



James – Biology, Chemistry, French, Maths

**What do you enjoy about Sixth Form and Sixth Form opportunities?**

“I loved how much freedom we were given. On the first day the school felt bigger because there weren’t teachers telling us what to do during our independent study periods. At this point (almost a term in) I have realised how incredible the Sixth Form opportunities are. We’ve had trips, speakers and the amount of support you receive from your teachers and the Sixth Form team is so much more than what I expected. There are also many leadership roles and having taken one up myself, I am learning so many life skills which I never thought I would be learning at Sixth Form.”

The most important thing is to love and have a real passion for the subjects you take since that will make everything about A levels easier. Make sure you know what each subject teacher, especially ones that are not taught at GCSE as you could really enjoy them- but the only way to find out is to ask. Finally, if you have an idea about what career you would like to do next, search up the subjects that will help you the most or are needed for the course you want to do.”

Emilie- Music, Photography, Psychology

**Did you always know what you wanted to do after Year 11?**

“Nope, I was deadest on leaving school, I didn’t want to stay. I was looking at drama schools and colleges until the week before sign up when I decided to stay because I had achieved the grades needed. I then decided to come to KLS Sixth Form because I never expected to get good GCSE grades and have the opportunity to attend a sixth form, I thought it was more for academic kids and I struggled in that area. I have chosen music, photography and psychology. Music is my passion, it doesn’t feel like a lesson. Photography is new and creative and something to get stuck into. I want Year 11 to know that Sixth Form isn’t just for academic subjects or ‘smart’ kids, I wasn’t the best behaved in secondary but I’ve come back and shown I actually can work.”





Grace- Biology, History, Physics

**What helped you decide to come to KLS Sixth Form?**

“I knew that I wanted to go to university so during Year 11 I looked at different university courses that I was interested in which helped me decide that I wanted to go to Sixth Form.

I decided to stay at KLS because I know how committed the teachers are here about learning and teaching. I knew I would get good support from teachers and would be able to continue doing the subjects that I enjoy the most. “

 <p>Maria- Spanish, Biology, Psychology</p>	<p><b>Is there anything you have realised since you arrived in Sixth Form that you wish you had known when making your choices?</b></p> <p>“I realised that you aren’t alone and that there are teachers you can talk to and support you through your journey here at Sixth Form. If you don’t have a clear vision regarding your future career, try and explore it, and choose A-level courses that can be used in a variety of ways when applying to university, courses and apprenticeships.”</p>
<p>George – Politics, History, Economics</p>	<p><b>What do you enjoy about Sixth Form and Sixth Form opportunities?</b></p> <p>“I enjoy the increased support we get on an individual basis and the smaller class sizes. All of my subjects intertwine with each other, whilst being completely different in nature. I like the strong knowledge rich curriculum and the wide breadth of resources that are provided.</p> <p>I have most enjoyed the enrichment opportunities which, for me, has meant the opportunity to introduce new ideas and change across the school.</p>
 <p>Scarlett – Chemistry, Maths, Further Maths</p>	<p><b>Is there anything you have realised since you arrived in Sixth Form that you wish you had known when making your choices?</b></p> <p>“I wish I’d have understood that A levels are hard...but not impossible. The one thing I want people to understand is that you should never be put off doing A levels because you think they are too hard, if you get the predicted grades, and put in the effort, you will succeed and your education has reached a new level.</p> <p>I enjoy the fact that the opportunities presented to you at Sixth Form are ones you have to grab with both hands. Some opportunities might not be for everyone, so I enjoy that you can choose what opportunities you take part in.”</p>



Sofia – Biology, Chemistry,  
Drama

**What helped you decide to come to KLS Sixth Form?**

“Hearing about how good the education was and the helpful staff from other students and parents. I was most nervous about making friends and being able to navigate the school and find my classes. I am most grateful for the teachers and support team within the Sixth Form, they have supplied me with loads of information and opportunities for when I finish my A levels. I enjoy my courses as I have a strong interest in them and my combination allows me to have a broad selection of choices post-18. I wish I had found out more about what my courses were going to be like to help with the massive jump from GCSEs.”

If you wish to ask any of our students or Sixth Form Team a question, [click here](#)