

Kings Priory School Sixth Form

Myth Buster

“But I cannot afford to come to Kings Priory School?”

Kings Priory is not a private school. We are a state funded academy, meaning our students do not pay any fees.

“But there will not be a place available for me in the Sixth Form?”

We offer a minimum of fifty external places in the Sixth Form each year. Since the school opened in 2013, every external applicant who has met the entry criteria for their chosen subjects has been offered a place in Year 12.

“But I would not have the same freedoms at Kings Priory School compared to college?”

Our students have their own designated Sixth Form Block, which contains a variety of independent study spaces and computer facilities. A typical Year 12 student has six unsupervised study periods on their timetable. Our Sixth Form students also have additional privileges, for example to leave the site at lunch time, and in Year 13 begin a flexible curriculum where they can leave the site early in the afternoons if they are on track with their learning.

“But Kings Priory School is hard to get to?”

Kings Priory School is surrounded by excellent transport links. Our school is located directly opposite Tynemouth Metro station. We are also a short bus journey from the North Shields ferry terminal. Our current students travel from all over North Tyneside, South Tyneside, Newcastle and Northumberland.

“So what’s the catch?”

There isn’t one. Our A Level results are consistently amongst the best in the region, with a 100% pass rate in 2020. We are a smaller Sixth Form, which means we can offer small group sizes and improved academic support. Our dedicated and experienced Sixth Form team offers exceptional pastoral care and support, to aid each student to flourish and reach their full potential. All students receive bespoke support to aid them in finding the correct pathway after Sixth Form, with over eighty percent of our students going on to study at their university of choice in 2020.

Apply now for September 2021

Information on how to apply is available on our website in the Sixth Form section.

If you would like more information about joining the Sixth Form or to arrange a tour, please contact Steve Oldham at kpsadmissions@kps.woodard.co.uk