



Welcome to St Bart's Sixth Form

We are delighted to be able to offer you a place to study at St Bart's Sixth Form in September 2020.

Further information on your offer

Offer Conditions - This offer is made on the condition that you secure 4s in both English Language and Mathematics and least three other 4s at GCSE. If you are planning to study a subject at A Level that you are already taking for GCSE, at least a Grade 5 at GCSE in that subject is preferred. Please refer to our Course Guide at www.stbarts.co.uk for the entry requirements for different subjects. *Please note that these Grades will now be based on teacher assessments rather than examinations.*

Studying New Subjects – If you have chosen more than one brand new subjects (e.g. a subject you have not studied before) please try to find out as much as you can to make sure these are the right choices for you. For example, you could reread our Course Guide on the website, look at the subject links on the St Bart's Sixth Form blog, ask further questions at the Induction Day and carry out your own research.

Fourth Subject – We encourage students to start Year 12 with a fourth subject. Many students choose to drop a subject after the first few weeks of the autumn term, however we have found that this approach helps to ensure that students end up with the best possible combination of subjects. If you have only chosen three subjects, we would encourage you to consider a fourth. You can let us know your choice on 01635 576368 or at sixthform@stbarts.co.uk

Changes to Subjects – You can make changes to your original choice of subjects at any time. However, if you are considering doing so, we would encourage you to confirm these changes as soon as you are comfortable to do so. Whilst we will try to accommodate all change requests, once option blocks and class numbers are confirmed we may not be able to do so in all circumstances.

Important dates for your diary

(Please note that these dates may be subject to change following the recent school closure)

Friday June 26th 2020 - Sixth Form Induction Day. This is a great opportunity to meet other students, to get to know St Bart's Sixth Form better and a further opportunity to ask questions. We hope that the experience will help students feel confident that St Bart's is the right choice for them. We would strongly encourage all students to take the time to join us even if they still have not made their final decision about Sixth Form. The day will be relaxed and fun and will include time with our current Y12 students, some subject sessions and a chance to explore the facilities. Please confirm if you will be able to attend on your enclosed Acceptance Form.

Thursday 20th August 2020 - Results Day. GCSE results will be available in school. Members of the Sixth Form team will be on hand to discuss your subject choices and to make any timetable changes that are necessary.

Thursday 3rd September 2020 - Start of Term

Thursday 10th September 2020 - Sixth Form Information Evening

Preparation for Sixth Form

Here are some other suggestions to help you prepare for Sixth Form at St Bart's

- You might like to keep an eye on our Sixth Form blog <http://stb6th.edublogs.org> to look at some of our wider reading links and to get a flavour of life in the Sixth Form.
- You can keep up with some of our school news on Twitter @St_Barts_School.
- If you have not already, visit our Course Guide at www.stbarts.co.uk and read up on your subjects.

We will be handing out an Induction Booklet at our Sixth Form Induction Day in June with lots of further information on life in the Sixth Form. Remember you can contact us on sixthform@stbarts.co.uk or on 01635 576368 if you have any questions or concerns.