



Bosworth Independent School

Prospectus

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Where Individuals Thrive





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Our Mission

At Bosworth Independent School, we believe in educational excellence for every student. Our curriculum and teaching approach is designed to support students to succeed by addressing their individual needs, talents and goals. Our fundamental aim is to nurture well- educated, confident and resilient individuals who are ready to thrive in their future endeavours.

Bosworth is a busy, vibrant, and culturally diverse environment. Our students immerse themselves in the reality of multiculturalism, a reflection of our world today. Studying with students from all over the world, students develop excellent cultural understanding and communication skills, learning about different cultural traditions and points of view.

Our students achieve their potential through excellent teaching and support from our dedicated staff. Students at Bosworth benefit from high levels of individual support from their teachers, tutors, and House Parents. All set high expectations and constant encouragement to attain their goals. Our academic pathways offer significant flexibility that allows all students to choose the right path for them in their learning journey at Bosworth and on to university.

At Bosworth we believe that students learn best when they are inspired and challenged to be ambitious, resilient, and inquisitive. These are all traits of our community.

We nurture their intellectual spirit and provide sufficient challenge to grow independent learners thirsty for leadership opportunities. A healthy balance of academics and extracurricular activities provides the foundation for well-rounded individuals ready to face the challenges of our ever-evolving world.





Why study at Bosworth?

Established in 1977 as a small tutorial School, today Bosworth is one of the leading independent schools in the UK.

Our excellent academic results, established university links, and caring and supportive ethos have resulted in an enviable reputation. Teaching at all levels is characterised by enthusiasm and passion and we pride ourselves on being a non-selective school with a proven record, both locally and abroad, for raising students' aspirations.

High academic results are achieved each year with many students progressing to competitive degree courses, Oxbridge, Russell Group and other top-ranking universities.

Bosworth can offer the breadth of knowledge and experience required for students to excel.

Each student at Bosworth looks forward to fulfilling their individual academic potential. With a diverse nationality mix each year, Bosworth students regularly find themselves working alongside classmates from different cultural, social and working backgrounds – a perfect environment for curious minds. They then leave school as well-rounded individuals with an excellent opportunity to succeed in the wider world. Bosworth can offer the breadth of knowledge and experience required for students to excel.

As the school builds on its successful past, it looks forward to the future, educating British, European and international students within its culture of achievement.

Our Programmes

Course	Start Date	Age	Length	Progression
YEAR 7	September	11-12	One Year	Year 8
YEAR 8	September	12-13	One Year	Year 9
YEAR 9	September	13-14	One Year	GCSE
PRE-GCSE	September	13-14	One Year or Two Terms	GCSE or Pre-A Level
GCSE	September	14+	Two Years	A Level
FAST TRACK GCSE	September	15+	One Year	A Level
PRE A LEVEL	September	15+	One Year	A Level
A LEVEL	September	16+	Two Years	University
UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION PROGRAMME	September	16.5+	One Year	University
HIGH SCHOOL TERM	September or January	11+	One or Two Terms	Based on individual programme



Year 7,8 and 9

Our innovative, challenging Key Stage 3 curriculum is excellent preparation for GCSE and beyond.

Taught by highly-qualified academics, our students become confident, independent learners with strong personal values and self-belief. With a strong academic foundation for success with future qualifications, our students also learn beyond the curriculum, discovering and pursuing interests and talents through our unique Enrichment Curriculum and Co-Curricular Programme.

Quick Facts

Age
Year 7: 11+ years; Year 8: 12+ years; Year 9: 13+ years

Entry requirements:
Year 7: At least 6 years of schooling and a good school report
Year 8: At least 7 years of schooling and a good school report
Year 9: At least 8 years of schooling and a good school report

Language requirements:
Year 7: IELTS 3.5 or equivalent
Year 8: IELTS 4.0 or equivalent
Year 9: IELTS 4.5 or equivalent

Average class size:
12



Sample Timetable

	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
Lesson 1	Mathematics	French or EFL	Personal, Social, Health Education (PSHE)	Art & Design	History
Lesson 2	History	Mathematics	English Language and Literature or EFL	Art & Design	English Language and Literature or EFL
	Break				
Lesson 3	English Language and Literature/EFL	Music	Mathematics	Philosophy, Religion and Ethics	Music
Lesson 4	Drama	Geography	Spanish or EFL	Maths	Science
	Lunch Break				
Lesson 7	Computing	Science	Enrichment Curriculum	Geography	Physical Education
Lesson 6	Science	Spanish or EFL	Enrichment Curriculum	French or EFL	Physical Education
After School	Co-Curricular Programme	Co-Curricular Programme	Co-Curricular Programme	Co-Curricular Programme	Co-Curricular Programme

Subjects

To find out more about the subjects studied, please visit our website at <https://bosworthschool.co.uk/course/year-7-8-9/>



GCSE and Fast Track GCSE

GCSE enables progression to pre-university programmes such as A Level.

At Bosworth, every student is valued, respected and encouraged. During GCSEs, students are guided by their teachers and Personal Tutors to excel in their academic and social lives.

During these crucial years of study, we help students to develop their independence, initiative and social skills, which are essential in further academic studies and life.

Quick Facts

- Age**
Two Year Programme : 14+ years
Fast Track GCSE: 15+ years
- Entry requirements:**
At least 9 years of schooling and a good school report
- Language requirements:**
Two Year Programme: IELTS 4.5 or equivalent
Fast Track GCSE: IELTS 5.0 or equivalent
- Average class size:**
12
- Course Duration:**
Two Year Programme: Two years
Fast Track GCSE: One Year



82%

of our students achieved

A*-B

41%

of our students achieved

A*-A

89%

of Physics grades are

A*-B

Subject Comparison Chart

Compulsory core subjects are studied alongside a number of student selected options. Students usually take 9 GCSEs as part of the two year programme, and 5 GCSEs as part of the Fast Track GCSE course. During their GCSEs, students will fine-tune their subject choices to target their university and career ambitions more closely.

	GCSE	Fast Track GCSE
Art & Design	+	
Biology	+	+
Business	+	+
Chemistry	+	+
Computer Science	+	
Drama	+	
English Language or EFL (international students)	+	+
English Literature	+	
French	+	
Geography	+	
History	+	
Mathematics	+	+
Music	+	
PE	+	
Physics	+	+
Psychology	+	+
Sociology	+	+
Spanish	+	

Subjects

To find out more about the subjects studied, please visit our website at www.bosworthschool.co.uk/course/gcse



A Level

A Levels are the traditional route into the very best universities. They provide in-depth preparation for degree study within higher education.

Students typically take three subjects at A Level. Typically, students take three subjects. International students take English as an additional subject with the opportunity to take the IELTS test. Requests to undertake a fourth A Level subject are considered on an individual basis.

With small class sizes, students receive individual care and attention, allowing them to excel in their chosen subjects.

Quick Facts

Age:	16+ years
Entry requirements:	Minimum of five grade '6' GCSEs (including English and Mathematics) or equivalent Grade 6+ for chosen A Level subjects (Grade 7+ for Maths and Further Maths) or equivalent
Language requirements:	September Start: IELTS 5.0 or equivalent
Average class size:	12
Course Duration:	September Start: 6 Terms



84.9%
of grades are
A*-C[†]

83%
of Sociology grades are
A*-B[†]

72%
of Chemistry grades are
A*-B[†]

73%
of Maths grades are
A*-B[†]

[†]2024

EPQ (Extended Project Qualification)

- + Perfect for creative and passionate students who wish to showcase their initiative and research skills
- + EPQ is a qualification equivalent to 50% of an A Level and is very popular with our students who are motivated self-learners
- + Year 12 students commence EPQ in January and conclude the programme in December of Year 13.

Subjects

To find out more about the subjects studied, please visit our website at [www.bosworthschool.co.uk/course/A Level](http://www.bosworthschool.co.uk/course/A%20Level)



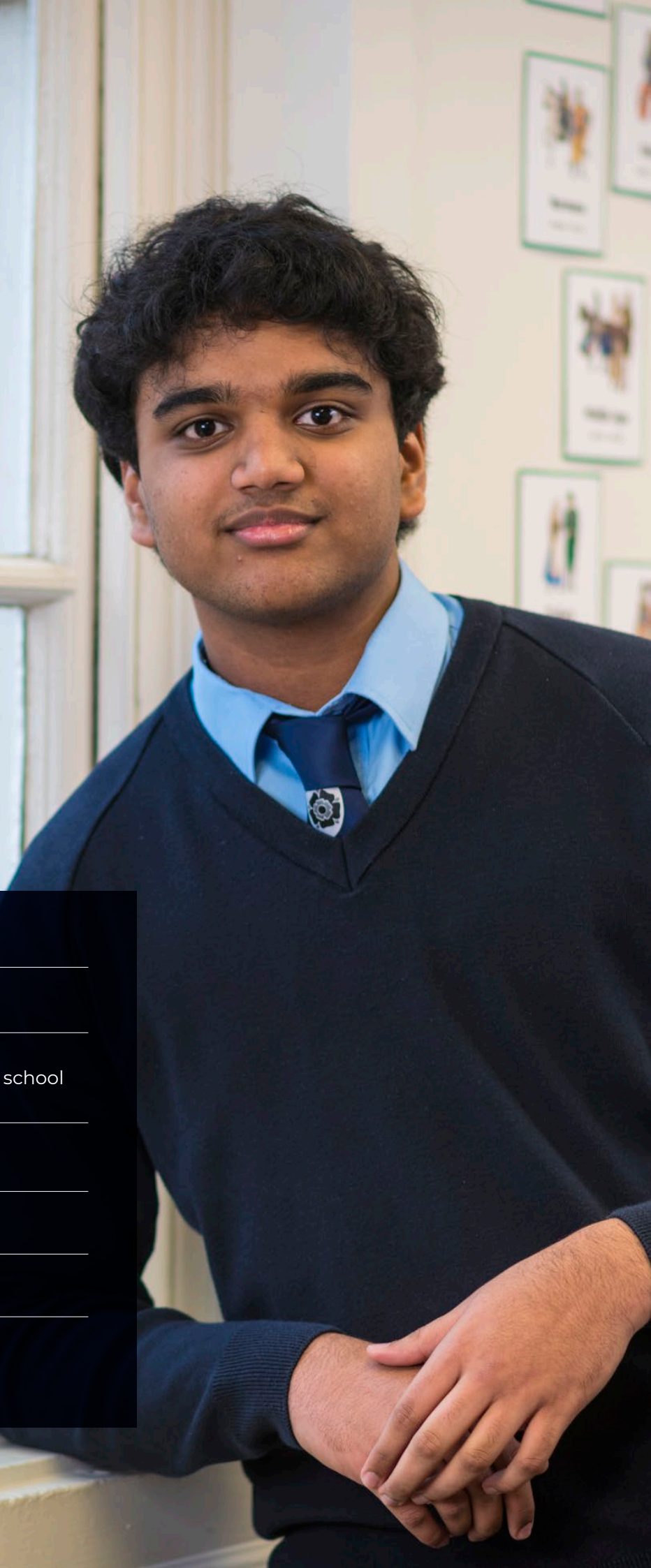
University Foundation Programme

Designed specifically for high achieving international students, the University Foundation Programme (UFP) acts as a bridge from students' high school education in their own country to university in the UK.

At Bosworth we offer UFP starting in September.

Quick Facts

Age	September start: 16.5+ years
Entry requirements:	At least 11 years of schooling and a good school record
Language requirements:	IELTS 4.5+ or equivalent
Average class size:	12
Hours per week:	18 hours plus additional English
Course Duration:	3 terms (September start)



Overview

The UFP recognises the specific academic challenges that international students face and uses assessment strategies that offer the best opportunities to demonstrate a student's academic level and potential. Students choose three academic subjects with exams at the end of the qualification. In addition, all students attend academic English classes designed to develop their English skills for university.

Final UFP grades are determined by exams as well as a significant amount of coursework which simulates the structure of most UK university courses.

Choosing the right subject combination is important as universities look for students that have good grades. We work intensively with each student to choose the best combination to help achieve their university and career aspirations.

Subjects

To find out more about the subjects studied, please visit our website at www.bosworthschool.co.uk/course/ufp



1985
CATS Global Schools are the original pioneers of the University Foundation programme, developing the qualification in 1985



Develop skills needed to succeed at university with a focus on improved capability to learn with confidence and independence



Unlock progressing to a UK university with intensive support from our dedicated Director of Higher Education and Academic Extension Officer



Improve English language fluency and proficiency



Experience life at an international school and prepare for life at a UK university



Develop the foundation knowledge required to study a specific subject at undergraduate level

“

I really like the teachers.
They make the lessons
really interactive. It is not
just raise your hand when
you know the answer. They
ask you why you think
your answer is correct.

”

Eva, Year 9





Preparation Programmes

Pre GCSE

This programme develops the academic and English skills needed to progress to GCSE or Pre- A Level.

Students will study a range of subjects encouraging them to explore their academic potential and discover their interests. They will be prepared for the Key English Test (KET) or B2 First (FCE) test.

Pre A Level

The course is designed for international students whose level of English is not ready for them to progress immediately on to A Levels.

Students will study the Key English Test (KET) or B2 First (FCE) and IGCSE Mathematics. Students will be able choose three additional subjects from the following options: Biology or Economics, Chemistry or Business and Physics or Geography.

High School Term

This programme is designed for international students who wish to join Bosworth for one or two terms rather than the whole year. Students will integrate into one of our full-time programmes and the choice of programme will depend on the student's age, level of English and academic history.



Programme Comparison Chart

	Pre-GCSE	Pre A Level	High School Term
Age	13 - 15	15+	11 - 18
Start Date	September	September	September or January*
Length	One Year or Two Terms	One Year	One or Two Terms
Entry Requirement	School report	School report	School report
Language Requirement	IELTS 3.5 or equivalent	IELTS 4.5+ or equivalent	IELTS 4.5+ or equivalent
Average class size	12	12	12
Progression	GCSE/Pre A Level	A Level	Based on individual programme

* January starters join existing classes.

“

Bosworth is a very supportive community. Everyone wants you to excel and achieve all your goals.

”

Lucia, Year 13

Obtained a place to study Pharmacy at King's College London



University Support

Our students aspire to entrance at top UK and international universities. Bosworth provides a comprehensive programme of support for university applications. Every student receives guidance from our dedicated Higher Education and Academic Extension Officer.



University Progressions Support

- + Dedicated support by our Director of Higher Education and Academic Extension Officer.
- + Individual interviews to discuss degree and university choices and the application process.
- + Regular presentations from top university representatives and the Head of Sixth Form, Year 12 and 13.
- + Supported participation in open days and taster days to experience university life.
- + Weekly workshops and individual advice on university choices and personal statement
- + Access to our Oxbridge and Medical preparation programmes.
- + Interview preparation and practice as appropriate.
- + Opportunities to participate in academic prizes and competitions.
- + Extended Project Qualification (EPQ) offered to showcase personal academic interests and research skills.



Key Professions Programme Oxbridge, Medical and Highly Competitive Subjects Preparation

Each year, many of our students with exceptional academic ability will apply to highly competitive courses and universities, including;

- + University of Oxford or Cambridge, London School of Economics (LSE) and University College London (UCL)
- + Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary Medicine
- + Law and Engineering

Our in-depth knowledge of each course and institution, coupled with our expertise in preparing students to face the rigours of university selection, greatly increase their chances of achieving their goals.

The Oxbridge programme offers guided debates, weekly workshops, opportunities to develop critical thinking and interview skills and practice interviews with invited guests.

For Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary Medicine, we offer a tailored programme which includes weekly workshops, visits from former students, preparation for admissions tests and panel and multiple mini interviews (MMI) practice interviews. We also help students to secure valuable work experience and voluntary work.

GCSE Medicine Preparation

Preparation for medicine and medical-related degrees can start before sixth form study. Interested GCSE students will be offered additional opportunities to explore medicine and medical related fields through workshops, supra-curricular activities and events.



Student and Pastoral Support

We believe strongly in balancing academic support and pastoral care to create a learning environment where students feel supported, understood and encouraged as individuals. Together, these contribute to our students' confidence, integrity, social responsibility and respect for others.

Student Support

- + Comprehensive induction programme for all students.
- + Teachers provide tailored academic feedback and assistance.
- + Personal Tutors support study skills development and academic guidance.
- + Senior Leadership Team offer academic and university guidance.
- + Academic clubs with opportunities to participate in academic competitions.
- + Student Communications Officer assists with every day administrative issues, such as banking and visas.
- + Dedicated House Parents support life in the boarding houses.

Pastoral Care

- + Dedicated Personal Tutor and PSHE sessions develop social and emotional skills.
- + Personal Tutors supports student wellbeing.
- + School Nurse supports with health issues and refers to external care providers.
- + Dedicated school counsellor offers wellbeing support and care.



Excellent Pastoral Care

- + Comprehensive induction programme
- + Academic and wellbeing support from dedicated staff
- + Daily Personal Tutor and weekly PSHE lessons



Co-Curricular Programme

Through our extended academic, social, sports, arts and other extracurricular activities, our students develop confidence and creativity to express themselves in a positive and mature manner. We believe that a wide range of enrichment activities is an important addition to a successful personal and academic life at the school.



Current activities include

-  **Academic**
 - + Science Olympiads
 - + Maths Challenges
 - + Maths Club
 - + MedSoc
 - + EPQ
 - + Science Crest
 - + STEP/MAT/PAT/TMUA
 - + History Club
 - + Model United Nations
 - + Oxbridge Preparation Programme
 - + Medic Preparation Programme
-  **Social**
 - + Duke of Edinburgh's Award
 - + LAMDA
 - + Debate
 - + Chess
 - + Bosworth Newspaper
 - + Coding
 - + Business Enterprise
-  **Arts and Music**
 - + Art Club
 - + Film Club
 - + Photography Club
 - + Music Bands
 - + Performing Arts
 - + Peripatetic Music Lessons
 - + Drama
-  **Student Leadership**
 - + Student Council
 - + Head Student
 - + Prefect
 - + Peer Mentor
 - + House Captain
 - + Boarding Committee
 - + Charity Events and Fundraising
-  **Sports**
 - + Football
 - + Basketball
 - + Rugby
 - + Volleyball
 - + Netball

Note: Activities are subject to availability and may change year on year.

Life at Bosworth: Boarding

At Bosworth, we offer full and weekly boarding options. Our Boarding Houses are furnished to a high standard with a common room, kitchen area and laundry facilities.

Boarding Houses

There are six supervised Boarding Houses secured by coded entrance, where students are supported and cared for by our dedicated House Parents. The Boarding Houses are your child's home from home where they can relax, study and be cared for by their House Parent.

Restaurant & Café

Our dining hall and café provide a wide choice of meals, catering for all tastes and recognizing any specific dietary needs. From Monday to Friday, we provide breakfast, lunch and dinner. On Saturdays and Sundays, waking up for breakfast is voluntary.



Quick facts:

- + Single sex boarding
- + Single or shared rooms available
- + Common rooms equipped with TV, pool table, board games, books and WiFi.
- + 24/7 House Parent supervision in each boarding house
- + Secure coded entry
- + House Parents provide student support with laundry, personal hygiene and homework sessions
- + Boarding Houses remain open during half-term holidays, at no extra cost.



“

At Bosworth, there's a lovely atmosphere and my House Parents are friendly and helpful. You get to learn about different cultures and cuisines as students cook lots of different food. I've made good friends with people from Vietnam, Lithuania and Ukraine.

”

Catrina from United Kingdom
Studying Veterinary Science at University of Liverpool



Life at Bosworth: A typical school day

We provide a well-structured school day which encourages academic rigour and resilience, combined with excellent after-school activities which broaden students' team work and leadership skills.

	Activity
07:00 - 08:00	Wake up
07:45 - 08:15	Breakfast
09:05 - 15:45	Lessons based on individual timetable
10:50 - 11:15	Break
12:10 - 13:00	Year 7 to Year 11 Lunch Break
13:05 - 13:55	A Level Lunch Break
15:50 - 16:40	Daily Co-Curricular Programme
18:00 - 19:00	Dinner
19:00 - 22:00	Prep and House Activities
22:30	Lights out

Enjoying achievement

We support and nurture each and every student at Bosworth.

We believe that the school's success should be measured by much more than academic achievements.

We seek to encourage each student to grow in confidence and to cultivate a life-long curiosity for the world around us.

We aim to inspire our students to communicate with enthusiasm, collaborate, and contribute to our community with commitment and creativity – these are the things that are important in life. When students leave Bosworth, they become well-rounded citizens of the world.

For more information, please visit the school website at www.bosworthschool.co.uk. If you wish to make an enquiry or have any questions, please email admissions@bosworthschool.co.uk or call +44 (0) 1604 239 995.



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