



MARLBOROUGH COLLEGE

Admissions Procedures

16+ SIXTH FORM ENTRY

- Enquiry & Visit** Enquiries are welcomed at any stage. A prospectus will be sent along with further information relating to the Admissions procedures. Lower Sixth afternoon visit events take place either towards the end of the **Summer Term of Year 10** or the beginning of the **Michaelmas Term, Year 11**. All families who have made an enquiry with the College will be sent an invitation to visit the College.
- Registration** The next step for candidates interested in Lower Sixth entry would be to **register** with the College. This can be arranged at any point up to the application closing date of **1 October** in the **Michaelmas Term, Year 11**. A registration form can be requested from the Admissions Department and should be completed and returned along with a non-returnable registration fee, currently £250.
- Bursaries** Bursaries are available to apply for and further information can be found online: www.marlboroughcollege.org/admissions/scholarships-and-bursaries. All applications for bursarial support must be received by **1 September, Year 11**.
- Scholarships** Scholarships are available to apply for and further information can be found online: www.marlboroughcollege.org/admissions/scholarships-and-bursaries. All applications for a scholarship must be received by **1 October, Year 11**.
- Enrolment** The strict closing date for both registration and enrolment to confirm taking the entry assessment is **1st October, Michaelmas Term, Year 11**.
- Assessment** Entry assessment and interviews take place at Marlborough early in **November, Year 11** a year prior to entry. The College welcomes applications from overseas pupils, who are also expected to attend for assessment and interview.
- Place Offers** College places are offered to successful candidates in early **December, Year 11**. These are subject to final GCSE grades being a minimum of six grade 6s or equivalent. House places are allocated, although the College will take into consideration strongly preferred boarding houses should they be specifically requested. Families have one week to either accept or decline an offered College place. Upon acceptance a confirmation deposit of £1,950 is required. All parents living outside the UK are required to pay an additional deposit of a term's fee, currently £13,310 and, if applicable, will be subject to a Child Student visa administration fee.
- Guidance** Pupils with a College place have an option to complete a careers questionnaire which aims to help with A level subject choices.
- Visit Day** The Lower Sixth Visit Day event takes place in **June** three months prior to entry. Pupils' proposed sixth form subject choices will have already been received and timetabled, however this event is a final opportunity to meet with Heads of Department to talk through their subjects and with the Guidance Department to discuss tertiary education and career options.
- GCSE Results** GCSE results are to be sent to Marlborough College on receipt. All pupils with College places must achieve at least six grade 6s in their GCSEs or equivalent including English and Mathematics. In practice, pupils will achieve grades considerably higher.
- September** Arrival at Marlborough College.

Admissions procedures, events, fees and key dates are subject to change at the discretion of Marlborough College.

For further information pertaining to any of the above, please contact the Admissions Department: admissions@marlboroughcollege.org