



Welcome to Bramcote College

**Year 6 Open Evening
presentation**

September 2022



What makes Bramcote College stand out?

- Bramcote College is a smaller than average secondary school on a beautiful site, which allows students the space to thrive
- We know all our students by name and work hard to provide them with the personalised learning that will open doors for them in the future
- We serve the children and families of our local community; most of our students walk or cycle to school
- **Our Mission:** To provide the right conditions for every young person to succeed. We are driven by the belief that every child can succeed given the support they need.



Reasons to be proud

- An ambitious culture and ethos
- Summer 2019 and 2022 have seen our best ever achievement at GCSE & post 16; academic excellence is part of our ethos
- Summer 2020 and 2021 Teacher assessed grades were in line with our upward trajectory *
- Small School and 6th Form with big ambitions and now in the top 20% of 6th Forms in the county for achievement
- More opportunities than ever for students to engage with school life through residential and new overseas trips, Duke of Edinburgh, charity events, arts, sports teams, academic clubs and performing arts



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We believe that the quality of relationships influence outcomes and experience

- Develop a passion for learning through a broad and balanced curriculum; we strive for real joy and confidence in school
- Be involved in school life and our community to give a sense of belonging
- Be a happy and positive member of our community, developing character and confidence



Reasons to be excited about the future

- We are proud of our fantastic students and staff who live our values every day
- We continuously work hard together to ensure that Bramcote College students are inspired learners who are confident and resilient, reaching the highest academic standards
- 'A total commitment to continual improvement permeates the school' Ofsted
- Year on year improving academic outcomes
- Moving towards a new Bramcote College building*



Next steps

The two most important questions to consider at this point in Year 6 are:

- Will my child be happy and safe?
- Will my child reach their fullest potential?



Sources of information

- Ofsted – this information is on our website <https://bramcote.college>
- Exam outcomes – progress 8 and attainment
- Open evening
- School tours
- Staff and students at the school today and our virtual tour video
- Governors, PTA, parents & carers and the wider community
- Our relationships with your primary schools
- Our Facebook and Instagram (search Bramcote College)



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- '...an aspirational culture, which pupils and staff have embraced'
- 'A total commitment to continuing improvement permeates the school'
- 'Current pupils are making dramatically better progress'
- 'Pupils receive a **broad and balanced curriculum**, which prepares them well for the next stages of their education'



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- Aspirational targets help students aim high – dream big to realise potential
- An emphasis on quality first teaching and the highest expectations of behaviour in all years
- Invest in CPD staff and retain/recruit talented and committed teachers
- Preparing students effectively for progress checks and exams – academic excellence
- Stretch and support to give individualised teaching and learning at all levels in school



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'Relationships between staff and pupils are very positive.
Pupils trust their teachers'

'Teachers are committed to providing the best quality education for all'

At Bramcote we see the whole student; we believe that personal development and academic achievement are two sides of the same coin!

For our children – only the best is good enough

- Creating conditions for all to thrive
- At least 2 days of induction in Year 6*
- Our Student Support team and Heads of Year
- BRAMCOTE points and our rewards & recognition system
- Student voice and student leadership are valued



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Outstanding results across all subjects in our broad and balanced Curriculum

- Accelerating progress
- **78% of students achieved Grade 4+ in English**
- **64% of students achieved Grade 5+ in English**
- 79% of students achieved Grade 4+ in Maths
- 64% of students achieved Grade 5+ in Maths
- **69% of students achieved Grade 4+ in both English & Maths**
- **55% of students achieved Grade 5+ in both English & Maths**
- 12% of students achieved 5 or more Grades 7 to 9 (A/A*)
- Highly successful exam results were also achieved in Art, Photography, Biology, Chemistry, Business Studies, Computing, Sport to name just a few subjects.



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- In an average year almost 90% of BC6F students get into their first choice university
- 77% of students achieved A*- C grades in 2019; this has risen to 85% in 2022, with 28% of all grades being A*/A
- Average class sizes for A level groups are 8
- Students go on to a range of universities including Cambridge, Nottingham, Liverpool, Loughborough
- Students have also secured higher level apprenticeships with the NHS, the Police, Experian and Rolls Royce to name just a few



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- Exam results are important, however, the whole student is important to us
- We offer a broad and balanced curriculum to inspire and engage all students
- We believe in developing independent, mature and conscientious students
- Fully enriched lives and contributing to the lives of others



LOVE – Live Our Values Everyday

- High aspirations for all
- High standards for all
- Stretch and support
- Inspire, engage and nurture
- We value and care for our students

Brilliant
Resilient
Ambitious
Motivated
Caring
Open-minded
Team player
Engaged



How to apply

- If you live at a **Nottinghamshire County** address, you can apply online at:
- www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/admissions
- You will require an email address to register online and can use the personal unique identification number (UID) for your child, which is on the information sent to you by School Admissions to your home address.

Or

- You can apply by completing an application form.
- The Admissions team contact number is **0300 500 8080** to request an application form or to apply over the telephone.

The national **closing date** for applications is Sunday **October 31st 2022**
place **offers** will be sent out by your local council on **March 1st 2023**
either by email or by post depending on how you apply

- If you live at a **Nottingham City** address you can apply online at
- www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/schooladmissions
- You will require an email address to register

Or

- You could apply by completing an application form.
- The Admissions team contact number is **0115 841 5568** to request an application form.
- When completing the application form please provide as much information as possible and include the names of any siblings who will be at the school of your choice at the proposed time of admission.

- If you live at a **Derbyshire** address you can apply online at www.derbyshire.gov.uk/admissions

Or

- Apply by completing an application form.
- The Admissions team contact number is 01629 533190 to request an application form or to apply over the telephone.



If you want to find out more about us

See a short film where you can hear from the students and teachers at Bramcote College – this is on our Virtual Open Evening page

Find out about the new school building – on website.

Mary Kirby (SENCO) and Jenny Read (Assistant Headteacher: Transition) are hosting a Zoom meeting on October 4th at 6:30pm to discuss Transition and SEND / pastoral support.

Please email openevening@bramcote.college for the link to the meeting.

And finally, please follow us on Facebook or Instagram to see more.



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