

Kings London

Your leading local
independent
college



Kings
Education®

Welcome to Kings London



The Kings Difference

1. Student-centred ethos

- Highly personalised approach to learning and pastoral development
- Friendly and empowering college community – on a human scale

2. Exceptionally small classes and personalised attention

- Just 4 - 10 in a class at GCSE and A-level
- Maximum contact time with subject specialists

3. Outstanding exam results

- Consistently in the top 10% of schools in England
- 33% above the national average
- Top performances include A*A*AAA, A*A*A

4. Leading university destinations

- Extensive and individually tailored support for university degree selection and application
- Full UCAS guidance
- Specialist preparation for additional university assessments
- Making the most of your talents and achievements whatever your ambitions; Oxbridge, Medicine, Law, Art and Design
- Work experience, volunteering and research projects

5. Global perspective and opportunities

- Develop a global outlook for your future
- Assess opportunities for further study in the UK or overseas
- Share ideas and concepts with students from across the globe



Message from the **Principal**

“Welcome to Kings London.

Our college provides students with a contemporary independent college environment and community in which students always come first.

My role is to ensure that students have a positive and successful learning experience. I work with my team to create a positive and friendly atmosphere in which all college staff and students are challenged, encouraged and supported to make the most of opportunities and to ensure they achieve their best.

We look forward to helping you to broaden your horizons, develop your knowledge and skills and realise your full potential.”

Simon Cleary
Principal, Kings London

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Your future starts **here**

You are about to embark on the most exciting phase of your life so far.

Right now, you have the choice to go anywhere, do anything, be anyone you want to be.

As you move to the next stage of your education, it's time to take control of your future. Take the *right path*.

The one which fits who you are and who you want to be.



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Take your own path



Kings London is a modern, international, independent college. A springboard to a new, globally connected future.

We are not a traditional school. We offer an education built for the modern global world which fits entirely around you. We'll respect you as an individual and will work with you to build on your strengths and interests, identify and explore the opportunities available to you, map out and prepare for your ideal future.

We'll work with you as a responsible and independent young adult because that's who you are. But we'll be here with you to support and guide you every step of the way.



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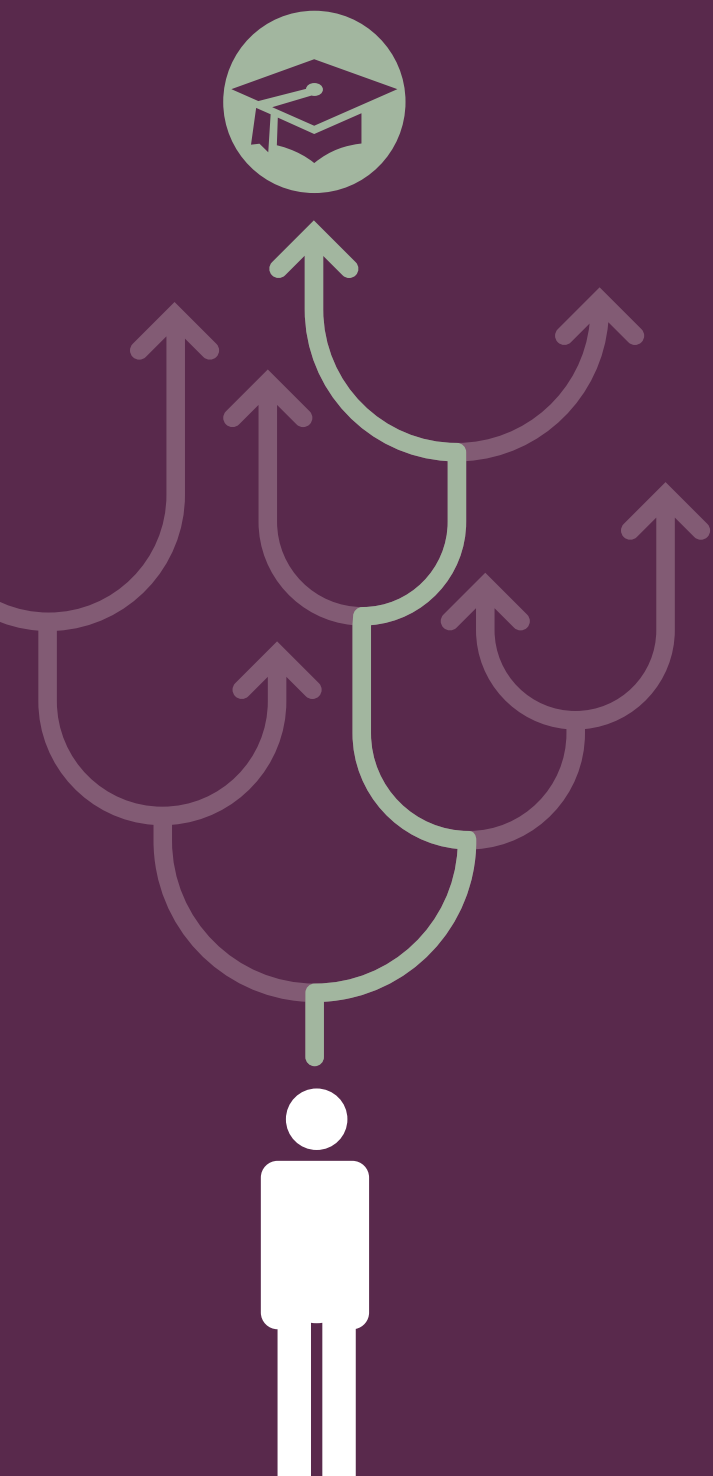
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You.
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The Kings philosophy has always been student-centred.

We evaluate your unique strengths and interests and support you to maximise your full potential.

We work with you to design a learning plan that meets your personal needs and objectives, rather than expecting you to be bound by a single pre-determined approach.

We understand that your aim is to gain entry to a leading university. We will help you to identify the most appropriate degrees and universities to match your individual interests, learning style and character. We guide you to build the strongest possible university application and win your place at the very best university for you.

We'll encourage you to aim higher than you thought possible – and then to achieve your ambition.

Personalised approach to your education

- Supported and empowered learning
- Dedicated care and support for your well-being and academic success
- One-to-one and small group tutorials
- Lectures, workshops and presentations
- Setting targets and learning plans
- Revision clinics

Regular personal assessment

- Regular meetings with your Course Director
- Regular tests and assessments
- Detailed feedback from your teachers
- Written assignments
- Regular examination practice

- Formal report twice per term
- One-to-one university counselling

Monitoring your own progress

- Expert guidance on how to monitor your own learning process
- Support to ensure you take personal responsibility for your own study and achievements

Interactive learning technology

- Interactive whiteboards with lessons stored and available via the student portal
- Free wireless internet
- Access to Technology classroom

**Leave us happy, fulfilled and
thoroughly prepared for the
next chapter of your life.**

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Become a global citizen





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The world of tomorrow will be ever more internationally orientated. The internet and social media have revolutionised the nature of communication and international travel is increasingly accessible.

Citizens of the future will need to communicate on a global scale with technology providing the tools required to facilitate interactions. Cultural awareness, empathy and emotional intelligence will all be important skills for global citizens to nurture.

At Kings, you will make friends with fellow students from all around the world. Right here in London.

You may wish to explore the opportunities for further study or work experience around the world at other Kings college locations.



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Kings London is a unique independent college in a unique location.

We are part of a global education group which has pioneered an international approach to education for 60 years.

Wherever we teach we retain a student-centred ethos, which means we treat every student as if they were our only student.

Experienced leadership team

Meet some of the team:



Simon Cleary
Principal

- MA Applied Linguistics
- Dip TESOL (Manchester)

Simon has over 10 years' experience as a College Head and Director.

Throughout his career he has specialised in preparing students for successful application and completion of degrees at leading universities.



Emma Carlile
Academic Director of Studies

- BA (Hons) French and Russian
- MA TESOL
- PGCE in Post-Compulsory Education; CELTA

Emma has extensive experience as a teacher and senior academic. During her 10 years at Kings London, she has, with colleagues, enabled students to realise their full potential and gain their place on their target degrees.

Kings London is your local, leading independent sixth form college. Our academic and pastoral leadership team is formed of highly experienced professionals.

Between them, they have well over 100 years' experience of providing academic and personal support to young people at the most important time of their lives.



60 years of global success

Kings has been at the forefront of educational success since 1957, when the first college was opened in Bournemouth.

Today, we teach thousands of students across our 10 worldwide campus locations. They come to us each year from over 80 countries.



Margarita Leonard
Student Welfare Officer

Margarita has a background as both a senior academic and in health promotion. She provides support, advice and guidance in all aspects of their life and studies at Kings London, working closely with colleagues across the college and with external agencies. She also uses her expertise and experience to support our PSHE provision.



Nikki Gateson
Assistant Registrar

Nikki provides a key point of contact and on-going communication for students and their families through the application and enrolment process. She has worked as a key member of our Student Services team for almost ten years. Nikki enjoys meeting and supporting students with their life and studies at Kings.

Credentials you can trust

Every Kings college in the UK is registered with the Department for Education and inspected by Ofsted. Leading universities also recognise how well-prepared our students are to succeed on their chosen degrees and thrive in all aspects of student life.

Our Ofsted inspections are available to view and download at
kingseducation.com/ofsted

“The quality of the provision for students’ welfare, health and safety meets all the required standards and is outstanding. Comprehensive induction and pastoral procedures ensure that [students] receive excellent preparation and support for their studies.”

Extract from most recent Ofsted Inspection Report
of Kings London (November 2013)

“Consistently good features of the teaching are the quality of lesson planning and the preparation of teaching materials, particularly for use with interactive whiteboards, which enable the brisk pace of lessons to be maintained.”

Extract from most recent Ofsted Inspection Report
of Kings London (November 2013)

“Students receive very good guidance and preparation for higher education. The college is highly successful in helping them to gain places at British universities of their choice.”

Extract from most recent Ofsted Inspection Report
of Kings London (November 2013)



“ We have been delighted with the students who have come to us through Kings. Each has immersed themselves in all aspects of University life and has come well prepared for the academic rigours involved. ”



University of
St Andrews

FOUNDED
1413

Ranked

3

“ [Kings Students] stand out by virtue of their generally above-average degree results and their willingness and ability to immerse themselves in the life of our student community... I can assuredly put these successes down in large part to the sound preparation for university life that Kings students receive. ”



Loughborough
University

Ranked

11

“ We are consistently impressed by the academic calibre of Kings students who seem to be well prepared prior to commencing their studies with us. ”



Queen Mary
University of London

Ranked

34

“ I have always been extremely impressed by the quality of students, the professionalism of the Kings staff and the wonderful commitment that is shown to their students. ”



Newcastle
University

Ranked

23

Recent exam success

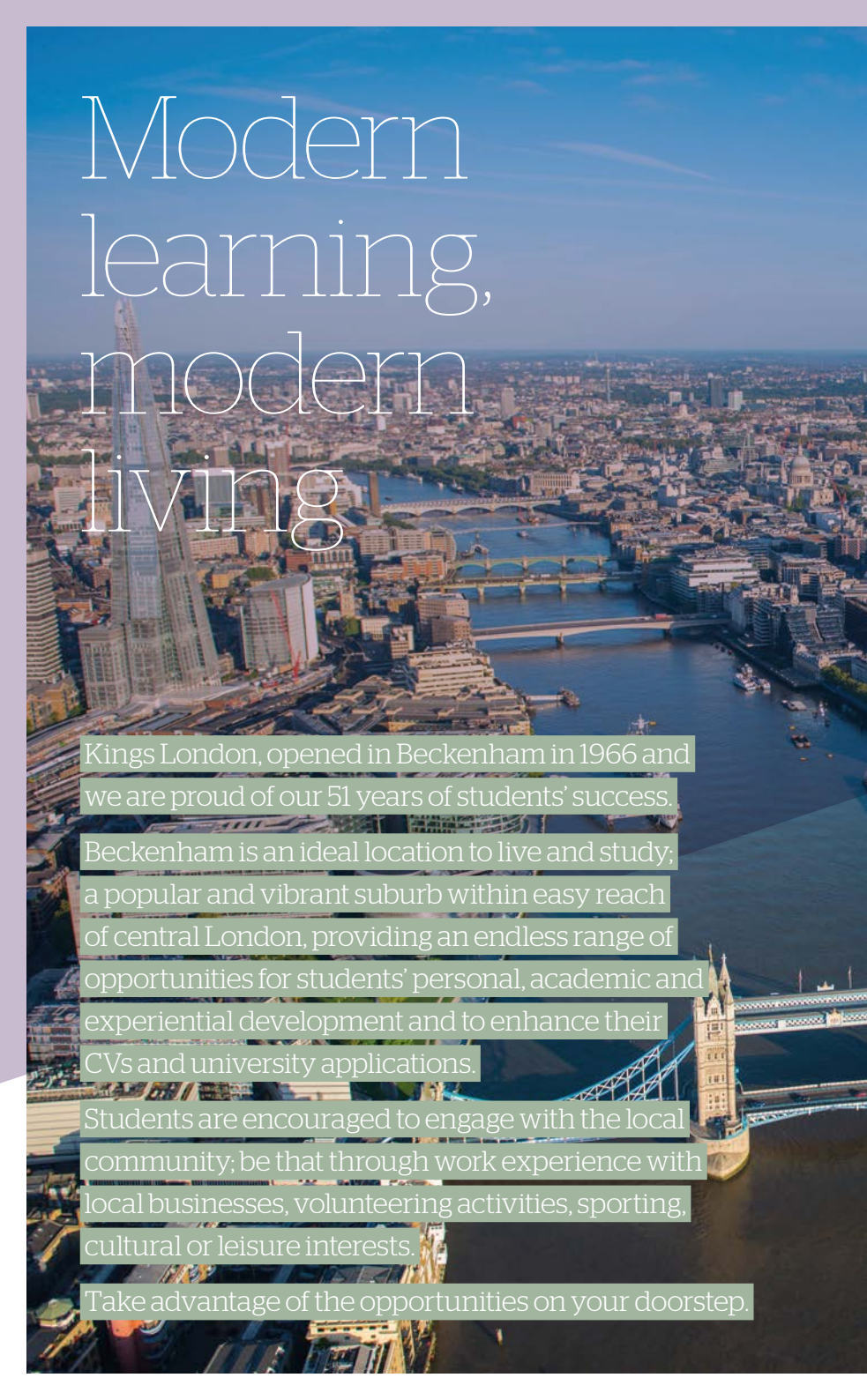
Recent Kings A-level Results	University	Degree Course
A*A*AA	University of Cambridge	Economics
A*A*A*A	University of Oxford	Engineering
A*A*A*A	University of Oxford	Engineering
A*A*AA	University of Oxford	Engineering
A*A*AAB	Queen's University Belfast	Medicine
A*AAAC	Queen's University Belfast	Medicine
A*A*AA	LSE	Mathematics
A*AAA	LSE	Government with Politics
A*BB	LSE	Economics and Management
A*A*A*B	Imperial College London	Engineering
A*A*AA	Imperial College London	Engineering
A*A*AA	Imperial College London	Civil Engineering
A*A*AB	Imperial College London	Mechanical Engineering with a Year Abroad
A*A*A*	Imperial College London	Physics with Theoretical Physics
AAAC	Durham University	Marketing
A*BB	Durham University	Applied Psychology
AAB	Durham University	Accounting and Finance
A*A*AAA	UCL	Mathematics with Economics
A*A*AAA	UCL	Medical Sciences & Engineering
A*A*AB	UCL	Civil Engineering
A*A*A	UCL	Mathematics with Modern Languages



Our student-centred approach gets results. It's why our examination grades are consistently well above the UK national average.

With excellent academic results, and thorough preparation for UK higher education, our students win places at the UK's very best universities.

Recent Kings A-level Results	University	Degree Course
AABB	UCL	Physics
A*A*AA	University of Warwick	Economics
A*A*B	Lancaster University	Business Studies
A*AAAB	University of Bath	Business Administration
A*A*B	University of Bath	Chemical Engineering
ABC	University of East Anglia	Economics
ABBC	University of Surrey	Medical Engineering
ABB	University of Exeter	Business and Management
ABBC	University of Birmingham	Chemistry
ABB	University of Bristol	Cellular and Molecular Medicine
AAA	University of Nottingham	Nutrition and Food Science
A*BB	University of York	Accounting and Finance
ABB	University of York	Politics with International Relations
ABB	University of York	Economics
A*A*AB	King's College London	Medical Engineering
A*ABB	King's College London	Politics
A*A*B	University of Manchester	Mathematics
A*ABB	University of Manchester	Artificial Intelligence
A*ABC	University of Edinburgh	Architecture
A*A*AA	University of Southampton	Aeronautics and Astronautics
A*A*AC	University of Leicester	Mathematics with Economics
A*A*BB	University of Sheffield	Chemical Engineering
ABB	University of Sheffield	Education with Psychology

An aerial photograph of London, England, featuring The Shard skyscraper on the left, the River Thames flowing through the center, and the Tower Bridge on the right. The city's dense urban landscape is visible under a clear blue sky.

Modern learning, modern living

Kings London, opened in Beckenham in 1966 and we are proud of our 51 years of students' success.

Beckenham is an ideal location to live and study; a popular and vibrant suburb within easy reach of central London, providing an endless range of opportunities for students' personal, academic and experiential development and to enhance their CVs and university applications.

Students are encouraged to engage with the local community; be that through work experience with local businesses, volunteering activities, sporting, cultural or leisure interests.

Take advantage of the opportunities on your doorstep.



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Student-friendly neighbourhood



The background of the page is a stylized map of Beckenham, Kent. The map is divided into two main color sections: a dark purple top section and a light green bottom section. The map shows a network of streets, with 'HIGH STREET' and 'BECKENHAM ROAD' clearly visible. A dark purple dot marks the location of 'Kings residential apartments', with a line connecting it to the text label. To the right, the locations of 'Tram Station' and 'Train Station' are marked with their respective icons. The text 'BECKENHAM' is also visible on the map.

**Kings residential
apartments**

**Tram
Station**



**Train
Station**



Kings London is conveniently located on Beckenham Road, opposite Beckenham library, adjacent to Clock House train station and within easy walking distance of Beckenham Junction, Beckenham Road tram stop and the town centre.

As the largest town in Kent, Beckenham provides a wide range of places to eat and opportunities for sport and leisure activities. The town is recognised as being a welcoming and safe suburb with parks, green spaces and fresh air.

The nearby bus, train and tram services provide excellent transport connections from which students can explore the varied surrounding areas with all the opportunities Central London provides being just a short journey away.



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Our campus provides an ideal learning environment, with the latest interactive classroom technology and online learning resources accessed via our dedicated student portal (Classmate).

The college is well-equipped and carefully designed to give a spacious, contemporary feel and a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. The indoor and outdoor spaces are ideal for socialising, reflection and quiet study.

Facilities include:



**Spacious, modern classrooms all
with interactive learning technology**



**Dedicated multimedia
art studio**



**Science
Laboratory**



**On-site, modern, student cafeteria
and outside eating area**





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Library and learning
resource centre



Free wireless internet
throughout



Reception and student
services help desk



Gardens and
student zone



Classmate
Kings online learning



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Accommodation options to suit all student needs

Our facilities include student residences, student houses and homestay options to suit the varied preferences of our students. Our residences provide high-quality single and twin en-suite rooms, with communal areas, laundry facilities, free wifi throughout with self-catering, half and full-board options. We also have a network of carefully selected local host families. The college cafeteria offers a varied and nutritious range of meals, snacks and beverages. Please contact us to discuss your individual needs.





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A-levels at Kings

A-levels at Kings are defined by a highly intensive, highly personalised structure to ensure effective and efficient learning.

Ultra small classes combine with a supportive, friendly college environment to ensure individual progress is maximised.

Key facts

Start dates: 10 September 2018;
7 January 2019

Minimum age: 16

Length:

Standard: 2 Academic years (6 terms)

Accelerated: 1 Academic year (3 terms),
September start only

Lessons: Average 20 – 25 hours per
week (plus homework and private study)

Class size range: 4 – 10

Tuition fees:

Standard: £13,890 per year

Accelerated (1 year):

1 A-level subject: £5,630 per year

2 A-Level subjects: £11,260 per year

3 A-Level subjects: £13,890 per year

One year fast track or two year A-level

We offer both the traditional two-year A-level with September and January start dates and an accelerated, intensive one-year option, subject to availability.

4 – 10 per class

All A-levels are taught in very small classes of just 4 – 10 students to maximise teacher contact and interaction time with students.

Oxbridge and Medical School Preparation

The world-renowned universities of Oxford and Cambridge are exceptionally competitive. Gaining a place requires equally exceptional credentials.

Several of our staff are Oxbridge alumni and therefore have personal experience of the entry process and entry requirements.



Maximum options

The selection of A-levels is a key issue for our students. Our aim is to provide a range of subjects which offer our students the maximum flexibility for progression to leading universities and degrees. Our academic and UCAS teams liaise closely with admissions tutors to ensure we have a detailed understanding of university entrance requirements and preferred subjects. Our provision is informed by these discussions and has the facilitating subjects, as defined by the Russell Group, at its core.

A-level reforms have added a new dimension to A-level decision making. Individual learning plans are discussed and agreed with every student, including consideration over the number of subjects taken and the value of sitting AS exams in the first year. Each student's progress is carefully monitored throughout their time at Kings.

High achievers

We are proud of the A-level results achieved by our students and celebrate each success with them. Every year many of our students go onto the very best universities in the country, including Oxford and Cambridge.



“I definitely do love it here [at Surrey]; I have to say it's very different from my time at Kings. It's a much larger environment than what you'd experience at Kings, but the social experience you get in Kings helps a lot when you're trying to meet new people in university.”

Pantea, studied One-Year Intensive A-levels, achieving ABBC and progressed to read Medical Engineering at the University of Surrey (ranked 13)

A-level subjects

Our core curriculum is based around the 'facilitating subjects' as described by the Russell Group, to provide the greatest range of progression to degree. The following subjects are typically taught.

We are also able to offer additional subjects, depending on demand and availability. Please contact us to discuss your specific interests.

A-level Art and Design

These courses will develop your intellectual, imaginative, creative and reflective skills. You'll also develop investigative, analytical, experimental, practical, technical, and expressive skills, an aesthetic understanding and critical judgement. You'll gain an understanding of the inter-relationships between art, craft and design, and an awareness of the contexts in which they operate as well as knowledge and understanding of art, craft and design in contemporary society and in other times and cultures.

A-level Biology

Biology is probably the most accessible of the three sciences, as it can be related naturally to all aspects of life. You study carefully, and in detail, how life in the world works: how our bodies work; how diseases stop them working; how plants grow; how life may be threatened by poisonous substances; how ecosystems work; where energy comes from and how organisms use it; how genes and evolution affect us all.

A-level Business Studies

This course introduces core business concepts. You'll develop your understanding of how businesses work, of the current global issues they face and their impact. You'll explore decision-making tools to take a more scientific approach to management. You'll

investigate, analyse and evaluate business opportunities and issues with real-life case studies and use qualitative and quantitative methods to take a more strategic view of decisions and recommendations.

A-level Chemistry

Chemistry is the study of all chemical substances and how they can change. You'll learn to understand these and see in new ways the things that make up the world; your food, fuels and fabrics, building materials and manufactured goods, the air you breathe, the tools you use. You'll study atoms and reactions, bonding and structure, hydrocarbons, polymers and alcohols, energetics and transition elements. You'll use Mathematics to describe and understand chemical ideas. You'll devise and carry out practical experiments to test the principles you are learning.

A-level Chinese

This course aims to develop your ability to communicate confidently and effectively in Chinese. You will examine the language in a broader context including the culture and society of Chinese-speaking countries.

A-level Economics

The course develops an understanding of economic concepts and theories through a critical consideration of current economic issues, problems and institutions that affect everyday life. It also teaches you to apply economic concepts and theories in a range of contexts and to appreciate their value and limitations in explaining real-world phenomena. You will analyse, explain and evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the market economy and the role of government within it.



A-level English Literature

Students will study a range of English literature texts, chosen from a broad genre and historical perspective. This will include a compulsory Shakespeare play in addition to a 20th century text.

A-level Geography

The course will enable you to acquire and apply knowledge and understanding of physical and human processes, their interactions and outcomes over space and time, through the study of places and environments. You'll also develop an understanding of the opportunities, challenges and constraints that face people in different places and environments.

A-level Government and Politics

The course develops a critical awareness of the nature of politics and the relationship between political ideas, institutions and processes. You will acquire knowledge and understanding of the structures of authority and power within the political system of the UK and of other countries. You will also develop knowledge of the characteristics of the legislature, the executive and the judiciary, of the rights and responsibilities of the individual, and of ideologies, theories and traditions.

A-level History

The course develops your use and understanding of historical terms, concepts and skills. The periods studied develop your interest in, and understanding of, important developments allowing you to understand the wider perspective of change and developments over time. You will study significant individuals, societies, events and issues, analysing different historical perspectives, for example aesthetic, cultural, economic, ethnic, political, religious, scientific, social and technological.

A-level Maths / Further Maths

The course will develop your understanding of mathematics and mathematical processes and your ability to reason logically and to recognise incorrect reasoning. You will construct mathematical proofs and extend your range of mathematical skills and techniques for use in more difficult unstructured problems. You'll also develop an understanding of coherence and progression in mathematics and of how different areas of mathematics can be connected.

A-level Modern Languages

You will follow a course of study in one or more modern language, depending on availability. Languages may include French, German, Spanish or Portuguese.

A-level Physics

The course will develop your essential knowledge and understanding in physics and, where appropriate, the applications of physics in new and changing situations. You'll develop an understanding of the link between theory and experiment, and will appreciate how physics is used in present day society. You will recognise the quantitative nature of physics and understand how mathematical expressions relate to physical principles.

A-level Psychology

This course will develop your knowledge and skills across a broad range of topics related to Psychology. You will examine cognitive theory as well as different aspects of Psychology – developmental, social and biological. You will also develop knowledge of psychopathology as well as practical implementations of psychology and an understanding of research methodology.

GCSEs at Kings

GCSEs at Kings offer highly personalised learning and very small classes to ensure maximum student-teacher interaction.

At Kings London we offer an accelerated one-year GCSE programme with subjects that include Mathematics, English, Art, Biology, Chemistry, Economics, Information Technology and Physics.

Key facts

Start dates: 10 September 2018

Entry level: Minimum age 15

Completed 9 years of schooling with good results

Length:

Accelerated: 1 Academic year (3 terms)

Lessons: 40 – 42 lessons per week.

Class size: 4 – 10

Tuition fees: £13,890 per year

Learning outcomes:

- Gain subject knowledge in preparation for A-levels
- Develop study skills required at Sixth Form level

Course structure

Main academic subjects:

- Mathematics: 5 – 6 lessons per week
- English: 5 – 6 lessons per week
- Study Skills: 2 lessons per week
- Art: 5 – 6 lessons per week
- Economics: 5 – 6 lessons per week
- IT: 5 – 6 lessons per week
- Sciences: 5 – 6 lessons per week

Enrichment programme subjects:

- PSHE and Citizenship: 2 lessons per week
- Physical Education: 2 lessons per week
- Creative Arts: 2 lessons per week



Sample enrichment activities

- Annual three-day learning and cultural excursion
- UK & European study tours
- Duke of Edinburgh's Award
- Trinity Arts Award
- Sports and Fitness clubs and activities
- Debating Society
- Photography Society
- Drama Club
- Production of Shakespeare plays
- Special Effects Makeup and Arts Society
- Textiles Club
- Science Club
- UK Maths Challenge
- Current Affairs and News Club

Mentoring for under 16s

Includes:

- Full supervision during college hours Monday – Friday
- Welfare Counsellors
- Half-termly reports
- Separate Student and Parents' Portals
- Regular contact with parents on request

“ [In my old school] I had a class with about 30 people. Here, the teachers have a focus on you so can help you much more easily. There are usually about 6 of us in a class. One of the best things is that it's an international school so you can meet people from different cultures and you can learn a lot about them. ”

Sara is studying GCSEs at Kings



Art Foundation

The Art Foundation at Kings will give you the knowledge, skills and understanding of creative development and practice required by leading arts universities.

We offer a one-year programme starting in September, an intensive Art Foundation with a January start, and an Extended Art Foundation which includes 1 – 3 terms of our Art and Design Preparation Programme.

Key facts

Start dates: 10 September 2018; 7 January 2019 (Foundation); termly (Art and Design Preparation Programme)

Entry level: Minimum age 17

1 A-level, Portfolio. (Students with a limited portfolio can follow our pre-sessional Art and Design Preparation Programme for 1 to 3 terms to build their portfolio and progress to join the Foundation programme)

Length: 3 terms: September–June or January–July (Art Foundation), 1, 2 or 3 terms (Art and Design Preparation Programme)

Lessons: Average 20 – 25 hours per week (plus additional private study, workshop time and homework)

Class size: 4 – 12

Tuition fees: £13,890 per year

The Programme

The programme is designed to equip you with core technical skills and to develop your creativity through a cycle of experimentation, reflection and further development. This provides the foundation for progress in your chosen specialisation, the realisation of a final project and development of your portfolio.

Degree options

Kings students have recently progressed to study degrees in:

Advertising, Architecture, Book Making, Design, Embroidery, Fashion, Fashion Illustration, Fine Art, Garden Design, Graphic Design, Illustration, Installation Art, Interior Design, Jewellery Design, Landscape Design, Packaging design, Printmaking, Sculpture, Textile Design



Programme Units

Part 1 – Learning skills and context

Unit 1: Art and Design Research Methods

Research methodology, contextual awareness, interpretation, evaluation and application

Unit 2: Ideas and Development

Concept and idea generation and creative development using a broad range of approaches

Unit 3: Materials and Methods

Experimentation with materials and methods to explore and deliver creative solutions and responses

Unit 4: Evaluation and Reflection

Reflective, analytical and evaluative skills, assessment of outcomes and experience for continued development

Part 2 – Development and Progression

Unit 5: Integrated Art and Design

Integrated research, ideas and methods within the context of a chosen art or design specialism

Unit 6: Preparation for Progression in Art and Design

Development and demonstration of a range of skills, approaches and analysis; demonstrate potential for further progression

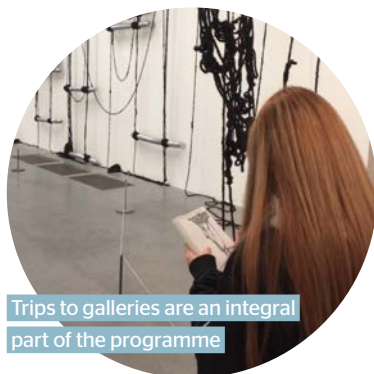
Part 3 – Proposal and Realisation

Unit 7: Project Proposal and Realisation of Final Major Project culminating in a public exhibition.

Take responsibility for personal learning, demonstrate achievement through the proposal and realisation of a large project which integrates contextual perspective, research, problem solving, planning and organisation, evaluation and reflection, practical, technical and presentation skills. Work to briefs to produce both two-dimensional and three-dimensional work, part of which will reflect a specialist subject area.



Kristina, pictured here, went on from Kings to study fashion at Kingston University



Trips to galleries are an integral part of the programme

Skills development: The creative journey

Term 1

Units 1/2 – Core skills

All students are introduced to the core skills vital to the successful pursuit of any specialist pathway. You will have an introduction to all specialisms so you can make an informed choice about your focus for the rest of the course, as well as your progression to your target degree and career.

In these units you will explore:

- Different ways of recording and developing ideas to improve your critical thinking and research skills.
- 2D skills to develop a variety of drawing approaches, print making, collage, photography, painting, Photoshop, In Design
- 3D skills, casting, mixed media structures, and an experimental approach to different materials

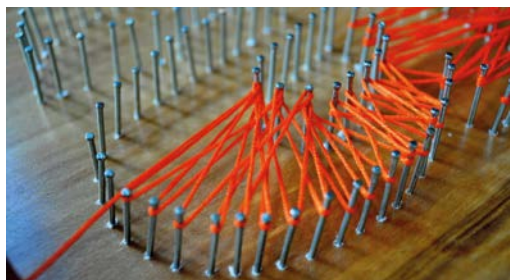
- The design process
- Working to a brief
- Presentations and reflect on work as it develops

You will receive UCAS support from an art specialist. This will help prepare you for your specialism, research options and to prepare a carefully crafted personal statement for degrees in your chosen area.

Units 3/4 – Choosing elective pathway

You can choose one of the elective pathways below:

- Animation
- Architecture
- Fashion
- Fine art
- Game design
- Interior design
- Product design
- Textile design





You will continue to experiment and develop projects in your elective pathway refining your skills and work for both hard and e-portfolios ahead of UCAS applications.

Communication and Study Skills modules allow you to hone your research, presentation and note-taking skills. You'll also develop effective written communication for analysis, critique and presentation in art and design.

Term 2


Units 5/6: Elective pathway project and portfolio work

Through a number of project briefs, you will put the skills you have learned in to practice to demonstrate, illustrate and record your creative journey and add to your portfolio.

Term 3

Unit 7 - Final major project

Working to a brief, you will design your own final major project in your elective pathway, culminating in a public presentation and exhibition of your work. This is externally assessed, and will form the centrepiece of your final foundation portfolios.



“I chose to do this course because I know I want to do art, and even though it's hard I'm enjoying it so much. I have learnt new ways of working – I know how to present things better, how to organise myself, how to produce a better project. You have to be responsible and independent, just like you will at university.”

Julia studied Art Foundation at Kings and progressed to a BA in Visual Communication

Total learning

A background image showing two young women with long dark hair looking through a glass display case in a museum. The woman on the left is smiling, while the woman on the right has a more serious expression. They are looking at a large, ornate ceramic vessel, possibly a vase or urn, which is partially visible through the glass. The lighting is warm and focused on the exhibit.

Acceptance to the most selective universities requires more than just good grades. As a consequence of A-level reforms, universities need to use a basket of measures to assess applications.

You will need to demonstrate your understanding of the demands, skills and attributes required for the successful completion of your chosen degree programme. This should be evidenced through a broad and relevant range of interests and experience.

Successful students are those who make the most of their opportunities, inside and outside the classroom, and at Kings we ensure that there is plenty on offer.



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Extracurricular activities



“I really enjoyed the atmosphere, home-like, warm and friendly. I took so much pleasure from my lessons and interaction with peers and teachers.

There were many different events, I even took part in a fashion show as a model.

Kings helped me, not only in terms of study, which was brilliant, personality-orientated and taught by true professionals with so much competence; but they were also so friendly, open-minded, always ready to help and answer any questions. It all gave me so much confidence in what I was doing.

Thanks to Kings and Emma personally for all their help with every stage of my university selection and application. I received two unconditional offers, from City University and Surrey. I chose Surrey and completed my degree in Translation Studies with Intercultural Communication. ”

Olga progressed from Kings London to read Translation Studies with Intercultural Communication at the University of Surrey



Extracurricular activities are offered to students at Kings through a dedicated enrichment programme. These include but are not limited to:



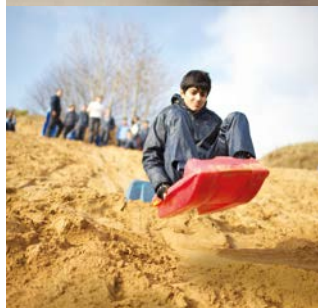
Work Experience: Students are increasingly keen to gain valuable work experience while studying to gain a deeper understanding of professional practice and add to their university applications.

At Kings London, all students are encouraged to identify relevant opportunities to meet their needs and interests. Time is allocated for this throughout the academic year and in enrichment week.

The Kings Community Award: Developing your full potential is so important at Kings that participation in at least one activity outside class each term is expected of every student. We have developed a way to recognise and celebrate broad interests through the Kings Community Award. This is a formal end-of-course certificate awarded to each student who demonstrates participation in an activity outside of class which develops them – intellectually, physically or socially.

Clubs and societies

All students at Kings can take part in regular clubs and societies to learn new skills or develop existing hobbies and interests. There are a range of creative clubs, sports and exercise clubs, as well as clubs which cover more academic subjects, and the Student Council. Other popular events during the academic year include the May Ball; drama productions; seasonal celebrations; university fairs, visits and guest lectures.





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Kings Social Responsibility



Students at our latest partner school at
Kapin in the remote North Eastern jungle
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Sustainability



Community



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We aim to make a difference across these three main areas as part of our social responsibility initiatives at Kings.

For more details, visit: kingseducation.com/ksr



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A Different School of Thought

At Kings, we are proud to partner with **United World Schools** – a charity that builds and sustains new schools in some of the world's most disadvantaged regions.

We have committed to support the work of UWS by funding the building and resourcing of at least one new school each year, which we do through student and staff fundraising.



Next step: university

The background of the entire page is a photograph of a large, historic university building. The building features a prominent stone tower with multiple levels of arched windows and a series of pointed arches along its facade. To the left of the tower is a lower, multi-story building with several windows. In the foreground, a person is walking on a paved path, their figure blurred to suggest motion. The path is bordered by a green lawn on the left. The overall scene is set in a bright, slightly overcast day.

Kings students have recently won places at all of the UK's top 30 ranked universities and progressed to degrees in a broad range of subjects.

The universities recognise that Kings students have been expertly prepared.



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Your path to university

At Kings, our students consistently win places at the UK's top universities.

We encourage and enable each student to be the best they can be, and to set their ambitions as high as possible. Whether you are aiming for a top ten university, or a university which is recognised as a leader in your intended field of study, we'll help you get there.



“Individual university visits that the school helped me organise – with private appointments with students doing my anticipated degree subject – helped me with my decision. The universities that I was looking at before, it turned out weren't actually the best places for me – I only discovered this when I visited.”

Nina progressed from Kings London to study Robotics and Intelligent Systems at Kings College London

**University acceptance from Kings**

✓ Accepted Kings students

▣ Rankings taken from Times and Sunday Times 2018 University Rankings

1	University of Cambridge	✓	17	University of Bristol	✓
2	University of Oxford	✓	18	University of Nottingham	✓
3	University of St Andrews	✓	19	University of Sussex	✓
4	London School of Economics and Political Science	✓	20	University of York	✓
5	Imperial College London	✓	21	King's College London	✓
6	Durham University	✓	22	University of Manchester	✓
7	University College London	✓	=23	University of Edinburgh	✓
8	University of Warwick	✓	=23	Newcastle University	✓
9	Lancaster University	✓	25	University of Kent	✓
10	Loughborough University	✓	26	University of Southampton	✓
11	University of Bath	✓	=27	University of Reading	✓
12	University of East Anglia	✓	=27	University of Glasgow	✓
13	University of Surrey	✓	29	Heriot-Watt University	✓
=14	University of Exeter	✓	=30	University of Leicester	✓
=14	University of Leeds	✓	=30	University of Dundee	✓
16	University of Birmingham	✓			

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Personalised university counselling





Our dedicated **University Application Programme** runs alongside your main academic course. It provides all the information, guidance and support you need to ensure you secure a place at the best possible university to suit you.

You will be assigned a personal university counsellor. They will work directly to help you research, select and apply for the ideal universities for your future plans.

The Kings University Application Programme

Weeks 1 and 2

- Introduction to your university options and UCAS registration

Week 2 onwards

- Regular counselling sessions from your personal UCAS Adviser, including support in drafting your personal statement

Week 3 onwards

- Practical first-hand information about your university options
- Subject specific workshops, university guest lectures, fairs, meetings and visits
- Guidance through the application process and ensuring deadlines are met
- Support after your UCAS submission and assisting with university admissions tutor communication

Our support is tailored to your individual needs and achievement of the best outcomes. We like to remain in contact with you through our alumni network.

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Alumni success



Serra now studying
Business and Management
at Durham University (#4)



Joseph now studying
Architectural Engineering
at Cardiff University (#46)



Aleksandar now studying
Economics at the University
of Warwick (#7)



Camila now studying Civil
Engineering at UCL (#6)



Liz now studying Business and
Management Studies at the
University of Exeter (#9)



Muhammad now studying
Aeronautical Engineering at the
University of Loughborough (#11)



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Orvanda now studying
Mechanical and Electrical
Engineering at the University
of Bath (#12)



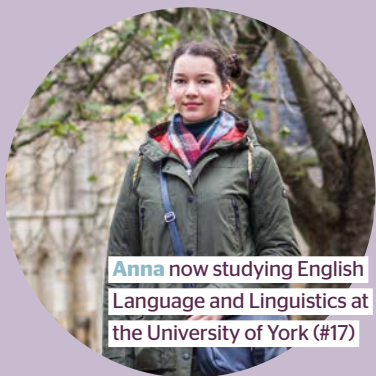
Sofia now studying
Criminology and
Psychology at the University
of Southampton (#16)



Dolphie now studying
Government and Economics at
the London School of Economics
and Political Science (#8)



Kalu now studying
Electrical and Electronic
Engineering at the
University of Sheffield (#24)



Anna now studying English
Language and Linguistics at
the University of York (#17)



Ozzy now studying at the
prestigious Glion Institute
of Higher Education in
Switzerland

Further information

If you think that Kings London could be the place for you, please get in touch.

You are bound to have lots of questions, and our team at Kings London is on-hand to answer them.

Fees and Scholarship opportunities

● Two year A-level: £13,890 per year

● One year A-level:

1 A-Level subject: £5,630 per year

2 A-Level subjects: £11,260 per year

3 A-Level subjects: £13,890 per year

● GCSE: £13,890 per year

● Art and Design Foundation

£13,890 per year

Scholarships are available to students who can demonstrate exceptional academic ability or potential. Please contact us for more information.



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