

BROMSGROVE SCHOOL

**Sixth Form Subject Choice Presentations
for September 2022**

SUBJECT CHOICES FOR LOWER SIXTH

Welcome to the Subject Choices information for pupils commencing Lower Sixth in September 2022

We are delighted to be able to give you a taste of what each department offers for study in the Sixth Form, whether you are looking at A level, IB Diploma or BTEC.

Please first watch the introduction from the Headmaster and the Deputy Headmaster Academic, which gives an overview of what Bromsgrove offers and what our expectations are for pupils in the Sixth Form.

Please watch as many presentations as you would like - we always advise students to go to more presentations than they think they are interested in; don't just look at the subjects you already have in mind to study, look at some alternatives and arm yourself with some extra knowledge before making your subject choices.

If you need some additional information please look at the video presentations from our Academic Managers covering areas such as the difference between IB and A level and advice about choices with a particular university course in mind. If you will be new to Bromsgrove in September, watch some of the videos explaining our pastoral ethos, our extra-curricular offer and how we can support international students with their studies.

You are of course very welcome to come in and speak to staff face to face if you feel more advice/guidance is needed about whether your child should be choosing IB or A level and which subject combinations are advised for future aspirations. The Senior Academic Managers can be contacted by email by clicking the link on their name in the list of presentations.

We hope you enjoy watching the talks and presentations and please do contact either your tutor, Head of Department or, for external candidates, the Admissions team, if you have any further questions.

*The Sixth Form Choices brochure, containing full subject details and additional information about the Sixth Form at Bromsgrove, can be found on this link on our website: **Sixth Form Subject Choices Brochure***

VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

Please **first view the overviews from the Headmaster the Deputy Head Academic**, [click on the links below](#); when you have viewed that presentation please close the browser window and return to this document to select the subject presentations you wish to see.

The Sixth Form at Bromsgrove	Headmaster
Academic Overview	Deputy Head Academic

PRESENTATIONS BY ACADEMIC MANAGERS

Please [click on the link for each presentation below](#), these will open up in a browser, when you have viewed each subject please close the browser window, returning to this document, and then click below on the next presentation you wish to see.

Why Study IB	Dr Michael Thompson, Director of IB
Why study A level or BTEC	Mr Jon Wingfield, Director of A level
Academic Support & Tracking through the Sixth Form	Mr Jon Wingfield, Director of A level
Support for International Boarders in the Sixth Form	Mrs Julia Boonnak, Head of International Department
The Futures Department & University Applications	Miss Zia Leech, Head of UCAS & Bromsgrove Futures
Pastoral Care at Bromsgrove	Mr Al McClure, Deputy Head Pastoral

THE SUBJECTS

To view the subject presentations, [please click on the title for each subject in the list below](#), these will open up in a browser, when you have viewed each subject please close the browser window and return to this document, then click on the next subject you wish to see.

Art & Art Textiles (A level)
Art - Visual Arts (IB)
Biology
Business (A level & IB)
Business (BTEC)
Chemistry
Classical Civilisation (A level)
Computer Science
Design and Technology
Drama and Theatre Studies
Economics
English B - Second Language (IB)
English Literature
Environmental Systems & Societies (IB)
Geography
History
Latin
Mathematics
Modern Languages
Music
Physical Education / Sport Science (A level & BTEC)
Physics
Politics
Psychology
Religious Studies