# Pre A Level Course



## Laying the foundation for Sixth Form study at Pocklington School





## WHAT MAKES OUR PRE A LEVEL COURSE UNIQUE?

- Focussed group teaching with a maximum of 8 students
- The opportunity to study a broad range of subjects to improve academic English and subject knowledge and vocabulary
- Acquisition of practical and presentation skills
- Access to specialist teachers who are skilled in preparing students for Sixth Form study
- Dedicated course coordinator to drive academic progress and ensure pastoral welfare
- Intensive EAL teaching in preparation for iGCSE in English as a Second Language
- Immersion into school life via Sixth Form tutor groups and dedicated pastoral care

### WHAT WILL STUDENTS GAIN FROM THIS COURSE?

- Accelerated learning through focussed, specialised teaching of EAL
- Improved examination techniques
- Practise with presentation skills
- Confidence to thrive in our Sixth Form environment
- Full immersion in our British culture
- iGCSE English as a Second Language, in preparation for IELTS examinations in the Sixth Form
- Where identified, individuals may take examinations in chosen subjects







#### WHY POCKLINGTON SCHOOL?

- Individual academic attention
- Vibrant, friendly market town
- Award winning pastoral care
- Outstanding facilities

#### WHO SHOULD TAKE THIS COURSE?

- Students of high academic ability who are intending to study at Sixth Form level
- Students wishing to improve their general English, academic English and subject-related vocabulary and skills before embarking on Sixth Form study
- Students aged 15 or 16

#### **BRITISH CULTURE AND VALUES**



Geography, History, Religious Studies and Citizenship are key elements of the British Culture and Values aspect of the course, all of which will support our Pre A level course students in understanding life in Britain.

Excursions may include visiting historical cities such as York, appreciating the cultural significance of Castle Howard, enjoying field trips to our local coastline and beaches and witnessing the beauty of our Yorkshire Dales.

By being immersed in British Culture and Values, students will gain an in-depth understanding of important traditions and customs, offering a holistic appreciation for life in Britain.



#### A TYPICAL WEEK INCLUDES:

- Focussed EAL lessons
- British Culture and Values including excursions
- Maths
- Science
- Business Studies
- Creative Arts
- Sports and activities
- Native language studies

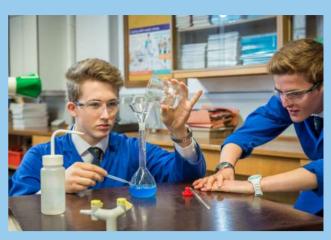
#### **COURSE FEES INCLUDE:**

- Dedicated Course Co-ordinator and Pastoral Tutor
- Boarding trips and activities
- Full boarder package
- Exeat accommodation
- Uniform including Sports Kit
- External examination entries including testing and certificates
- CAS fee
- Group boarders' travel

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