

EGGLESCLIFFE SIXTH FORM COLLEGE



ES & 6TH
FORM



2027/28
PROSPECTUS

ONE OF THE
HIGHEST IN NE
FOR A LEVEL
RESULTS IN 2025

99%

of parents agree that
students settle well
into sixth form

ALL 

students have access
to Microsoft Office 365
for free

43%

of students went
to Russell Group
universities 2025

UNIQUELY
TIMETABLED
ENRICHMENT 

BESPOKE CAREERS
EVENTS THROUGHOUT
THE YEAR 

6TH FORM
PROM

an annual tradition

More than

4 OUT OF 5 

students went to their first
choice university in 2025

EXPERT UNIVERSITY
AND CAREERS
ADVICE 

Annual visit to UCAS
Discovery featuring
over 100 universities
and apprenticeship
providers

EGGLESCLIFFE

SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

SIXTH FORM ONLY
BUS 

STUDENT 
LEADERSHIP
TEAM

£2000+

raised for charity
by students in 2025



100%

pass rate at A level

PURPOSE BUILT
SIXTH FORM CENTRE

DEDICATED SIXTH
FORM PASTORAL
TEAM 

97% 

of parents agree
the sixth form
prepares students
for the future

FREE PRINTING
& FREE WIFI





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VISIT US AT OUR OPEN EVENTS

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APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

egglescliffe.org.uk/sixth-form





WELCOME

A very warm welcome to our Sixth Form.

Rated Outstanding by Ofsted in all categories in February 2024, we are incredibly proud to be an inclusive post-16 provider that maintains the core values of our school. Eggescliffe Sixth Form is a learning-driven, student-centred environment where every student feels part of a supportive and welcoming community. Here, students are given the opportunity to thrive both academically and beyond.

Our results speak for themselves—consistently achieving some of the best outcomes in the Tees Valley. In 2025, 52% of all grades were A*-B, alongside a 100% pass rate in 21 subjects.

Our Sixth Form community brings together students from across the area, and it is a pleasure to see them integrate so successfully into life at Eggescliffe. A key part of this is our commitment to charity and service. Students regularly support a wide range of causes, including LEPR, a charity we have proudly worked with for over 25 years, as well as supporting students' chosen charities each year.

We are also committed to ensuring students are fully prepared for life beyond Sixth Form, whether that be university, higher-level apprenticeships, or employment. We offer a range of university visits, alongside guest speakers who provide expert guidance on developing your personal brand and building the skills needed to achieve your goals.

We are proud to be a fully inclusive Sixth Form, where students with SEND are supported to thrive. Through tailored support and a strong focus on individual needs, our students achieve excellent outcomes and progress confidently to their next steps.

A central part of this preparation is our enrichment programme, which offers opportunities to gain additional qualifications such as the Extended Project Qualification, gain valuable work experience in your chosen field, and develop key skills such as teamwork, leadership and organisation, as well as supporting personal wellbeing.

These opportunities enable our students to progress to some of the country's leading universities, as well as high-quality apprenticeships. More importantly, they leave Eggescliffe Sixth Form as well-rounded, empathetic individuals who are active and positive members of society.

Faye Corner / Georgina Crook
Directors of Sixth Form

Still have questions: email us at
sixthform@eggescliffe.org.uk

OUR MISSION FOR SUCCESS

Egglescliffe Sixth Form is a thriving, inclusive community where we are committed to helping every student achieve academic excellence while supporting their personal growth and wellbeing.

We set ambitious expectations and encourage our students to embrace independence, resilience, and responsibility as they prepare for life beyond school. Whether their aspirations lie in university, apprenticeships or employment, we ensure that all students are equipped to 'Be the best they can be'.

We are proud of our long-standing reputation for academic success. Our A Level and vocational outcomes consistently rank among the best in the region, reflecting both the dedication of our students and the high-quality teaching they receive. At Egglescliffe, we provide a stimulating and supportive environment where intellectual curiosity, commitment and a love of learning are nurtured.

Beyond the classroom, our Sixth Formers benefit from a wealth of enrichment opportunities that develop confidence, leadership and character. From music and sport to volunteering (and opportunities for paid work), mentoring and trips abroad, our students are encouraged to explore new interests and grow as well-rounded individuals.

Strong relationships between staff and students remain a hallmark of our Sixth Form. We work closely with parents, carers, governors and external partners to ensure that every student feels supported, challenged, and inspired.

Our mission is to prepare confident, capable young adults ready to make a positive contribution to the world around them. At Egglescliffe Sixth Form, we don't just aim for excellence — we nurture it in every student.

Neil Gittins
Head of School

**“ACROSS THE CURRICULUM,
HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION
IS SKILFULLY ENRICHED
WITH UNIQUE AND
INSPIRING OPPORTUNITIES”**

WE ARE OUTSTANDING

We are exceptionally proud to inform you that inspectors judged the school to be outstanding in all areas following a two day Ofsted inspection that took place at Egglescliffe School & Sixth Form on 31st January and 1st February 2024.

**“PUPILS ENJOY AN EXPANSIVE
RANGE OF EXPERIENCES THAT
BROADEN THEIR HORIZONS
AND INSPIRE THEM TO
ACHIEVE AMBITIOUS GOALS”**

This achievement is a real testament to the dedication and hard work of our entire school community, from our outstanding teachers and staff, to our wonderful students and supportive Governors, Trustees and parents/carers.

**“PUPILS BENEFIT FROM AN
EXCEPTIONAL CURRICULUM THAT
GOES BEYOND THE EXPECTED”**

Ofsted's recognition of our school, reaffirms our commitment to providing the highest quality education for our students both in and outside of the classroom. It reflects the passion and commitment we have towards ensuring every child reaches their full potential and receives an excellent education. We are immensely proud of this outcome, and the report, which recognises our 'highly inclusive environment' and that students benefit from 'exceptional pastoral care' as well as a 'high-quality education which is skilfully enriched with unique and inspiring opportunities'.

**“PUPILS BENEFIT FROM AN
EXCEPTIONALLY WELL-DESIGNED
CURRICULUM”**

Ofsted Inspection Report
March 2024



SPACIOUS
Common Room

Dedicated
sixth form
CAFÉ

IT
facilities and
work stations

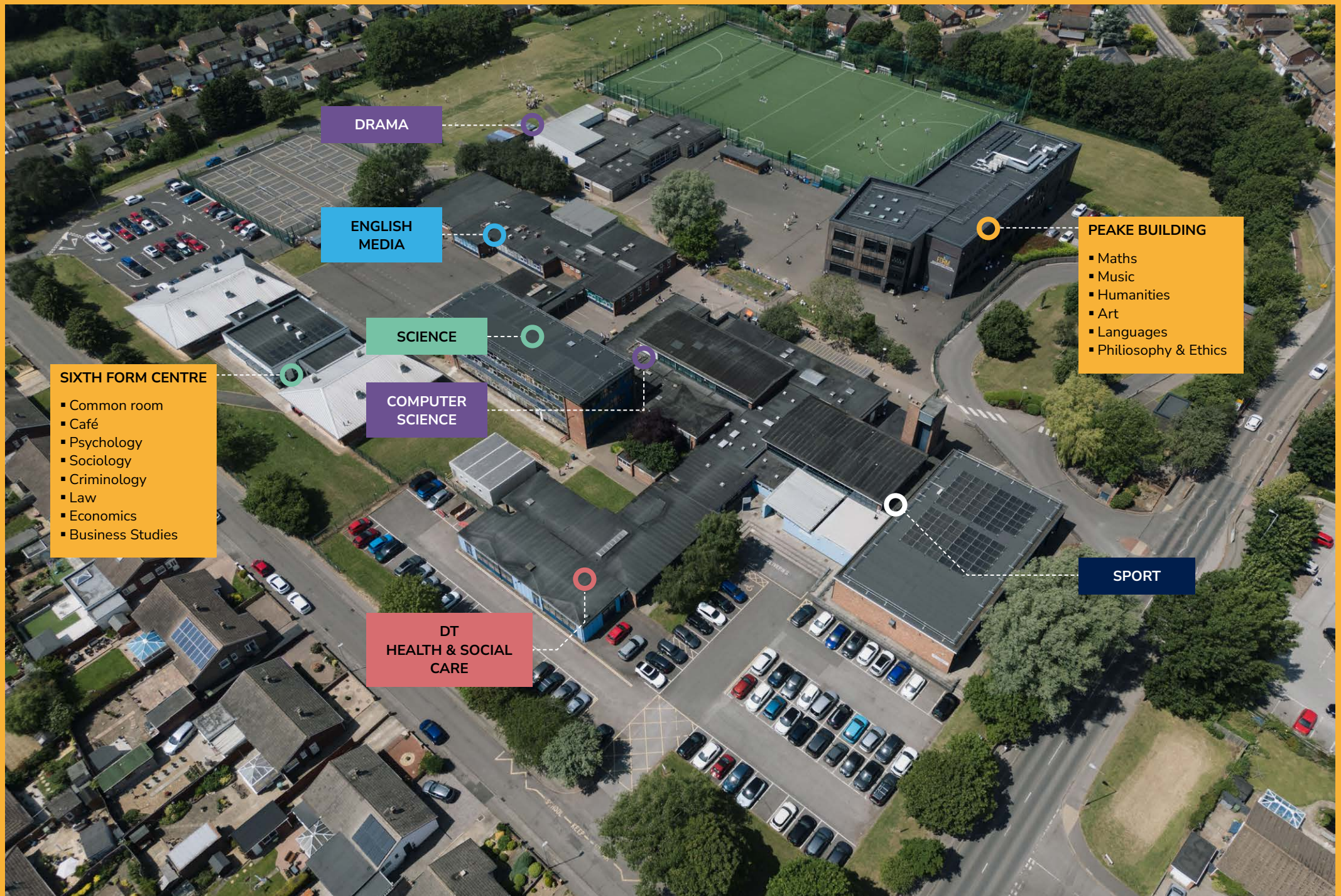
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Quiet study
rooms

RESEARCH
& careers library

“
**AN IMPRESSIVE
ACADEMIC
OFFERING WITH
EXPERIENCES
OUTSIDE THE
CLASSROOM
THAT PROVIDE
LIFE SKILLS**
”

Good Schools Guide
2022

SIXTH FORM CENTRE



LEADERSHIP TEAM



MRS F CORNER

Director of Sixth Form Curriculum

Mrs Corner jointly leads the sixth form and has a specific focus on ensuring students make outstanding progress in their courses, as well as making sure the day to day running of the sixth form is smooth along with Miss Crook. When asked about her favourite thing about working in the sixth form, her response was: *"Seeing the difference in the students from the day they arrive to the day they leave, it's such an honour to see them achieve their potential."*



MISS G CROOK

Director of Sixth Form – Pastoral

Miss Crook jointly leads the Sixth Form and has a vital role, as she is in charge of the excellent personal development programme, sixth form career opportunities and pastoral care of the students. She also works alongside Mrs Corner in the day to day running of the sixth form and ensures students are well supported so they can achieve great success. When asked about her favourite part of the sixth form she responded with *"I love being part of a team that helps and supports students realise their dreams and ambition."*



MRS J WILKINSON

Assistant Director of Sixth Form

Along with assisting Miss Crook and Mrs Corner with the day-to-day running of the college, Mrs Wilkinson has a particular focus on the PSHE and registration curriculum; working with students and parents/carers on attendance and our SEND provision. When asked about what she's most excited about working as part of the Sixth Form leadership, Mrs Wilkinson said: *"It's a joy to provide enriching opportunities to guide our students through the threshold of adulthood."*

PASTORAL CARE

Every student is assigned a personal tutor and placed in a tutor group. Your tutor is there to support you through every aspect of your time in the sixth form. They will be the first member of staff you see every day and are experienced in guiding students to achieve their best and help work through any problems you may encounter.

SEND:

We take pride in the inclusive nature of our sixth form. Students can achieve in their courses no matter the barriers they face. All students who require additional support are monitored closely by dedicated staff who are on hand to help them progress. We have seen many students with a range of challenges succeed well and leave us with strong, lasting destinations as they move confidently toward adulthood. Support can take the form of both academic support and pastoral guidance, tailored to the individual needs of the student.

CAREERS:

Students have access to qualified careers advisors who are on hand to help them make choices about their next steps and understand the routes and opportunities available to them. We provide personalised support with UCAS and apprenticeship applications as well as building opportunities for students to meet with university staff and employers on multiple occasions throughout their time in sixth form. All year 12 are supported to complete a week's work experience to provide crucial CV relevant activity to help them shine in their applications.



100%

pass rate across
21 subjects



52%

of grades achieved
A* to B



Over a

1/4

of all grades
A* to A



22

students achieved
A* to A in 3 or
more A levels



OUTSTANDING RESULTS IN 2025 ACROSS THE SIXTH FORM

85%

of students progressed
to university or
other degree
level training



19

students secured
apprenticeships



59%

of university places
at Russell Group
universities



12

have entered
full time
employment



ALUMNI

Students from Egglescliffe can be found in companies all over the country and with more and more students choosing to do degree apprenticeships after sixth form, the list of companies is growing. We actively welcome former students back to sixth form every year to share their experiences and successes after their time spent here.

NHS


Stockton-on-Tees
BOROUGH COUNCIL

DRAKEN

**Teesside
International
Airport**


HM Treasury

 **Sytner**

**CLIMB &
CONQUER**


**BRITISH
AIRWAYS**


THE SUNDAY TIMES

 **CLEVELAND
POLICE**

 **AXIOM**


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STUDENT QUOTES

Here's what students and parents say about our sixth form...

**"AMAZING
TEACHERS WHO
TRULY CARE ABOUT
THEIR SUBJECT"**

**"NURTURES
AMBITIOUS
STUDENTS LIKE
OUR SON"**

**"SUPPORTED
EVERY STEP OF
THE WAY BY THE
EXPERT SUBJECT
TEACHERS"**

**"CAN I
COME
BACK?"**

**"A REAL FRIENDLY
ATMOSPHERE"**

**"MORE THAN
JUST A
SIXTH FORM"**

**"ACADEMIC
QUALITY WHICH
CAN'T BE
DISPUTED"**

**"BREADTH OF
OPPORTUNITIES
AVAILABLE"**

**"FANTASTIC
GUIDANCE GOT ME
MY FIRST CHOICE
UNIVERSITY"**

**"YOU WILL NOT BE
DISAPPOINTED"**

**ACTUALLY
OUTSTANDING**

**"I HAVE MADE
FRIENDS WITH SO
MANY PEOPLE"**

**"BEST TWO
YEARS OF
MY LIFE"**

**"AMAZING
STAFF, AMAZING
PEOPLE, AMAZING
ATMOSPHERE"**

**"ENJOYED EVERY
SECOND IF IT AND
THE RESULTS
SHOWED"**

**source: student and parent surveys 2014-2026*

FACILITIES

OUR PURPOSE BUILT SIXTH FORM FACILITIES

In October 2019 students and staff were delighted to move into our new block built for the exclusive use of the sixth form. It is a fantastic resource combining modern teaching areas with a large open and well lit common area.

This has proved to be a really attractive addition to the school as the sixth form have the opportunity to meet and socialise in a purposeful 'university-like' environment. In addition students can utilise two adjoining silent study rooms if they wish to work independently. The sixth form guidance and administrative staff are also based within the block to provide advice and support through the day.

Whilst the block prepares us for the next fifty years there is a nod to the school's history as it named after Michael Collins. Eggescliffe School was built in 1962 at the start of the space race and its house blocks are named after notable astronauts from that decade. Collins was retired as a house name when the music department was expanded so it was great to reinstate it when the block was officially unveiled. What was even more incredible was that Dr Andy Aldrin, son of Buzz Aldrin, was able to officially open the site on October 9th 2019. Whilst he also toured Tereshkova, Lovell, Gagarin, Armstrong and obviously Aldrin, he was genuinely delighted to be associated with Collins. He informed us that his father had the upmost admiration for Collins as the third crew member of Apollo 11 who didn't get to walk on the moon. Collins was there to allow Armstrong and Aldrin to fulfil their mission. Hopefully Collins can be here to help you achieve your goals.



SIXTH FORM CANTEEN

We also have a purpose built canteen within the block open from 8.30am until 1.15pm each day. Jen's breakfasts, bistro sandwiches and salads, hot chocolate and lunches have become firm favourites with both staff and students. This is not surprising given the high quality and competitive prices.

There is also a vending machine available throughout the day.

PRINTING

All students have access to free printing and scanning within the sixth form building, along with free wifi to manage your own devices

IT FACILITIES

Sixth form only IT facilities within the common room enable students to access computers whenever they need. There is also desk space with charging points for your own devices.

STUDY AREAS

We have several study spaces around the sixth form building which students can use for silent study, independent working and revision



LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

The sixth form building features seven classrooms meaning some lessons take place within your own space. Many students will also have lessons in our new Peake building with modern spacious classrooms. In addition, we have twelve recently refurbished science labs and excellent sports, technology, creative and performance art facilities.

SPECIALIST TEACHERS

All our subjects are taught by teachers who are specialists in their field. This gives you access to the expertise you need for success as well as advice about progressing in your chosen sector.

SIXTH FORM TRANSPORT AND PARKING

A dedicated bus from all major feeder schools serving Acklam, Thornaby, Ingleby Barwick and Stockton. Once you have passed your driving test, you will be able to make use of our spaces for student parking.

DESTINATIONS

83%  of applicants gained their first choice university in 2025

The following represent a selection of students who were successful in securing their first choices for university or apprenticeships.

ALIHA

Dundee to study Medicine

JACK

Newcastle to study Business, Accounting & Finance

AZRA

York to study Biomedical Sciences

GEORGE

Loughborough to study Chemical Engineering

SEREN

Durham to study Chemistry

FREDDIE

Axiom to complete Engineering apprenticeship

LAWRENCE

Cambridge to study Computer Science

SARAH

Oxford to study Law

DAISY

Climb & Conquer to complete Marketing apprenticeship

DANIEL

Durham to study Mathematics

NATHAN

Newcastle to study Mechanical Engineering

OLIVER

British Airways to complete Pilot apprenticeship

GIFT

Manchester to study Medicine

ANGIE

Newcastle to study Medicine and Surgery

EMILY

Newcastle to study Medicine and Surgery

ZAYD

Sunderland to study Pharmaceutical Sciences

MAYA

Newcastle to study Pharmacy

GEORGIA

Sunderland to study Physical Education with QTS

EMILY

Sunderland to study Primary Education with QTS

HENRY

Cambridge to study Geography

TESTIMONIES

THOMAS OYSTON

Where are you now?

I'm currently studying at the University of Sheffield, reading law.

Favourite memory:

The trip to New York on an economics trip with school. It was great trip, with the added bonus of seeing the city of New York whilst going with friends abroad. Some of my favourite memories during sixth form were from that trip, for example, getting to visit the United Nations.

Support you received:

Constantly had the opportunity to speak to subject teachers and heads of sixth form about any need whilst in sixth form, which helped a lot. Even if I didn't need the help, it was useful to know that the support was there

Why people should go to Eggescliffe?

It's a great school environment, with helpful and supportive teachers. Overall it is an amazing place to learn and also to meet people. The cohort is small enough to allow you to know and talk to the majority of the year regularly, which makes the 6th form have a friendlier vibe.

Where do you hope to be in 5 years?

Hopefully, a practicing solicitor, having graduated from university and passed the SQE. I'd love to specialise in sport business or corporate law specifically.



LENNY YATES

Where are you now?

I am currently in my first year at my first-choice university, Leeds Beckett, studying Sports Business Management.

Favourite memory:

It is definitely the first game that the Sixth Form football team had away against Conyers and not only because we beat them, but just being part of a new group and getting along with everyone – not to mention my goal direct from a free kick. Eggescliffe is a great place to be because of the willingness of staff to facilitate what you and fellow students want.

Support you received:

The support at Eggescliffe is second to none. The sixth form tutor team are always available to support you with absolutely anything, not just academic study. There is a student first ethos within the college which spreads across all of the staff as well as within the student body, so there is always somebody to help.

Why people should go to Eggescliffe?

One significant reason is the quality of teaching and emphasis on academic success. The Sixth Form team and teachers work effortlessly to provide the best education they can and are beyond determined to push every student to be the best that they can be. However, the social aspect of college is not lost and the environment is extremely relaxed and friendly.

Where do you hope to be in 5 years?

I hope to have graduated with a first-class degree and to be working in the sports agency industry with some of the biggest global companies. I hope to still be in contact with the people I met and spent my time with throughout my two years at Eggescliffe, which I'm pretty confident I will be! You never know, I might be back at Eggescliffe in another capacity sometime in the future.

APPLICATIONS OPEN NOW

STEP 1: Visit us – our main open evening in November is a great chance to talk to students and staff about college life and find out about subject content, assessment and lessons as well as get to know the buildings, facilities and extra curricular program on offer.

STEP 2: Complete an online application – let us know you're interested and which subjects you are considering. We understand that decisions take time, so you can choose up to five subjects on the application form while you decide.

STEP 3: Attend an interview – this is an informal chance to talk to staff about you, your choices and what you hope to get out of attending sixth form. You can ask any questions and get personalised advice. You will confirm the three of four subjects you want to study during the interview.

STEP 4: Receive an offer – following the interview, you will receive an offer of a place

STEP 5: Attend the taster days – after your exams finish in June, you will be invited to our two-day taster event. Here, you will meet the other year 11s who are thinking of joining Egglescliffe Sixth Form as well as sample your choice of subjects and extra curricular activities. You will be able to spend time in the sixth form building and see what a day at the college feels like

STEP 6: Enrol! – enrolment opens on GCSE results day; once you have your results come over to Egglescliffe to complete your enrolment.

STEP 7: Welcome to Egglescliffe Sixth Form College – you will start your A-levels or VTQs in September

Applications open	September 2026
Main Open event	November 19 2026, 6-8pm
Sixth form centre drop in for external student	February 8 & March 8 2027
Interviews	February to April 2027
Induction days	June 2027
GCSE results & enrolment	August 19, 2027

**APPLY
NOW**



CHOOSING A COURSE

At Egglescliffe you will get an abundance of support and guidance in choosing the right courses for you.

The Sixth Form open evening, individual interviews with sixth form staff and transition days will ensure you enrol on courses that you can succeed in and lead to your chosen future pathway beyond our sixth form.

WHY STUDY A-LEVELS?

A Levels will give you a chance to find out about your GCSE subjects in greater depth or do one of the subjects that many schools and colleges only offer at A Level such as law, economics or psychology. A levels are mostly assessed by written exams, although there's also some coursework in some subjects. In subjects like science and art, your practical skills are also assessed. The majority of courses are at least 75% formal examination which will be sat at the end of the two years. Both universities and employers really value A Levels. After A Level qualifications, many students continue their study or training through an apprenticeship, vocational qualification or a higher education course at a university or college.



WHY STUDY VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS?

VTQs are equivalent in standard to A levels, providing specialist qualifications for learners who have a clear line of sight to their future career or are planning to progress through further or higher education. They're suitable for students aged 16 and over. VTQs provide specialist, work-related learning across a range of vocational sectors. They give learners the knowledge, understanding and skills that they need to prepare for employment, as well as providing career development opportunities for those already in work. VTQs provide a more practical, real-world way of learning and their value is widely recognised by teaching professionals, employers, higher education and students.



OUR COURSES

A LEVELS:

Art	AQA	(GCSE Art 4+)
Biology	AQA	(GCSE Science or Biology 6+)
Business	Edexcel	(GCSE English & Maths grade 5+)
Chemistry	AQA	(GCSE Science or Chemistry 6+)
Computer Science	AQA	(GCSE Computer Science or Maths grade 6+)
Design and Technology	AQA	(no specific requirements)
Drama and Theatre Studies	AQA	(no specific requirements)
Economics	AQA	(GCSE English & Maths grade 5+)
English Language	AQA	(GCSE English Language grade 5+)
English Literature	AQA	(GCSE English Literature grade 5+)
French	AQA	(GCSE French grade 6+)
Geography	AQA	(GCSE Geography grade 5+)
German	AQA	(GCSE German grade 6+)
History	OCR	(GCSE History and English grade 5+)
Law	OCR	(GCSE English grade 5+)
Mathematics	Edexcel	(GCSE Maths grade 6+)
Further Mathematics	Edexcel	(GCSE Maths grade 7+)
Media Studies	OCR	(GCSE English grade 5+)
Music	WJEC	(GCSE music grade 5+ OR instrument grade 5 or higher)
Philosophy and Ethics	OCR	(GCSE English grade 5 preferred)
Photography	AQA	(GCSE Art grade 4+)
Physical Education	OCR	(GCSE PE grade 5+ OR Science/Biology grade 5+)
Physics	AQA	(GCSE Science or Physics 6+ AND Maths grade 6+)
Politics	Edexcel	(GCSE English grade 5+)
Psychology	AQA	(any two of GCSE English, Maths or Science 5+)
Sociology	AQA	(GCSE English grade 5+)

VTQs:

Criminology	WJEC	(GCSE English grade 4)
Health and Social	Pearson	(BTEC level 2 preferred)
Information Technology	Pearson	(no specific requirements)

Students will normally need to achieve a minimum of five GCSEs at grade 4 or above. Many courses also have specific entry requirements which are listed above. Students who do not achieve a grade 4 in GCSE English and/or Maths will be supported through a process of resitting these courses in year 12.

Full course details available on our website egglescliffe.org.uk/our-curriculum



ENRICHMENT

Our enrichment programme is a core part of the 6th form experience that all students undertake, and runs on Wednesday afternoons throughout the year, when students come off timetable from their subjects.

The programme is designed to complement A level studies and includes a wide variety of interesting and enjoyable activities that suit students' interests, future career prospects, areas for development, or simply just to make friends and have fun. Activities we have ran previously include first aid, sign language workshops, social action groups, fitness and football, mentoring younger students, escape rooms, self-defence training, debating, public speaking, student leadership, forensics, yoga, clay pigeon shooting, comedy workshop, paintballing and much more. We are always open to new ideas, however, so enrichment is sure to get bigger and better each year it is a part of our sixth form offer.

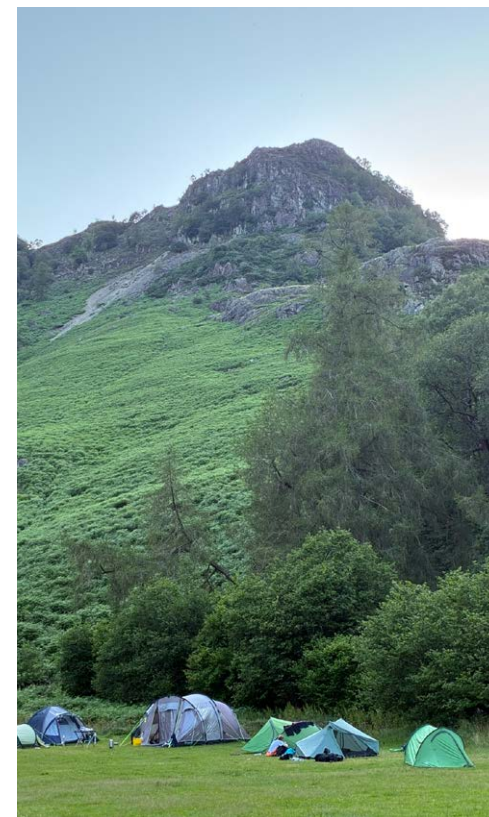
We offer students the opportunity to complete an EPQ: a research project in a topic of your choice.

Students can opt to complete Duke of Edinburgh Awards: we offer Gold for students who have already completed the lower levels and Silver for those who have not.

Students can also take up paid roles within the school including mentoring GCSE and KS3 students and lunchtime duties.

Our opportunities board in the common room is packed with events and opportunities to help students extend their subject knowledge through webinars and lectures as well as visits to universities and employers.

We also offer international visits with our trips to New York and Iceland becoming key parts of the sixth form calendar. We have also had visits to Borneo, Nepal, Costa Rica and are currently looking to launch the first ever Sixth Form Ski Trip to Austria!



VISIT US AT OUR OPEN EVENTS

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Monday, March 8th, 2027 4-5.30pm

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