The ever-changing world of business and our environment means that there is always something new and exciting to teach.

Rebecca Cain



HUMANITIES

In an era of big technological advancements there is still a high demand for the skills acquired through studying one of the humanities subjects – critical analysis, gathering evidence and evaluating arguments. These subjects give you a competitive edge in whichever industry you pursue your ambitions.



Facilities and Resources

- Contemporary classrooms
- IT suite with latest technology
- Quiet study spaces
- Diverse expert speakers
- Guest lecturers

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Humanities help us understand and interpret the human experience, as individuals and societies.

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

- University of Nottingham** Hispanic Studies and History
- Bournemouth University** Psychology with Counselling
- Royal Holloway, University of London** Law with Sociology
- University of Liverpool** Psychology
- Royal Holloway, University of London** History
- University of Manchester** Law with Criminology
- University of Bristol** History
- University of Reading** Ancient History and Archaeology
- University of Essex** Law

Career Inspiration

- Criminal Psychology
- Marketing
- Journalism
- Financial Services
- Politics
- Publishing
- Accountancy
- Law

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Geography	●	●
History (Modern)	●	●
History (Early Modern)	●	
Law	●	●
Politics	●	●
Psychology	●	●
Sociology	●	●
DIPLOMAS		
Applied Psychology Level 3	●	●
Criminology Level 3	●	●
ACCESS TO HE		
Criminology and Law Level 3		●



STUDENT STORY

Ursula Phosisi

Courses studied: A Level Psychology, A Level Philosophy and A Level Sociology
Future plans: I plan to go to university to study Law and Psychology



Windsor College is a great environment. The teachers are supportive from every direction.

HUMANITIES

GEOGRAPHY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Do you want to learn more about topical issues currently in the news – such as river flooding, coastal management, problems of rapid population growth and the environmental impact of energy production? Then geography is the subject for you! This stimulating subject builds on knowledge gained at GCSE.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 5 in GCSE English Language or GCSE English Literature plus a grade 5 in GCSE Maths and a grade 5 in GCSE Geography if taken.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Biology, Applied Science, Maths, other Humanities, English Language.

HISTORY (MODERN)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

You will study British history from the late 18th to early 20th Centuries, and European and world history in the 20th Century. You will learn the skills of extended analytical essay writing, primary source analysis and the evaluation of historical interpretation, as well as research, debating and presentation skills. You will complete an independent coursework assignment on the historical debate surrounding the origins of the Cold War 1945–53.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including grade 5 in English Language and grade 5 in History if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Classics, Philosophy, Sociology, Law, English Literature.

HISTORY (EARLY MODERN)

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course focuses on over 200 years of English and European history from the 15th to the 17th Century. You will learn the skills of extended analytical essay writing, primary source analysis and the evaluation of historical interpretation, as well as research, debating and presentation skills. You will complete an independent coursework assignment on the historical debate surrounding the causes of the outbreak of the Wars of the Roses.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including grade 5 in English Language and grade 5 in History if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Classics, Philosophy, Sociology, Law, English Literature.

LAW

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Law is a challenging course in which you will learn the basic principles of English law and its role in society, the importance of criminal and civil law, the rule of law and examine morality and justice issues. If you enjoy and are curious about the law and the key cases and Acts of Parliament that have shaped it, this is the course for you.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 including grade 5 in GCSE English or GCSE English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Other Humanities, English Literature, English Language, Philosophy, Classics.

POLITICS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Politics is an interesting yet challenging course, in which you will develop your knowledge and understanding of both the UK and USA political systems and compare UK and USA politics and political ideologies. You will develop a number of skills, including how to research, how to write persuasive arguments and convey your point of view effectively, and how to work as part of a team.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including grade 5 in GCSE English or GCSE English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: History, Law, Philosophy, English Literature, Classics, English Language, Sociology, Psychology, Modern Foreign Languages.

PSYCHOLOGY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Psychology is the study of human behaviour and mental processes from a scientific viewpoint. The course features elements of social, cognitive, psychopathology, biological, evolutionary and developmental psychology. You learn through a variety of interactive methods including experiments, debates, role plays and presentations.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English and Maths and grade 6 in a Science subject.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Science in particular Biology, Criminology, English Language, Maths, other Humanities.



For full course details, head to our website

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Meet the team

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I enjoy the buzz of the classroom and teaching subjects that raise lots of interesting ideas and controversies that we can discuss and debate.

David Brown

**Head of Department for Humanities
at Strode's College**

HUMANITIES

SOCIOLOGY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Sociology will give you a critical understanding of contemporary British social issues and the way in which society is structured. You will have the opportunity to study a number of different social theories, like Post Modernism, Marxism and Feminism and explore ways in which they can be applied to society to help us understand the way society functions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including Maths and grade 5 in English or English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Other humanities, English A Level, Criminology, Psychology, Applied Science, PE.

APPLIED CRIMINOLOGY

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Criminology is an exciting subject which will allow you to understand crime and deviance in detail. You will focus on the impact that crime and criminal behaviour have on societies and explore how criminal behaviour can be explained. You will investigate the different techniques used in a criminal investigation such as forensics, policing and the judiciary process. You will also consider the effectiveness of different strategies used to reduce criminality from custodial sentences and the impact of community orders.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including a grade 4 in GCSE English or GCSE English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: WJEC

GOES WELL WITH: Sociology, Psychology, Humanities, English Language.

APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Psychology is the scientific study of the mind and human behaviour. It is an interesting subject that can help you understand why people think, feel and behave in the way that they do. You will study research methods and complete a research project which will develop skills of investigation, problem-solving, analysis and creative development.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English, Maths and Science.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Applied Science, Criminology, Sociology, English Language, Sport.

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION: CRIMINOLOGY AND LAW

ACCESS TO HE LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This is a full time Level 3 course for learners without traditional qualifications, designed to develop skills and prepare for study at university. Access to HE courses are ideal for those returning to education after a number of years, for example, in employment, bringing up a family or having a career break.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: To be aged 19 or older, 5 GCSEs in English and Maths at grade 4 or above (or A-C). All applicants must have an interview and assessment to confirm that the course is suitable for them.

AWARDING BODY: Laser

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Strode's and Windsor
provide the perfect mix
of independent study
and support.





LANGUAGES, LITERATURE & CULTURE

Studying languages, literature and culture will lead to opportunities across a number of different sectors. The highly transferable skills are in demand by both national and international employers from a variety of industries including media, PR, finance, business and charities.



Facilities and Resources

- High quality teaching and learning classrooms
- Large learning centre
- Laptops for students to use in class
- Mobile technology including Microsoft Surface Pros

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Literature has shaped civilisations, changed political systems and exposed injustice.

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

Bath Spa University Creative Writing

University of Winchester Journalism

UCL (University College London) Linguistics

University of Brighton English Language

University of Oxford English Language and Literature

University of Oxford Classics

University of Reading Spanish Studies and English Language

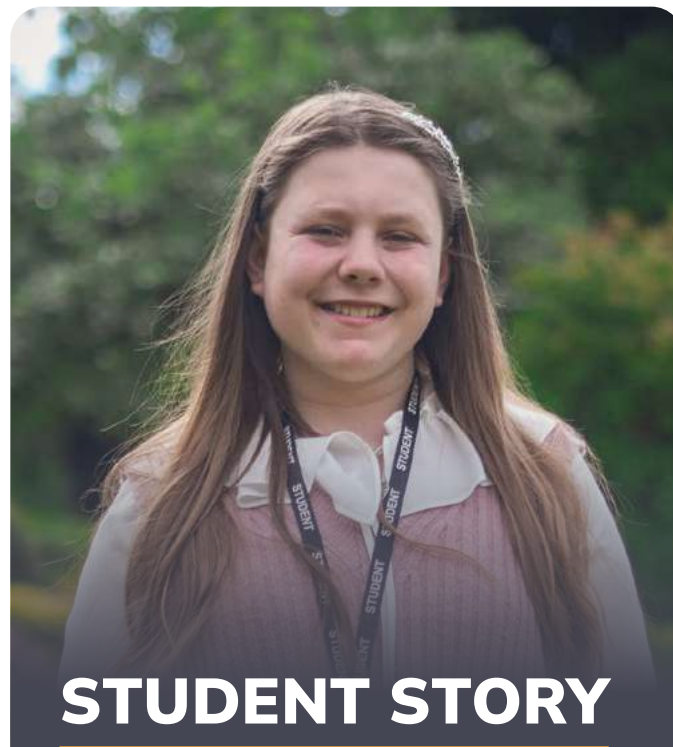
University of Bristol English

Oxford Brookes University English Language and Linguistics

Career Inspiration

- Copywriter
- Journalist
- Author
- Social Media Manager
- Content Creator
- Diplomatic Service
- International Aid & Development

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Classical Civilisation	●	
English Language	●	●
English Language and Literature	●	
English Literature	●	●
French	●	
Philosophy	●	●
Spanish	●	



STUDENT STORY

Paige Stubbs

Previous school: Sandhurst School

Courses studied: A Level Classics, A Level English Language & Literature, A Level French and an EPQ

Future plans: I am planning to continue studying Classical Civilisation at Reading University

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You'll get a great experience at Strode's – the teachers are great and learning support have been so helpful.

LANGUAGES, LITERATURE & CULTURE

CLASSICAL CIVILISATION

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This is the perfect course if you have an interest in the worlds of Ancient Greece and Rome. The course offers an in-depth exploration into the beginnings of Western culture, with a chance to look at the oldest surviving works of literature in the Western literary canon; the origins of democracy; the birth of theatre; art and artistry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including English Language or English Literature at grade 5.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: History, Philosophy, English Literature, Film Studies, Law, Politics, Sociology.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

The course is suitable if you enjoy analysing language in real world contexts and exploring how it changes, is learnt, is shaped and manipulated; the course has a lot to do about learning about life through language. This subject gives you a fuller and more perceptive sense of how language is acquired and used in a number of real life contexts.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including maths a grade 5 in English Language and a grade 5 in English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: OCR (Strode's) AQA (Windsor)

GOES WELL WITH: Film Studies, Media, TV and Film, Photojournalism, Photography, Politics, Sociology, Performing Arts.



ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

A Level English Language and Literature presents clear continuity from GCSE English and GCSE English Literature with the study of literary and non-fiction written and spoken texts. The course will develop your creativity and expertise by producing your own original writing. You will need to be a keen reader who is prepared to take on some challenging texts.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 5 in English Language and a grade 5 in English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: Film Studies, Media, TV and Film, Photojournalism, Photography, Politics, Sociology, Performing Arts.

ENGLISH LITERATURE

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course is for you if you are passionate about literature and are prepared to read extensively. The course texts span over 400 years of English literature, allowing you to study texts in depth and place their production in a number of social and historical contexts. It will prepare you for the critical and theoretical frameworks of analysis typical of Higher Education.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 5 in English Language and a grade 5 in English Literature.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: History, Classics, Film Studies, Philosophy, Law, Sociology, Politics.



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Meet the team

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I love teaching in a college that truly reflects the social and cultural diversity that surrounds it.

Martin Greenwood

**Head of Languages, Literature, Culture,
Film & Media at Strode's College**

LANGUAGES, LITERATURE & CULTURE

FRENCH

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This practical course will improve your language skills, while gaining an understanding of the modern society, cultural background and heritage of France. You will learn to speak and write at length in French about all aspects of French society and culture. You will also study a contemporary film and novel. In doing so, you will refine and extend your ability to read, write and speak, listen with accuracy, fluency and confidence.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English and Maths, and grade 6 in French.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: English Language, Humanities, Business and Economics, Philosophy, English Literature.

PHILOSOPHY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course is for you if you have an interest in how different ideas and areas of human thought fit together; whether our deeply-held assumptions about the way the world is can be justified and if arguments, both historical and current, stand up to logical scrutiny. There is a strong focus on enhancing independent critical learning through reading, writing and discussion and the course is guaranteed to get you thinking about things in a completely new way.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 5 in GCSE English and grade 5 in Maths.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Classics, History, Biology, Maths, Law, Politics, Sociology, Psychology, Biology, MFL, Economics.

SPANISH

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course will help develop your confidence and build effective communication skills in Spanish and a thorough understanding of the culture of countries and communities where Spanish is spoken. You will study a range of cultural, political and social topics and in doing so refine and extend your ability to read, write, speak and listen with accuracy and confidence.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English and Maths and grade 6 in Spanish.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: English Language, Humanities, Business and Economics, Philosophy, English Literature.





A photograph of two male students in a computer lab. The student on the left has a beard and glasses, wearing a dark jacket. The student on the right has curly hair and is wearing a grey Puma hoodie. They are both smiling at the camera. In the background, other students are working at computers, and a person is wearing a blue face mask.

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

The digital age needs computer scientists and with technology at the heart of everyday life the learning and career opportunities are countless. Mathematics is also a versatile qualification, much valued by many industries and employers as it combines with and naturally complements a number of course options.



Facilities and Resources

- IT suites
- High quality teaching and learning classrooms
- Large learning centre
- Quiet study spaces
- Mobile technology including Microsoft Surface Pros

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Wherever
there is number
there is beauty.

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

- University of Bristol** Mathematics and Computer Science
- University of Newcastle** Mathematics and Psychology
- Durham University** Mathematics
- University of Cambridge** Computer Science
- University of Nottingham** Aerospace Engineering
- University of Exeter** Maths and Finance

Career Inspiration

- Cyber Security
- Information Systems Manager
- IT Consultant
- Multimedia Programmer
- SEO Specialist
- Web Developer
- Chartered Accountant
- Investment Analyst
- Research Scientist (Maths)
- Statistician
- Software Development
- Civil/Mechanical/Automotive Engineering
- Higher Apprenticeship

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Computer Science	●	●
Mathematics	●	●
Further Mathematics	●	●



STUDENT STORY

Archit Bhardwaj

Previous school: The Magna Carta School

Courses studied: A Level Biology, A Level Chemistry, A Level Mathematics and A Level Economics

Future plans: My aspiration is to study Medicine at the University of Cambridge



Strode's College offers academic independence, and a myriad of academic opportunities which is all delivered by an excellent staff.

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

COMPUTER SCIENCE

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Computer Science is about problem solving. You will be learning how to write programs and how computers work from an abstract point of view. This course has a mathematical approach and is challenging; you will develop your logical and thinking skills and there will be plenty of practical programming and some opportunities to work creatively in the context of coding.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above, including English, you will also need a grade 6 in Maths and Science which may be Computer Science.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Business Studies, IT, Economics, Maths, Science, Music Technology.

MATHEMATICS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Mathematics is a challenging subject; it's important that you're confident with both algebra and graphs, and prepared to work hard from the start. You will study a combination of pure maths, mechanics and statistics over two years. You will be introduced to the idea of self-managed learning which is different from school. If you enjoyed GCSE Maths (particularly algebra) then this is the course for you.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above, including English, you will also need a grade 6 in Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Physics, Computer science, Graphics, 3D Design, Chemistry, Biology, Psychology, Economics.





FURTHER MATHEMATICS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course is for you if you found GCSE Maths easy, love algebra and can't wait to have at least half of your timetable devoted to learning new, exciting maths topics. You will study a combination of pure maths, mechanics and statistics over two years.

This course comprises of two A Levels, so it occupies two of the subject choices on your timetable.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above, including English, you will also need a grade 7 in Maths.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Physics, Computer Science, Chemistry, Biology.



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Meet the team



The sense of community at Windsor College is brilliant among staff and students.

John Adkins

**Head of Science and Mathematics
at Windsor College**



SCIENCES

Get the skills and qualifications for a career which constantly pushes boundaries, working at the forefront of human knowledge. Many exciting and challenging careers from medicine, veterinary science, pharmaceuticals and forensic investigation require a firm grounding in science.



Facilities and Resources

- Specialist science laboratories
- State of the art teaching and learning facilities
- National competitions in Chemistry at the Science Symposium
- STEM Days
- Expert teachers

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Everything is theoretically impossible until it is done.

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

Bournemouth University Forensic Science

University of Central Lancashire Neuroscience

UCL (University College London) Cancer Biomedicine

University of Warwick Physics with Astrophysics

University of Reading Biomedical Sciences

Royal Holloway, University of London Biochemistry

Durham University Physics

University of Lincoln Biomedical Science

London South Bank University Chiropactics

Career Inspiration

- Forensic Science
- Medicine
- Genetic Engineering
- Scientific Research
- Engineer
- Pharmacist

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Biology	●	●
Chemistry	●	●
Physics	●	●
BTECS		
Applied Science Level 3	EC/D	EC/ED
Health and Social Care Level 3	EC	EC
Health and Social Care Level 2	L2	



STUDENT STORY

Mariam Ghani

Previous school: The Langley Academy

Courses studied: A Level Biology, A Level Chemistry and A Level English Literature



I like the variety of opportunities at the college, with fairs and events that help to boost the mood of the overall college community.

SCIENCES

BIOLOGY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

What causes disease? What is a heart attack, or a genetic fingerprint? Is evolution scientific reality or 'just a theory?' Could you breed a bean plant that tastes of roast beef or chocolate, and if so, should you? How does your immune system work? These are some of the questions that you might encounter when studying Biology at A Level. This course deals with a variety of life processes including; biochemistry, cell biology, evolution and biodiversity, physiology, immunity and disease, neurology, genetics, ecology and homeostasis, together with detailed study of the vital processes that underpin all life respiration and photosynthesis.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including a grade 6 in GCSE Maths and a grade 6 in GCSE Biology or a double grade 6 in GCSE Combined Science.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: All other sciences, Psychology, Philosophy, Geography, Maths.

CHEMISTRY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

If you want to understand more about how the world around you works and look for patterns in the thousands of chemical reactions which occur in nature, this could be the course for you. Chemistry is the in-depth study of atoms and molecules. It includes descriptive material, calculations and problem solving exercises.

It is an exciting, lab based subject which explores the laws of chemistry and demonstrates how these laws and the skills of the chemist have been exploited to give us our present high standard of living.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including a grade 6 in GCSE Maths and a grade 6 in GCSE Biology or a double grade 6 in GCSE Combined Science.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: All other sciences, Psychology, Philosophy, Geography, Maths.



PHYSICS

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Physics presents a content-led, flexible approach where the specification is divided into topics, each covering different key concepts. As you progress through the course you will build on your knowledge of the laws of physics and topics ranging from subatomic particles to the entire universe. Making observations enables you to understand the interactions between quantities in physics, and so practical work is an important part of the course. You will learn about the importance of the estimation of physical quantities and appreciate the limitations of measurements.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 or above including a grade 6 in GCSE Maths and a grade 6 in GCSE Biology or a double grade 6 in GCSE Combined Science.

AWARDING BODY: OCR

GOES WELL WITH: All other sciences, Psychology, Philosophy, Geography, Maths.



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Meet the team



I like organising events to enrich the curriculum and raise students' aspirations.

Bina Bhardwaj

Head of Science at Strode's College

SCIENCES

APPLIED SCIENCE

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

This course, equivalent to three A Levels, opens up a range of career opportunities in the science industry, as well as entry on to both science and non-science degree courses.

You will develop an understanding of scientific concepts such as analytical chemistry, cell biology, forensic techniques and medical physics, as well as understanding how the science industry works. The chemistry, maths and biology components of this course are comparable A Levels. You will also develop your lab skills through an extensive range of practical activities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English and a grade 4 in GCSE Maths plus either a double grade 4 in GCSE Combined Science or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Science.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Psychology, Sport, Geography, Criminology.



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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS
CAMPUS: STRODE'S & WINDSOR

Do you want to work in the care industry, maybe nursing or child care? This is an ideal course to develop the skills needed to work in a care setting or go on to a degree course in health and social care. Learn how to offer and promote quality care, learn about effective communication, equality, diversity and rights and development through the life stages and care values. Gain knowledge in health and safety, anatomy and physiology and sociological perspectives.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 or above including a grade 4 in GCSE English plus a grade 4 in GCSE Science and a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Health and Social Care if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Applied science, Psychology, Sociology, Sport, Criminology.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

BTEC LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This vocational, work-related course is offered as an Award. You will gain a broad understanding and knowledge of the health and social care sector and develop a range of personal skills and techniques that are essential for successful performance in working life. This is an ideal course to develop a range of skills and techniques that are essential for you to be successful at working at entry level in the health and social care sector. You will develop independent research skills and team working in the care industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs, three at grade 3 and one at grade 2 which must include GCSE English or Maths at grade 3 and GCSE Science at grade 3.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson



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We believe that all of our students have amazing potential and that it's our job to work with you to unlock that potential.



PERFORMING ARTS

Turn your talent and passion for dance, music and theatre into a rewarding career. Whether you have your sights on the stage or screen, in front or behind the scenes, let one of our Performing Arts courses springboard you up the ladder or off to drama school or university.



Facilities and Resources

- Fully equipped drama studios
- Music suite at Strode's
- Digital recording studios
- Dance studios
- Partnership with The Old Court Arts Centre (Windsor)
- All stage productions performed in a real theatre at Windsor
- Extensive industry connections
- Great guest speaker programme
- Passionate and experienced teachers

Top Destinations

Our students have gone to:

University of the Arts London

Acting and Performance

Bournemouth University

Music and Sound Production

Royal Holloway, University of London

Drama and Theatre Studies

Goldsmiths, University of London

Drama and Theatre Arts

Falmouth University

Theatre and Performance

St Mary's University,

Twickenham Acting

BIMM Institute Songwriting

Career Inspiration

- Film Director
- Actor
- Theatre Technician
- Dance, Music or Drama Therapist
- Teacher
- Broadcast Presenter
- Community Arts Worker
- Film Director
- Theatre Technician

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Drama and Theatre Studies	●	
Music Technology	●	
BTECS		
Performance (Acting) Level 3	EC	
Performance (Dance) Level 3	EC	
Performing Arts (Music Performance) Level 3	EC	
Hair & Makeup Effects for Film & Theatre Level 3		FD
UAL		
Performing Arts Level 3		ED
Professional Diploma in Performance Level 4		●
Performing and Production Arts Level 2		●



STUDENT STORY

Manasa Tagica

Previous school: Northwood School

Courses studied: Level 4 UAL Performing Arts Professional Diploma

Future plans: BA Acting course at The Royal Conservatoire of Scotland



I would highly recommend the college. It is a diverse and open space where everyone and everything can be celebrated.

PERFORMING ARTS

DRAMA AND THEATRE

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

On this course you will have the opportunity to develop your knowledge and understanding of how drama is developed and performed from the perspective of an actor, director and designer. You will learn how to devise and create contemporary theatre, as an actor, director or designer. You will study a range of theatre practitioners/companies and texts while experiencing many live productions across your two years of study.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including grade 5 in GCSE English or GCSE English Literature plus a demonstrable interest in Drama.

AWARDING BODY: WJEC

GOES WELL WITH: English Literature, other Performing Arts courses, Film Studies, Media Studies, Film and TV, Photojournalism.

PERFORMANCE (ACTING)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course centres around the study of acting as a performer. You will gain an understanding of the industry and how to access employment by developing a range of skills and attributes. You will learn to be a well-rounded and versatile actor in a vocational and academic context through the study and performance of Contemporary and Classical Theatre. This is enhanced by trips, visits and workshops, as well as learning about career progression opportunities in the performing arts industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 4 in GCSE English and a grade 4 in GCSE Drama or GCSE Performing Arts or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Performing Arts or proven experience.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Music performance, Music Technology, Film and Media courses, English A Level.





MUSIC TECHNOLOGY

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This engaging and practical course will enable you to use industry-standard software used by musicians or composers to make or perform music; play back or record songs or pieces; or to analyse or edit music. You will learn how to use the on-site recording studio and Logic music software for mixing, sequencing, arranging and composing. You will develop your listening skills through analysis of a range of musical genres, from 1930s to today.

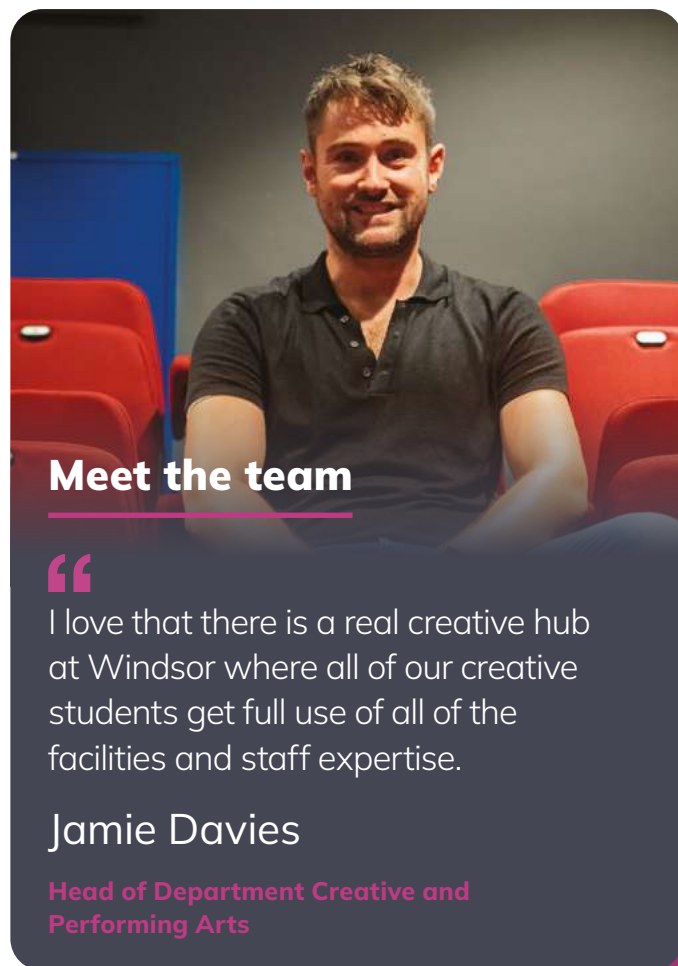
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 4 in GCSE Maths and/or proven experience in Music Production. Plus an interest in computer sequencing, music production or composing.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Computer science, Maths, Science, Performing Arts courses, Media courses.



For full course details, head to our website
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Meet the team

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I love that there is a real creative hub at Windsor where all of our creative students get full use of all of the facilities and staff expertise.

Jamie Davies

Head of Department Creative and Performing Arts

PERFORMING ARTS

PERFORMANCE (DANCE)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

You will learn to be a well-rounded and versatile dancer in a vocational and academic context. You will learn a variety of dance styles and will be able to transfer your choreographic techniques and develop your individual qualities as a performer through development of physical, technical and expressive skills. The course centres around the study of contemporary and jazz dance styles. You will study this from three main components; performance, composition and appreciation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including a grade 4 in GCSE English and a grade 4 in GCSE Dance or GCSE Performing Arts or a Merit in BTEC Level 2 Performing Arts or proven experience.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Music Performance, Drama and Theatre studies, Sport, Applied Science, Arts courses, Media courses.

PERFORMING AND PRODUCTION ARTS

UAL LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course gives you the skills and all-round experience to be an adaptable and multi-skilled performer and theatre maker. Technique classes will develop your skills as performers through movement work (dance, physical theatre and stage combat) and vocal work (Voice and the Actor, Musical Theatre); and you will be given regular opportunities to demonstrate these skills in public performances at a The Old Court Art Space in Windsor. This course enhanced by trips, visits and workshops, as well as learning about career progression opportunities in the performing arts industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English or Maths plus grade 4 in Drama, Dance or Performing Arts or Merit in Level 2 Performing Arts BTEC or proven experience.

AWARDING BODY: University of the Arts, London

GOES WELL WITH: Music Performance, Drama and Theatre studies, Sport, Arts courses, Media courses.

This course can also be studied as a Foundation Diploma which is equivalent to 1.5 A Levels and can be studied alongside A Levels or another BTEC Foundation Diploma.



PERFORMING ARTS (MUSIC PERFORMANCE)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

The course centres around the study of music as a performer. You will study how to work within the professional music industry. While the foundations of the course are set, the rest of the course is designed and adapted each year to suit your needs and interests in music.

You will study a variety of styles and techniques; solo and ensemble work; live and recorded for a range of events that take place both inside and outside the College. This is enhanced by embedded trips, visits and workshops, as well as learning about career progression opportunities in the music industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English or Maths plus grade 4 in Music if taken or Merit in Level 2 Music BTEC or proven music experience.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Dance, Drama and Theatre Studies, Arts courses, Media courses.



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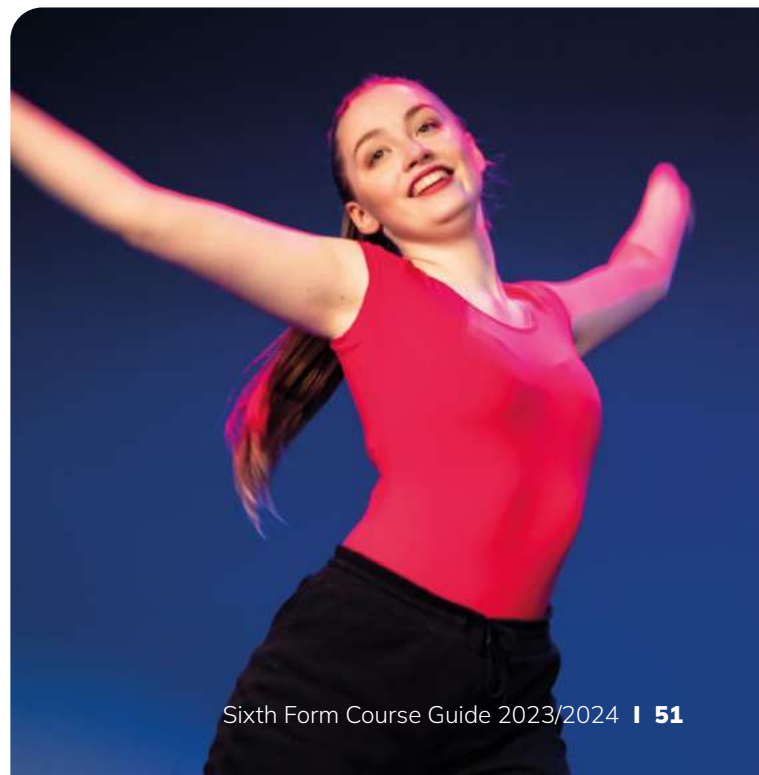
HAIR & MAKE-UP EFFECTS FOR FILM AND THEATRE

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This exciting new course which is the equivalent to 1.5 A Levels and is designed to be studied alongside the Foundation Diploma in Performing Arts or two other A Levels such as Film Studies, Media Studies or Photography. During the course you will explore hair and media effects for a range of historical looks, characters and special effects and wounds, while also learning the skills required for high-end fashion editorial.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Four GCSEs at grade 4 or above if combined with other another BTEC or five GCSEs at grade 4 or above if studying alongside two A Levels.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson



PERFORMING ARTS

PROFESSIONAL DIPLOMA IN PERFORMANCE

UAL LEVEL 4 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course has been designed to provide students with the skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to progress into Higher Education or conservatoire training. This training year will provide students with an opportunity to stretch and refine their practical skills while defining their own personal interests and area of expertise. Regular classes in acting, voice and movement will sit alongside regular opportunities to rehearse and perform full scale public productions of the highest possible standard at a professional theatre venue. This course is the ideal stepping stone in to Higher Education or industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: University Arts London recommend that students have a minimum of GCSE grade 4 or grade C in both English and Maths plus a minimum of two A Levels or a BTEC Level 3 Diploma in a related subject. Applicants will be required to audition.

AWARDING BODY: University of the Arts, London

PERFORMING AND PRODUCTION ARTS

UAL LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: WINDSOR

This course has been designed and awarded by University of the Arts, London and is a one-year full time course that is the equivalent to three GCSEs. The course is designed to provide students with a foundation training programme in all areas of performance and production that fully prepares them to study at Level 3. This is the perfect fresh start for school leavers who are not quite ready for a full Level 3 programme, with a timetable that allows them to re-sit GCSE Maths and English, if required.

Practical classes in voice, speech and movement skills as well as acting skills, exploring improvisation and performing scripted plays will allow you to develop a solid foundation on which to develop confidence in front of an audience.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 3, and some performance or production experience.

AWARDING BODY: University of the Arts, London



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SPORT

Sport is a fast-paced career which is big business, whether working in leisure and health clubs or sports media and physiotherapy – the industry contributes a huge £39 billion to the UK economy. Whether you have the talent to be a future champion, or would prefer a career in coaching or sports development, we have a range of courses to help you on your journey towards an exciting future.



Facilities and Resources

- Large sports field
- Extensive football & rugby pitches
- Netball & tennis courts
- Well-equipped fitness suite
- Large indoor sports hall
- Opportunity to take personal training qualifications
- Extra-curricular sports teams
- Local & national competitions
- TASS accredited provider

Sport at Strode's

There is a strong history of county and national sporting success at Strode's.

Training and competitions are built into the timetable and there is a variety of clubs and activities for you to enjoy from Men's and Women's Football to Rugby, Netball and Table Tennis.

We also provide elite athletes with specialist support.

Career Inspiration

- Extra-curricular sports teams
- Local and national competitions
- TASS accredited provider
- Fitness Instructor
- Leisure Manager
- Sports Professional
- Sports Development
- Sports Therapist
- PE Teacher

Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme



TASS (Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme) is a Sport England funded partnership between talented athletes, education institutions and national governing bodies of sport.

As a proud TASS accredited college, we give talented athletes the opportunity to combine academic excellence with elite performance support. This means athletes can achieve their potential in education while continuing to compete and develop within their sport.

We also ensure training and sport can run alongside lessons and studying by providing more flexibility and offering catch-up sessions.

A LEVELS	Strode's College	Windsor College
Physical Education	●	
BTECS		
Sport (Development, Coaching and Fitness) Level 3	D/ED	
Sport and Exercise Science Level 3	EC	
Sport Coaching Level 2	C	



STUDENT STORY

Megan Read

Previous school: The Bishop Wand School

Courses studied: A Level Physical Education, A Level Psychology, A Level Business Studies and TASS

Future plans: Project Management Degree Apprenticeship with Mace

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I chose Strode's because I liked the facilities, as well as the support they offered and the positive environment.

SPORT

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

A LEVEL | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course expands on many concepts that would have already encountered in school PE lessons. Your studies will be centred around how the body works, how you learn and develop physical skills and the impact that physical activity has on young people developing a balanced, active and healthy lifestyle. You will develop an understanding of the relationship between skill, strategy/composition, body and mind readiness to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of performance.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need five GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English, Maths and Science plus grade 5 in PE if taken.

AWARDING BODY: AQA

GOES WELL WITH: Biology, Applied Science, Maths, Psychology.

SPORT (DEVELOPMENT, COACHING AND FITNESS)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This is a diverse course giving an insight into the many paths available in the sports industry. There are opportunities to apply this knowledge in practical settings, including a work experience placement as well as opportunities to develop research skills which are applicable to studying at higher education. You will learn about a range of avenues within sports, from coaching and leadership to the science of anatomy and physiology.

You will also discover the social impact of sport in relation to the media, barriers to participation and the development of sport as a tool for change.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English or Maths and a Merit in Level 2 BTEC Sport or a grade 4 GCSE PE if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Applied Science, Business, Applied Psychology.



SPORT (SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE)

BTEC LEVEL 3 | TWO YEARS | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This course is centred around how the body and mind work during sport and exercise. There are opportunities to apply this knowledge and understanding practically, as well as research opportunities which help develop skills required for Higher Education. You will cover a range of theory based topics, including functional anatomy and applied sport and exercise psychology. You will explore the way the systems of the body work together and improve with exercise, as well as the way the mind approaches and responds to exercise environments.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs at grade 4 and above including English and Maths plus grade 4 in Science GCSE, or a Merit in Level 2 BTEC Sport or a grade 4 GCSE PE if taken.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson

GOES WELL WITH: Applied Science,
Applied Psychology, Business.

SPORT

BTEC LEVEL 2 | ONE YEAR | CAMPUS: STRODE'S

This qualification gives you the knowledge, understanding and competency needed when considering entering employment in the exercise and fitness sector. This is an ideal course to develop a range of skills and techniques that are essential for successful performance in working life, including independent research skills and team working.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: You will need four GCSEs, three at grade 3 and one at grade 2 which must include Maths or English at grade 3, or a Pass in a Level 2 BTEC/OCR First Certificate plus two GCSEs at grade 3 and one GCSE at grade 2 which must include Maths or English at Level 3.

AWARDING BODY: Pearson



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Meet the team

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I enjoy teaching about the functioning of the human body and methods for optimising athletic performance.

Zoe O'Brien

Head of Department – Sport and Performing Arts at Strode's College

GCSE COURSES

Getting a good pass in English and Maths GCSE is important for your future progression and career so the government now requires every student without a grade 4 or above to continue with these subjects until 18. At our colleges you will have expert post-16 support to develop your potential and increase your current grade.

GCSE ENGLISH LANGUAGE

STRODE'S | WINDSOR

This one-year course is challenging and fast-paced. This is a great way to increase your current grade.

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

You will learn how to better analyse language use in a variety of contexts in terms of word choice, sentence choice and structure, exploring the connections they have to aspects of context (i.e. purposes, audience and other influences).

You will also learn how to better construct language in a variety of creative and practical contexts and generally improve the quality and accuracy of written expression. There are also opportunities to develop the use of oral English in a variety of contexts.

GCSE MATHEMATICS

STRODE'S | WINDSOR

This one-year course is vital for your future progression. This is a great way to improve your current grade.

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Number (25% of exam)
- Ratio, proportion and rates of change (25% of exam)
- Algebra (20% of exam)
- Statistics and probability (15% of exam)
- Geometry and measures (15% of exam)



GCSE SCIENCE PATHWAY

This pathway is for you if you have already studied a Science at Level 2 – either GCSEs or internationally recognised equivalents and narrowly missed the entrance qualifications for BTEC Level 3 or A Levels.

It is very intensive as it covers material in one year that is normally taught over two years. You will progress to Level 3 courses after this, mostly in the Sciences, which can lead to a degree course in many different fields.

GCSE BIOLOGY

WINDSOR

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

You will study a wide variety of topics covering everything from cells to ecosystems.

GCSE CHEMISTRY

WINDSOR

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

You will study a wide variety of topics covering everything from atomic theory to petroleum science.

GCSE PHYSICS

WINDSOR

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

You will study a wide variety of topics covering everything from subatomic particles, electricity, magnetism and optics.

GCSE COMBINED SCIENCE

STRODE'S

WHAT WILL I LEARN?

You will study a variety of topics across the three science subjects e.g. cells in Biology or atomic structure and bonding in Chemistry and skills, e.g. handling units in Physics.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You must have achieved a minimum of three GCSEs at grade 3 and one at grade 2 including GCSE Science at grade 3 and either GCSE English or GCSE Maths at grade 3 or internationally recognised equivalents.





FEES AND FUNDING

Aged 16–18

You won't need to pay any tuition or registration fees. There may be costs for equipment, materials or trips and visits for your course, if so you will be advised of this at interview.

Aged 19 and Over

If you are between 19 and 23 and are studying for your first Level 2 or 3 course then your fees are waived. If you are studying for an eligible Level 3 or 4 course you may qualify for an Advanced Learner Loan. Otherwise, tuition and exam fees may be payable – concessions are available for those on means tested benefits.

Financial Support

There are a number of government support schemes and college bursaries to help students from low income households with the cost of becoming a full time student.

These include help with:

- Course materials
- Free college meals
- Childcare
- Travel
- Trips and visits
- Laptop Loan Scheme

In particular, students are eligible for a range of additional funding including:

STRODE'S FOUNDATION ACADEMIC ACHIEVER'S AWARD

An award contributing to the cost of Higher Education for a Strode's student who has an outstanding record of achievement and the potential to excel in Higher Education.

THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF COOPERS

Assistance with Higher Education bursaries to travel awards for ambitious individual enrichment activities.

RICHMOND PARISH LANDS CHARITY

For students living in postcodes TW9, TW10 or SW14. Please call **020 8948 5701** or visit **www.rplc.org.uk**

THE EGHAM EDUCATION TRUST

For students living in Egham in particular need of financial assistance to meet the cost of their studies and for those undertaking the Duke of Edinburgh Awards. Please visit **www.eghamunitedcharity.org**

GILES TRAVERS EDUCATIONAL CHARITY

Small grants are available to assist with the cost of books and other educationally related expenses.

COOPERS' APPRENTICE

Through our links with The Worshipful Company of Coopers, students are offered the opportunity to become a Coopers' apprentice and giving access to great networking opportunities and contacts in the City of London.

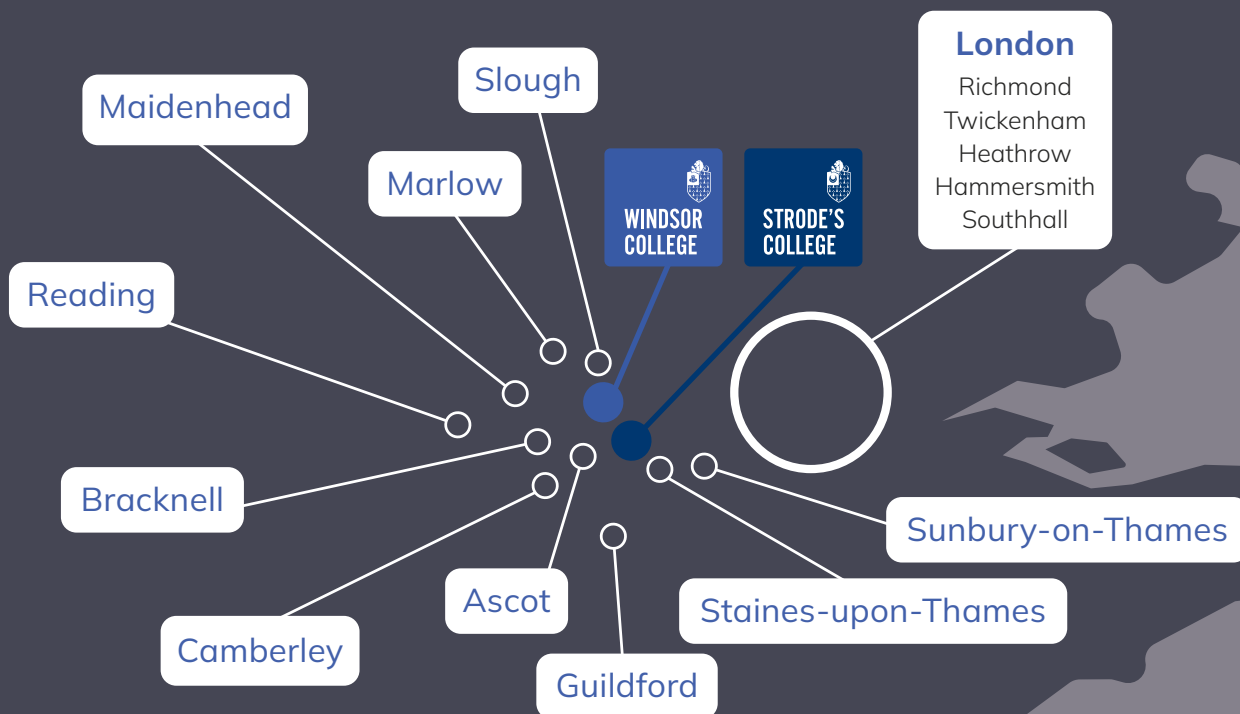


Please visit **windsor-forest.ac.uk** for the full details and criteria. Alternatively, for information and help please contact the Financial Support team on **01753 793368** or email **financialsupport.sixthform@windsor-forest.ac.uk**



GETTING TO COLLEGE

Getting to college is easy. There are a number of direct train services and bus routes which cover a wide area. Some of the locations students travel in from:



Travel Schemes

For those aged 16–18 years old and enrolled on a full-time course, the College offers fantastic travel schemes in association with transport providers to help you save money on your travel costs.



TRAIN PASS – STRODE'S AND WINDSOR 16–17 SAVER

National Rail have released its 16–17 Saver card which is available to everyone aged 16 and 17. This card gets you 50% off most rail fares every day of the year with no time restrictions and no minimum fare. The 16–17 Saver is valid for one year or until your 18th birthday, whichever comes first. To purchase this card, just visit: **www.16-17saver.co.uk**



BUS PASS – STRODE'S ACORN MULTI OPERATOR BUS TICKET

Acorn ticket offers unlimited travel for a day or week across many bus services in north Surrey.

Tickets can be purchased and used at any time and on any day of the week. Most buses on routes covered by the ticket display the Acorn logo.

Visit the Surrey County Council website for more information at **www.surreycc.gov.uk**.

Disclaimer

The courses described in our prospectus are those expected to be on offer during the 2023–2024 academic year. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information contained in this prospectus. Windsor Forest Colleges Group reserves the right, however, to introduce changes including the addition, withdrawal or restructuring of courses. It is important to note that places on courses are subject to availability, and that the courses themselves may be subject to a viable number of students enrolling. The contents of this guide therefore does not form a contractual obligation on Windsor Forest Colleges Group to provide any courses described in it.

SURREY FARE CARD – STRODE'S

Students living and travelling within one of the administrative boroughs/districts of Surrey can also purchase an annual Surrey Fare Card for either bus and rail travel. For more information or to apply, please go to the Surrey County Council website at **www.surreycc.gov.uk**. Students must have enrolled in order to have their rail card released.

Students eligible for the bursary may be able to collect this card free of charge.

To apply for either of the above travel cards, please visit Student Services or call **01753 793368**. Students eligible for the bursary may be able to collect this card free of charge.

CAR PARKING

We do have a student car park at both Colleges with limited spaces and students can purchase a permit. Please note this does not guarantee a space and alternative parking will need to be sought off site if none available.

Head to our website
windsor-forest.ac.uk/contact-us/travel to
find about current travel deals. Alternatively,
email **[financialsupport.sixthform@](mailto:financialsupport.sixthform@windsor-forest.ac.uk)**
windsor-forest.ac.uk

AIM HIGHER



University level study

Getting an advanced level qualification provides increased choice and opportunity, increased career opportunities, higher earnings and more confidence!

WHY CHOOSE US?

- Affordable prices
- Excellent teaching
- Experienced, industry specialist tutors
- A friendly, relaxed but supportive environment

ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION

If you don't have the relevant qualifications to go to university or are returning to study, you can get the qualifications you need in just one year on an Access to Higher Education course.

We offer a number of different pathways:

- Criminology and Law
- Nursing and Healthcare Professions
- Social Work and Mental Health Professions
- Social Sciences and Education

HIGHER EDUCATION

We offer a range of higher level courses at Langley College:

- Business (HND)
- Children's Development and Learning (Fd)
- Digital Technologies (HND)
- Working with Children and Young People (Fd)
- Professional Practice in Health & Social Care (Fd)
- Working in Integrated Services for Children and Young People (BA Hons)

We also have Higher Education courses at Windsor College:

- UAL Foundation Diploma in Artistic Media Production
- UAL Professional Diploma in Performance

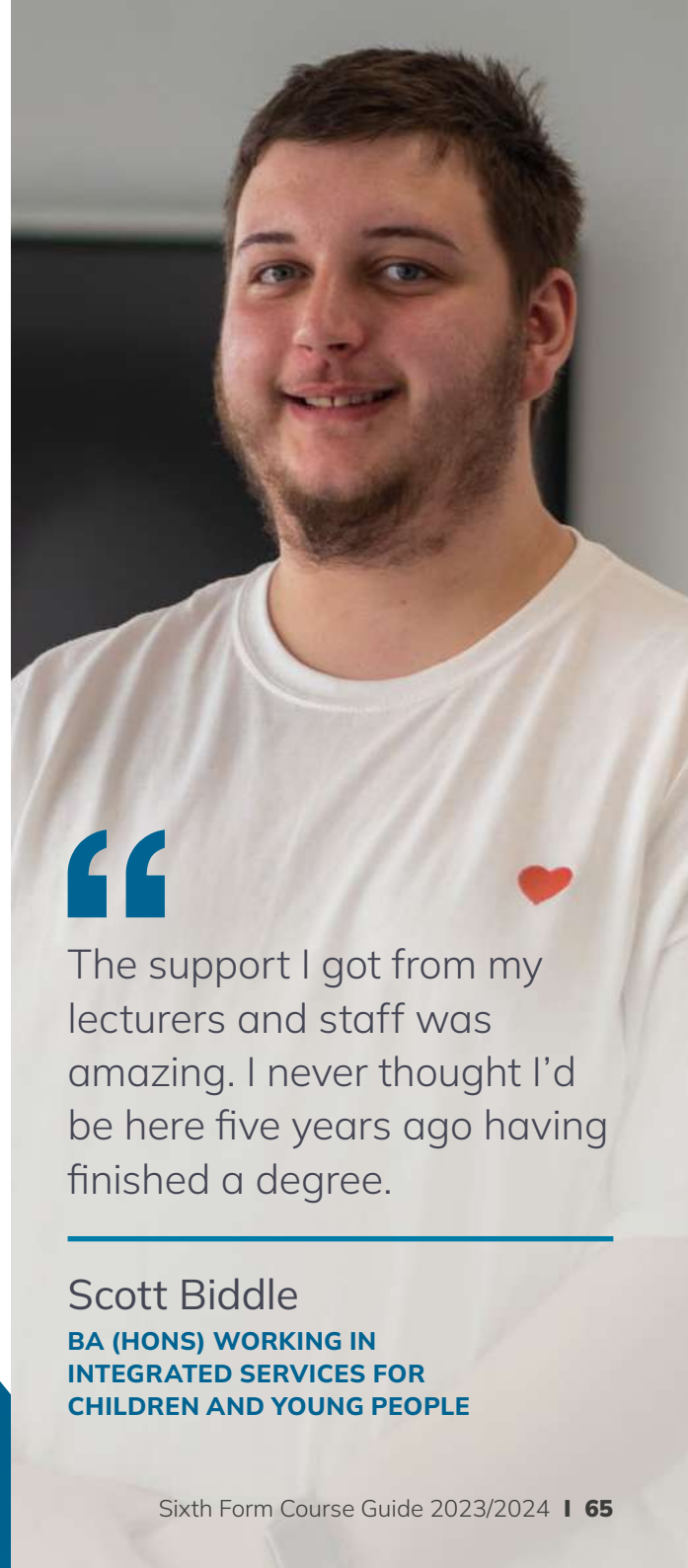
With lower fees, smaller class sizes, a closer relationship with your tutors and industry relevant qualifications, studying with us is a wise choice.

FUNDING YOUR STUDIES

Courses are covered by a Student Tuition Fee Loan awarded by the Student Loans Company, visit **www.slc.co.uk** to find out more. You only start to repay your loan once you are earning over £27,295 per annum.



Head to **windsor-forest.ac.uk/he** for more information



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The support I got from my lecturers and staff was amazing. I never thought I'd be here five years ago having finished a degree.

Scott Biddle

**BA (HONS) WORKING IN
INTEGRATED SERVICES FOR
CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE**

CAREER FOCUSED INDUSTRY READY



Experience | Skills | Support

Our amazing centre for technical and vocational education. We offer programmes from entry level right up to HNDs, Foundation Degrees and Bachelor Degrees.

Langley has benefited from a recent £30 million investment in its facilities, offering industry standard workshops, hair and beauty salons, sports facilities and computer suites.

Our range of courses are tailored to meet local demand and help young people and adults develop skills for careers and advanced level study.

- Apprenticeships
- Business
- Computing and IT
- Construction
- Engineering
- Foundation Learning
- Hairdressing and Beauty Therapy
- Health, Care and Education
- Learn English (ESOL)
- Motor Vehicle
- Public Services
- Sport
- Travel and Tourism
- Access to Higher Education
- Higher Education



For more information or to enrol visit
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CAREER FOCUSED INDUSTRY READY



BCA
Your College

Land-based | Creative
Technical | Active

BCA is a further education college which offers a combination of land based courses alongside vocational technical programmes.

Set in a beautiful 400 acre campus in Maidenhead it provides the perfect environment for students to develop excellent practical and employment skills. The College has a strong culture of continuous improvement where students thrive and are challenged to achieve their full potential.

- Agriculture
- Animal Management
- Applied Science
- Art & Design
- Business
- Childcare
- Equine Studies
- Foundation Studies
- Health and Social Care
- Horticulture
- Land based Engineering
- Media Production
- Motor Vehicle
- Outdoor Education
- Performing Arts
- Production Arts
- Protective Services
- Sport



For more information or to enrol
visit **bca.ac.uk**

OPEN DAYS

STRODE'S

Thursday 6th October 2022 4.30pm – 7pm

Thursday 9th February 2023 4.30pm – 7pm

Thursday 15th June 2023 4.30pm – 7pm

WINDSOR

Tuesday 4th October 2022 4.30pm – 7pm

Tuesday 7th February 2023 4.30pm – 7pm

Tuesday 13th June 2023 4.30pm – 7pm

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WINDSOR COLLEGE

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