



KENT COLLEGE
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OUR LOCATION



On the outskirts of the historic city of Canterbury, a safe, healthy and beautiful environment for pupils to grow up.



1 hour from London by Train. 5 minutes from Canterbury West station to KC by taxi.



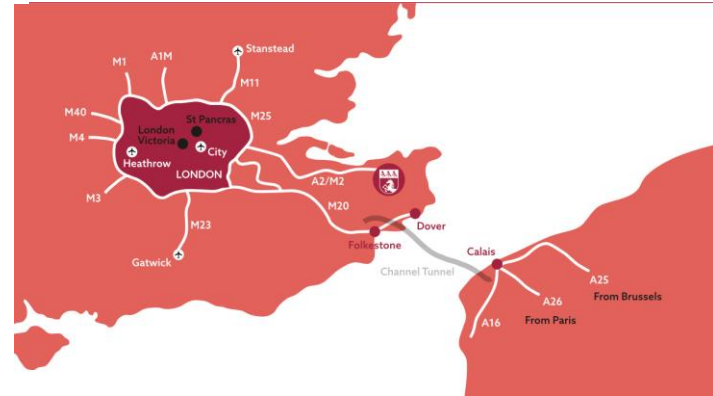
Close to London Airports: Gatwick 1 hour 20 mins & Heathrow 1 hour 30 mins.



Easy access to Europe via the Eurostar train service which stops at Ashford.



20 minute drive from the Channel Tunnel.





THE KC FAMILY



610 students



410 day pupils



200 boarders



42 different nationalities



Small class sizes set by ability

Average class size 16

Average Sixth Form class size 6 - 12

OUR CAMPUS



80-acre campus

Our site is easy for students to get to know quickly with classrooms and Boarding Houses all close together.



School Farm on site

A unique resource for those students who love spending time with animals to those wanting to pursue a career in farming or veterinary science. Green Studies curriculum. Young Farmers Club runs 3 times a week



Riding arena and stables on site

Horse riding lessons with qualified BHS A instructors
Competition opportunities
Stable management courses



Sports Facilities

26 acres of playing fields including floodlit astroturf, tennis courts, netball courts, cricket field, rugby and football pitches
Sports hall, new gym, dance and yoga studios.



600 seat theatre

Our state-of-the-art auditorium is a fully equipped theatre and regularly hosts international performers as well as school music and drama productions



BOARDING AT KC

Kent College has a long history of welcoming boarders from the UK and around the world

Our 5 Boarding Houses are home to 200 boarders who make up a third of the pupils at KC

BOARDING ACTIVITIES

A wide choice of evening and Saturday morning activities keep students busy with choices including archery to horse riding, board games to crafting and basketball to football

VISITS TO CANTERBURY

Canterbury offers cinemas, theatres, as well as a variety of shops and restaurants. Students can visit at the weekend and older students can also get permission to go into town after school mid-week

WEEKEND TRIPS

30 Sunday outings and expeditions are available during the year including Go-karting to ice-skating, theatre trips to football matches and shopping expeditions to castles visits and amusement parks



ACADEMIC SUCCESS

A broad range of academic pathways with bespoke option planning to ensure success.

We offer:

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

Ranked 3rd in the UK small cohort IB schools
and regularly in the top 10 UK IB schools
37 our average score over the last 8 years

A LEVEL

24 options. 70 % of students achieve A* - B grades

BTEC 3 options

IGCSE within a 1 year Pre-Sixth Form
programme

GCSE

45% of students achieve A* - A grades
100 % passed 5 GCSEs

INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTRE

Providing bespoke support for English language
acquisition and IELTS examinations



VALUES BASED EDUCATION at KC we practise:

RESPECT

Value oneself, others and the world around you
others

ACT JUSTLY

Work through good through service to others

AMBITION

Engage positively with all learning opportunities
others

HUMILITY

Walk humbly

KINDNESS

Be considerate and compassionate towards

OPENNESS

Embrace equality, diversity and inclusion

RESILIENCE

Build the courage to take risks and to forgive

CURIOSITY

Inquire actively



SPORTING EXCELLENCE

Kent College is a school steeped in sporting history. Our Sports programme guides athletes through a structured progressive programme that ensures every student develops the skills to thrive in all aspects of their sport with professional coaches who have played at international level.

OUR KEY SPORTS

Flagship Sports



Boys and girls
hockey



Boys and girls
cricket

Competitive Sports



Boys and girls
tennis



Boys and girls
rugby



Boys and girls
cross country



Boys
basketball



Boys and girls
athletics



Girls
netball



Boys and girls
football



PERFORMING ARTS



GREAT HALL

Our 600-seat auditorium hosts the annual Canterbury Festival and provides the perfect performance space for school events



MUSIC

Music School with recording studio
10 music concerts/performance a year
33 peripatetic teachers provide individual tuition
Christmas carol service in Canterbury Cathedral
Annual choir tours to Vienna, Venice or Prague
Local performance opportunities



DRAMA

Drama workshops with visiting actors
5 drama productions a year
Annual musical
Opportunities for students to write and direct plays
LAMDA lessons

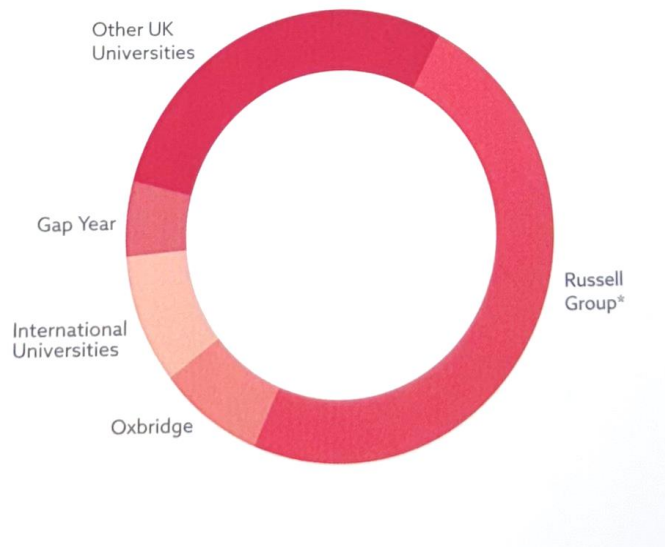


THE NEXT STEP - DESTINATIONS

48% of our students go to Russell group universities which are the best 24 universities in the UK*

Our Sixth Form Careers and Futures team support students to prepare for their next steps, from careers insights to university applications and transferable skills such as leadership and teamwork.

Average annual university destinations



DESTINATIONS

Our leavers are accepted into some of the best universities in the world including Oxbridge, UCL, Imperial College London, Exeter and Durham as well as and universities in Europe such as Bocconi in Milan and Cornell in the USA.

UNIVERSITY COURSES

Students go on to read a wide variety of courses including Medicine, Veterinary Science, Engineering, Biomedical Science, Theoretical Physics, Law, Business and Economics, Architecture

APPRENTICESHIPS

An increasingly popular option where we support a variety of pathways

* Average over past 8 years

CO-CURRICULAR

80 clubs and activities a week enable students to develop their talents and try something new

TRIPS AND EXPEDITIONS

Trips are an important way to continue learning outside the classroom locally and international.

- Ski trip to Italy, France or Austria
- History trip to Berlin
- Economics trip to Rome
- Geography trip to Iceland and Lake District
- Choir tours to Budapest, Venice and Vienna
- STEM trip to Discovery Park, Sandwich
- Cultural Exchange trip to Pennington, USA
- Hockey tour to Holland
- EDUKID trip to Peru
- Physics trip to CERN Geneva
- Duke of Edinburgh expeditions to Slovenia and Iceland



CO-CURRICULAR AT KC from archery to Zumba dancing



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Amnesty International, athletics, archery, astronomy, badminton, basketball, board games, Bollywood dancing, business in the news, British Sign Language, charities, choir, coding, cooking skills, concert band, craft and jewellery, creative writing, cricket, cross country, debating society and MUN, design and manufacturing, drama, Duke of Edinburgh, EAL speaking, eco-warriors, Edukid, electronics, farm club, fencing, flute group, folk group, football, golf, guitar ensemble, gym, hockey, horse riding, Italian speaking and cooking, Latin music and dance, library, music theatre, netball, orchestra, pathway to dentistry, engineering, Oxbridge, photography, print and pattern, psychology, public speaking, rock band, rowing, rugby, running, school musical, science club, strategy game, string quartet, squash, stable management, strength and conditioning, theatre design, touch typing, weightlifting, wellbeing, wind group, yoga, young engineers, young enterprise, young farmers, young silversmiths

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ACQUISITION

Dedicated International Study Centre with over 30 years experience welcoming students from around the world

Our ISC classrooms are integrated in the centre of our school

Providing group and bespoke support for English language teaching

A dedicated team of specialised EAL teachers

Coaching to support students understand academic terminology

Trips and guidance to help students developing a cultural understanding of the UK

Supporting students with IELTS examinations and preparation for university entrance



CARING FOR YOU

Wellbeing and Pastoral Care is our main priority for our students. Our pastoral structure is designed to give all pupils the individual support they need from the start of their school career to the day they leave KC

THE PASTORAL NETWORK:

Pupils may seek help or advice from:

School Counsellors and our Independent Listener
Deputy Head Wellbeing and Pastoral
Boarding House Parents, Assistants and Tutors
Personal Tutors
Heads of Year
The Chaplain
Prefects or other trustworthy senior pupils
Medical team



HOW TO APPLY



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