



BOURNE SCHOLARS PROGRAMME



'Aspire, Believe, Achieve'

"We are delighted to have developed our Bourne Scholars Programme in Partnership with Canford, our sponsor school, Southampton University and Winchester College. The programme offers Scholars the opportunity to develop not only intellectually but also creatively, spiritually and morally." Mr. M Avoth, Principal



We are proud to introduce you to our Bourne Scholars Programme for Gifted and Talented students at The Bourne Academy.

Students are selected following a number of assessment points and other opportunities to demonstrate excellent Character and Commitment to our Academy. The programme offers all the advantages, and many more, of local Grammar Streams.

The Bourne Scholars Programme maximises the links we have both regionally and nationally to offer students life changing opportunities and the experience to enhance their learning and inspire them to greatness. The programme develops through the year groups to support the Scholars as they journey through their time with us, and the programme is individualised to reflect their interests and skills as they develop.

Our Bourne Scholars work with Canford School (as part of our exclusive sponsor relationship), and other key partners, including Southampton University and Winchester College, on a programme of academic and extracurricular opportunities to increase their Cultural Capital and to put the Scholars on a path to the world's best universities. They are also able to access a bespoke tutoring offer.

We work with our Scholars to raise their aspirations to perform at the highest level in their chosen areas, empowering them to become highly academically able whilst developing into global citizens.

Students from all backgrounds can be invited to join our Scholar Programme and they are selected following their mid-year internal assessments.

The aims of the Bourne Scholars Programme are to:

- Provide a highly academic and rigorous curriculum to stretch and challenge the most academically able children
- Encourage the holistic development of Scholars empowering them to succeed in whatever future path they choose.



Anticipated outcomes of the Bourne Scholars Programme are that students gain:

- Enhanced ambitions, confidence, oracy and global thinking
- Entry to Russell Group Universities including Oxford and Cambridge (Oxbridge)
- Increased career aspirations
- Social mobility and global citizenship.

Securing & Maintaining a place:

Maintaining a place in the Bourne Scholars Programme requires full participation in the academic and extra-curricular activities on offer, maintaining an average Academy attendance of 96% and ensuring high standards of behaviour and conduct on and off site, being a role model for other Academy students.

At the end of each academic year, there is a formal graduation celebration to mark the Scholar's success in progressing to the next year of the Programme.



| ACADEMIC & EXTRA-CURRICULAR



THE BOURNE ACADEMY

- Specialist Tutor activities centred around extending academic and character opportunities
- All students may have the opportunity to study two languages
- Visits to Law Courts and Parliament
- Individual Bourne Ambassador (Industry Mentor)
- Graduation dinners
- Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)
- Oxbridge preparation
- Canford Sixth Form bursary opportunity
- Goldman Sachs Residential.



CANFORD

- Access to all Canford facilities and activities, including: rowing, CCF, shooting, use of the Layard Theatre, sailing, classics, Real Tennis, Sports Pitches
- Residential trip
- Book club
- Attending talks, workshops & performances
- Twinning days
- Debate workshop
- High profile speakers
- Careers Symposium.



WINCHESTER COLLEGE

UNIVERSITY OF
Southampton



MERTON COLLEGE
OXFORD



DOWNING
COLLEGE
CAMBRIDGE

- Access to all Winchester College facilities
- Invitations to specialist talks and lectures; fieldwork in The College nature reserve and River Itchen
- Invitation to workshops and curriculum-led projects
- Hands-on sessions with ancient artefacts in the Treasury, archives and library
- Mentoring and support with university applications
- Extension classes to stretch and challenge.
- Oxbridge university visits and workshops

- University visits and subject talks
- Introduction to Higher Education talk and tour
- GCSE guidance
- Identifying career skills/ future mapping workshop
- Activities to improve academic attainment and intellectual self-confidence
- Specialist PHD tutoring, building skills ahead of university applications
- Graduation event at top UK university.

We will challenge our Scholars in activities that push them beyond their "normal" boundaries. The aim of these activities is to give students a broader exposure to learning areas, as well as offering them a taste of what they could eventually study at A-level.

As part of the enhanced Academic Curriculum, Bourne Scholars not only access the current additional curriculum opportunities, such as the Reading Programme and MiSST Programme, but they are also academically extended by being invited to participate in the following activities: The Brilliant Club providing specialist PHD tutoring, The study of Classics at Winchester College, having an in-house personal academic mentor, joining Canford Academic Twinning Group, academic subject workshop, studying two languages and stretch & challenge opportunities.

Bourne Scholars are also offered a wider range of Community, Enrichment and Extra-Curricular Opportunities. Most of these are held at The Bourne Academy but Bourne Scholars are expected to attend Canford School periodically on a Wednesday between 2.00pm and 4.00pm.