



Allerton Grange

Sixth Form

Reach your
full potential





Welcome

Allerton Grange Sixth Form is your first choice for a successful future. We are a good sixth form and are proud of our students. 96% of Allerton Grange students pass their A Levels, with 99% going on to their preferred university, apprenticeship or employment.

We offer a wide variety of A Levels and vocational subjects to suit all abilities; students who choose to study with us have a track record of getting high grades.

If you want the best, come and see what Allerton Grange has to offer.

Your future is safe in our hands.

Mike Roper, Headteacher

Allerton Grange staff will be there for you every step of the way. You will have regular independent careers advice and a specialist Sixth Form Team to guide you along your chosen pathway.

Our Sixth Form has smaller class sizes, where teachers will know you and work with you to ensure you get the grades you need.

Allerton Grange has exciting partnerships with universities, and countless opportunities to develop the leadership skills that make you stand out from the crowd.

**Elizabeth Braim,
Curriculum Lead for Sixth Form**



96%

A Level pass rate



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WILL HELP YOU TO SUCCEED



If you want the academic best, then Allerton Grange is for you. We aim high and expect you to reach the very best standards. As a school, we are consistently in the top 25% of sixth forms nationally, with some subjects in the top 10% or higher.

Committed teachers work with you to achieve your best possible exam results; each subject's teaching time has been increased to 5 hours per week to support this. Your progress is tracked closely, with regular assessments, followed by attainment reports and predicted final grades.

As a smaller sixth form, staff know you personally and ensure that you know how to move up to the next level; they support you to make this progress. All subjects offer drop-in sessions for additional guidance, either for small groups or one-to-one.

Our subject areas have strong links with universities, enabling us to attend lectures, experience master classes and host visiting speakers.

"The pastoral support is amazing.

There is always someone to talk to." – Emma



Meet the Sixth Form Team



Elizabeth Braim
Curriculum Lead for Sixth Form

- Oversees the curriculum offered in KS5
- Academic progress and Intervention
- Enrichment
- UCAS

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●●● Allerton Grange ●●●

has excellent facilities and equipment

Any visit to our school will show the wonderful facilities we have on site. These enhance your learning in lessons through access to the latest equipment and technology; laptops can also be borrowed and used in independent study.

From September 2021, our Sixth Form will be housed in a bespoke building containing brand new classrooms, a common room and study areas. This is completely separate from the lower school, giving a college feel whilst still enjoying small class sizes and individual support.

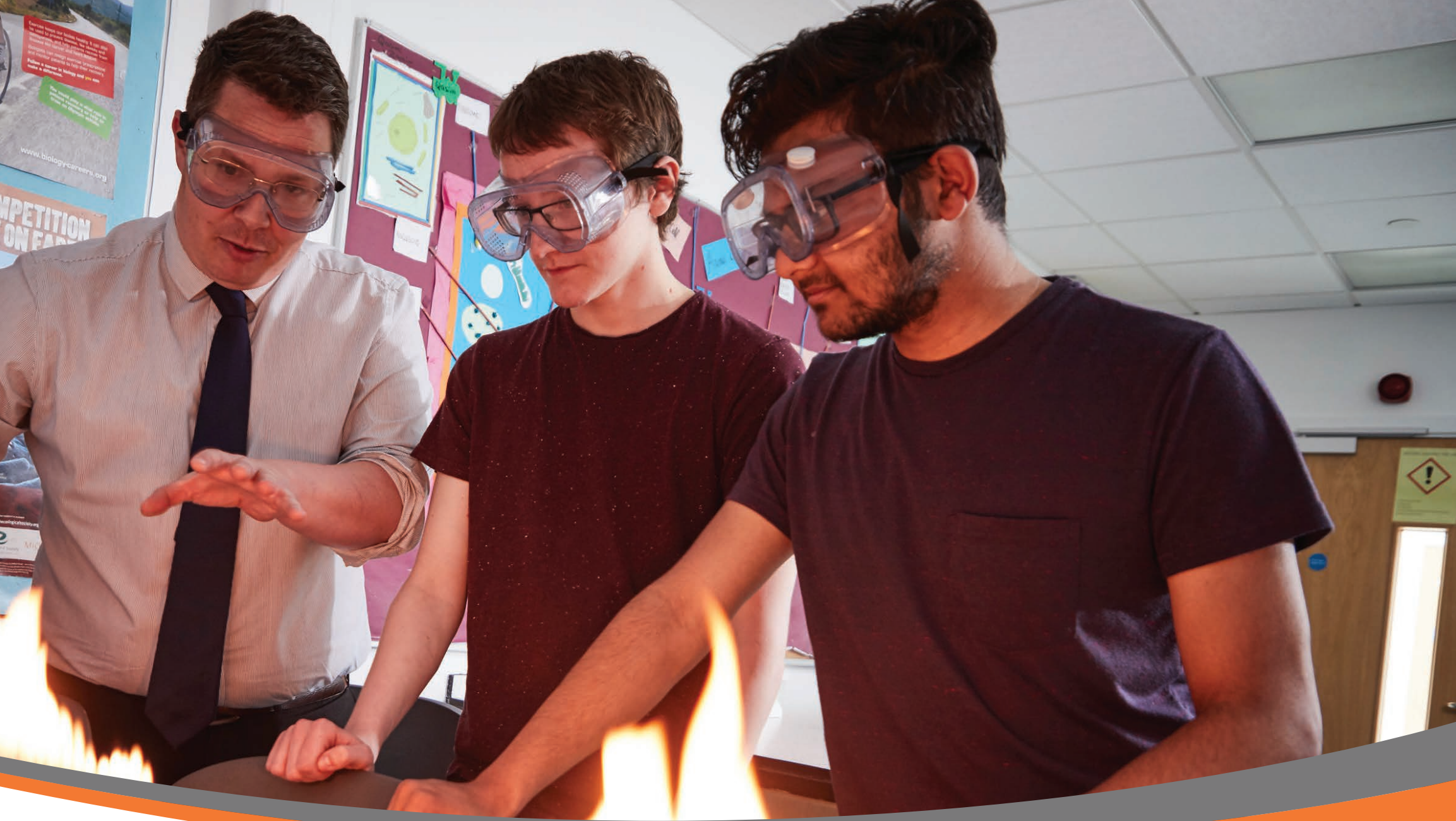
Sixth formers are part of the Allerton Grange community and experience greater independence through the Privilege Pass system which includes flexible study hours, early finish times, bespoke enrichment and wider opportunities outside of the Sixth Form.

Student attendance, conduct, attitude to learning and their contributions as active citizens within the school are taken into account and are reflected in the Gold, Silver and Bronze levels of the Privilege Pass, enabling students to earn more control over their Sixth Form experience.



"The quality of teaching

in the sixth form is good." – Ofsted



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Your sixth form experience *- more enrichment and personal development*

As sixth formers, we encourage you to be independent and give you the tools you need to reach your full potential. Not only do we cover traditional pastoral topics and study skills, but we also include practical sessions on budgeting and cooking in preparation for life beyond Year 13.

We offer the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ); this is an opportunity to grow essential skills such as research and self-discipline which are essential for undergraduate study.

Work experience is an integral part of your sixth form experience. In combination with regular visits from local and national employers, your weeks on placement give you important knowledge and experience prior to your making major decisions about your higher education and future career.

We want you to achieve your dreams and will work alongside you to support your applications to university, apprenticeships and employment.



"99% of last year's students moved on to a university course, apprenticeship or employment of their choice."



University Partnerships

The vast majority of Allerton Grange students go on to university, and we have some exceptionally strong links with local and national universities.

The Progression Module is delivered in conjunction with Leeds Beckett University during tutorials, allowing you to research and plan your next steps after sixth form. Additional UCAS points are awarded for the successful completion of this course.

We regularly have university admissions tutors visiting school offering advice on UCAS applications. We also organise numerous visits to universities throughout the year. This includes lectures and taster events specifically for Allerton Grange students, giving an insight into university life before you start.

We have a specialist programme of support for students applying to Oxbridge and Russell Group universities. Our Aim High tutor helps students through the application process and to prepare for interviews and admissions tests.



is on hand every day



Our experienced careers advisor will offer you independent advice through regular meetings and support you to make informed choices about your future, whether that is university, apprenticeships or employment.

Comprehensive careers advice includes:

- Individual guidance appointments
- Careers education programme looking at all options
- Workshops on university applications and mock-interviews
- Advice on how to write an effective personal statement
- Results day support to access courses
- Workshops on student finance
- Occupational talks by speakers from a range of companies locally and nationally. In addition, we hold a Job Talk Day, when professionals come into school to talk about their career, including Medicine, Construction, Accounting, Journalism, Engineering and Sport
- Workshops on Apprenticeships and how to apply for them
- Visits to Apprenticeship and Jobs Fairs
- Employer visits
- University visits

"34% of last year's students were

offered places at Russell Group universities."





WE'RE PROUD of the destinations our students go to

We are committed to supporting our students to achieve their goals after they complete their studies at Allerton Grange.

With our Sixth Form being in the top 25% of sixth forms in the country, it means that our students are amongst the most likely to go to a university of their choice and take the course that best suits their career plans.

In 2019, 34% of students were offered places at Russell Group Universities, including the University of Leeds, the University of Liverpool, the University of Manchester, Newcastle University, the University of Sheffield and the University of York.

Allerton Grange students have gone on to study a range of subjects at university including Accountancy and Finance, Architecture, Biomedical Science, Chemistry, Computer Science, Criminology, English, Geography, History, Law, Pharmacy, Physics and Sociology.



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You will gain

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Leadership experience sets you apart from others. At Allerton Grange, we expect all students to develop their leadership skills whilst in the sixth form. You can choose to do this through a wide range of activities:

- community work
- in-class support or mentoring for younger students
- working in primary schools
- becoming a qualified reading mentor
- being a sports leader
- running publicity or marketing for a school event

There is also an opportunity to become a member of the sixth form committee, ensuring that everyone participates in sixth form decision making. Committee members offer peer support in both academic and pastoral matters as well as providing advice pathways to younger students.

The sixth form committee arranges a lively social calendar and events throughout the year, from charity drives to organising the end of year ball.

"Student leadership opportunities have provided me with the experience to get into university." - Qasim





••• Enjoying enrichment •••

Being in the sixth form is not just about work. You will have more freedom as a sixth former and more opportunities to become involved.

In Year 12, you will be offered the opportunity to take part in a residential trip. The destination is decided by our students, and has included Paris, London and Edinburgh in the past. These trips are always in high demand and students have many happy memories of this residential for years to come.

You are also encouraged to get involved with other enrichment opportunities offered by the school, including:

- Sports events
- Charity fundraising
- Arts, drama and musical productions
- Educational trips
- Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award
- The Progression Module
- National Citizenship Service
- First Aid qualification
- British Sign Language qualification

Don't take our word for it
Our current students have this to say:

"The best thing about our sixth form is the teacher support, especially careers support."
- Ghafran

"Our sixth form is a wonderful multi-cultural society with high standards of teaching. I feel the key to success is through the learning environment that AGS offers." — Reece

"I already went to Allerton Grange and I stayed because the teachers know me so well. I knew I'd get good results."
- Liam

"Teachers are always pushing you, always driving you to reach your full potential. You come out knowing that you've achieved your best."
- Bradley







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