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Overview of Qualifications and Curriculum at Bromsgrove School

Bromsgrove is a large co-education Boarding and Day School situated in North Worcestershire. With a slightly below average ability intake compared to other independent schools in Year 9, we have around 230 Year 13 leavers each year – the vast majority going on to start undergraduate studies.

Our 2019 leavers will have tended to take 10 or 11 GCSEs, although we have a small group of students who join in Year 11 to complete a narrow programme of GCSE subjects in preparation for Sixth Form entry.

In the Sixth Form, we offer the IB, A Levels and BTECs in Sport and Business. Our 40 or so IB students, many of whom gain the bilingual diploma, tend to average around 38 points. Historically a fifth of A Level entries gain an A*, a fraction under a half gain at least an A and around 75% score A*/B. A small cohort focus their Sixth Form studies on BTEC Sport tending to aim to achieve a two-A Level equivalent Diploma. Our A level students tend to take three subjects together with the EPQ, with Year 12 AS modules only being sat in mathematics. Our BTEC students usually take the course in combination with one other A Level.

Two-thirds of the total cohort tend to move on to Russell Group universities, often applying for relatively traditional subjects.

The School uses Alis data at the start of Year 12 to provide an initial baseline of students' underlying academic ability, whilst regular departmental assessments and Year 12 Summer internal exams are used to inform final result predictions.

Chairman of Governors: Mr Paul West

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