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**LONDON'S
FIRST
CHOICE
COLLEGE**

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WELCOME FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Over the past three years BSix has shown itself to be one of the fastest improving colleges in the country. It has received more external praise than ever before for its attractive curriculum, extensive enrichment programme and comprehensive pastoral support and has just been confirmed as a good provider by Ofsted. The quality of education, leadership and management, personal development of students, safeguarding arrangements and provision for those with high needs have all been given inspectors' seal of approval.

BSix has done this without becoming part of any trust or formal association of colleges. It controls its own affairs – small enough to respond quickly to the interests and concerns of students whilst big enough to offer a wide range of courses. We are ambitious to build upon the huge progress we have made and hope you will want to be part of our drive to become an ever more stimulating and enjoyable place to study and work.

If that is the case, please submit an application. You will then be invited for an interview to discuss your planned future direction, meet some staff and students and see the college and its facilities for yourself. We are confident that your needs will be well catered for and that you will go on to achieve many successful outcomes.

With best wishes.

Kevin Watson
Principal



WHY BSIX?

Ofsted

We are rated as a *Good Provider* by Ofsted (2021)



Results

100% pass rates in all A-level subjects for the last three years

Value Added

Our A-Level ALPS T-Score is *Excellent*, which means our students perform within the top **25%** nationally

Destinations

We have increased the number of students securing places at *Russell Group Universities* by **9%** (up 3% from 2020)



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of BSix is to develop in its students, and to demonstrate through its staff, the characteristic of being always "open to learning".

It seeks to achieve this by means of a carefully tailored and suitably challenging individual programme, underpinned by consistently strong teaching, comprehensive support services and a wide range of enrichment opportunities, set within a safe and inclusive learning environment.

THE EXPERT STAFF MEMBER...THE EXPERT STUDENT

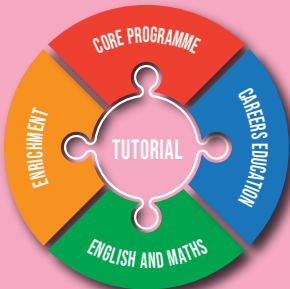


Promotion of an openness to learning is at the heart of the college ethos and is a key factor in students acquiring the qualifications, and developing the skills and personal qualities, essential for their continuing success.

STUDY PROGRAMME

All students are enrolled onto an individually tailored Study Programme. The aim of the Study Programme is to equip you with the necessary skills to progress onto a further course of study, a university degree, an apprenticeship and ultimately into employment.

Your Study Programme will consist of:



ENTRY CRITERIA

Our entry criteria will help you choose the right level and type of qualification for you:

LEVEL	DURATION	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	PROGRESSION
ESOL and Entry Level	1 Year	No formal entry requirements required	Higher-level course having acquired sufficient skills in English and Maths
LEVEL 1	1 Year	Grade 2 profile at GCSE	Level 2 Study
LEVEL 2 VOCATIONAL	1 Year	Four GCSEs at grade 3 including English or Maths	Level 3 Study
GCSE PACKAGE	1 Year	Five GCSEs at grade 3 including English and Maths	Level 3 Study
LEVEL 3 VOCATIONAL*	2 Years	Five GCSEs at grade 4 including English and Maths	University, employment or an apprenticeship
A-LEVELS*	2 Years	Five GCSEs at grade 4 including English and Maths	University, employment or an apprenticeship

* Certain A-level and Vocational Level 3 subjects require specific grades at GCSE, which are listed on the college website: www.bsix.ac.uk/subjects

COURSE LIST

A-Levels

Art & Design
 Business Studies
 Biology
 Chemistry
 Criminology
 Computer Science
 Economics
 English Language & Literature
 English Literature
 Environmental Science
 Extended Project Qualification
 Film Studies
 Further Mathematics
 History
 Law (Applied)
 Mathematics
 Media Studies
 Modern Foreign Languages*
 Photography
 Physics
 Politics
 Psychology
 Religious Studies
 Sociology

Vocational Courses at Levels 1, 2 & 3

Art & Design (*UAL*)
 Business (*BTEC*)
 Childcare (*CACHE*)
 Creative Media (*UAL*)
 Health and Social Care (*CACHE*)
 Information Technology (*BTEC*)
 Music Performance and Production (*UAL*)
 Science (*BTEC*)
 Sport (*BTEC*)

Foundation Learning

ESOL
 Project Search – Supported Internship

*Taken as an additional entry

STUDY PROGRAMME AWARD



In achieving the study programme award, our students receive an adjusted offer for all undergraduate degree programmes at the **University of Sussex**



US
UNIVERSITY
OF SUSSEX



TAWHI KETE-DUGAN
SILVER AWARD



BUKETINA HUSSEIN
SILVER AWARD



JOVANA TESLA
GOLD AWARD



ERIKA KIHILA
GOLD AWARD



DENALI CHIRBA
GOLD AWARD



KENYA MWANGI
SILVER AWARD



JAY'S DEUM
SILVER AWARD

BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY

Related Courses:

A-levels:

Business
Computer Science
Economics
Further Maths
Politics
Law
Maths

Vocational:

Business
IT

"Students recognise that staff go out of their way to help them to be successful."

Ofsted, 2021

FACTS

10% of all UK job vacancies are now tech jobs
The digital tech economy employs 2.98m people
The average tech salary is £53,518
2020 investment levels in UK tech exceeded record levels achieved in 2019 (\$15bn+)

CAREERS

A-Level combination ideas and Level 3 course suggestions to inspire your future career:

ECONOMIST - £52,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Economics Maths Law

Or Level 3 Business

SYSTEMS ANALYST - £53,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Computer Science Maths Physics

Or Level 3 Information Technology

IT CONSULTANT - £67,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Business Studies Computer Science Maths

Or Level 3 Information Technology

BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY ALUMNI



Kenza Borja

Business School Graduate
City and London College
City Programme of Study
BSc Computer Information Systems in
Information Technology
Achieved
D* D* D*



David Bazan Tice

Business School Graduate
Business Academy
City Programme of Study
BSc Computer Information Systems
Mathematics and
Further Mathematics
Achieved
A.A.

Next Steps
King's Year



Aiste Vainelaityte

Business School Graduate
Business School
City Programme of Study
BSc Computer Information Systems
in Business

Achieved:
D* D* D*



Mehdi Ahmed

Business School Graduate
The City Academy
City Programme of Study
BSc Computer Information Systems in
Information Technology
Achieved
D* D* D*

Next Steps
Accepted at London Southbank
University
to Study Computer Science

CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

Related Courses:

A-levels:

Art and Design

English Language and Literature

Media Studies

Maths

Music Production

Photography

Vocational:

Art and Design

Creative Media

Music Performance & Production

**"STUDENTS
FEEL THAT
THE COLLEGE
IS VERY
WELCOMING
AND
FRIENDLY."**
Ofsted, 2021

FACTS

The creative industries employ **2.1m** people
Around one third of the work force are self-employed
33% of creative jobs are in London
Creative jobs contribute **£115.9bn** to the
UK economy

CAREERS

A-Level combination ideas and Level 3 course suggestions to inspire your future career:

ARCHITECT - £47,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Art
&
Design

Maths

Physics

Or Level 3 Art & Design

JOURNALIST - £23,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Photography

Media Studies

English
Language &
Literature

Or Level 3 Creative Media

GRAPHIC DESIGNER - £23,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Art
&
Design

Maths

Photography

Or Level 3 Art & Design



Joy Aitkin

Reverend School College
Barnes

BSi Programme of Study
BA (Hons) 3 Semester Diploma in
Art and Design

Art History
Barnes

Best Class
Accepted at University of the Arts
London
to Study Interior & Spatial Design



George Charway

Reverend School College
St Albans

BSi Programme of Study
BA (Hons) 3 Semester Diploma in
Music Production and Production

Art History
Barnes

Best Class
Accepted at University of
Barnes
to Study Music



Eliezer Franco Chiquete

Reverend School College
Miguelina Ward School

BSi Programme of Study
BA (Hons) 3 Semester Diploma in
Creative Media Production

Art History
Barnes

Best Class
Accepted at University of
Barnes
to Study BA Creative Media
Production



Anna Davidge

Reverend School College
East London Science School

BSi Programme of Study
BA (Hons) 3 Semester Diploma in
Art and Design

Art History
Barnes

Best Class
Accepted at Cardiff Metropolitan
University
to Study Education & Psychology

SCIENCE AND HEALTH

Related Courses:

A-levels:

Biology

Chemistry

Environmental Science

Physics

Maths

Psychology

Vocational:

Applied Science

Health and Social Care

Sports

*"Leaders & staff create a safe and positive environment in lessons and around the college."
Ofsted, 2021*

FACTS

256,100 people are employed in the UK Life Science Industry

51% are employed in the Medical Technology industry

1.3m people are employed by the National Health Service (NHS)

The sector has a £80.7bn turnover

CAREERS

A-Level combination ideas and Level 3 course suggestions to inspire your future career:

PHYSIOTHERAPIST - £32,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Biology

Maths

Psychology

Or Level 3 Sports

ASTROPHYSICIST - £48,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Physics

Maths

Further Maths

Or Level 3 Applied Science

NURSING - £34,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1 SUBJECT 2 SUBJECT 3

Biology

Chemistry

Psychology

Or Level 3 Health & Social Care



Shaim Ali

Remond School College
Overland School Academy
BSc Programme of Study
& Health in Biology, Chemistry and
Chemistry
Achieved
A A B

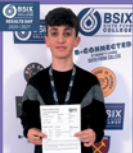
Next Steps
Accepted at Kings College
London
to Study Biomedical Sciences



Saima Alam

Remond School College
Bsc Hk
BSc Programme of Study
& Health in Chemistry, Mathematics
and Physics
Achieved
A A B

Next Steps
Accepted at University College
London
to Study Chemical Engineering



Besar Broqi

Remond School College
West London Free School
BSc Programme of Study
& Health in Chemistry, Mathematics,
Physics, Mathematics and Physics
Achieved
A A A A

Next Steps
Accepted at University College
London
to Study Chemical Engineering



Kishore Ram Rajagopalan

Remond School College
Overland
BSc Programme of Study
& Health in Mathematics, Physics
and Chemistry
Achieved
A A B

Next Steps
Accepted at University of
Birmingham
to Study Aerospace Engineering

HUMANITIES AND CULTURE

Related Courses:

A-levels:

English Language & Literature
English Literature
Film Studies
History
Criminology
Politics
Psychology
Religious Studies
Sociology

Vocational:

Childcare and Education
Business

STUDENTS VALUE THE
OPPORTUNITY
Ofsted, 2021
TO CELEBRATE DIVERSITY

FACTS

The culture industry has grown **£390million** in a year and now contributes **£10.8billion** a year to the UK economy.

The sector employs **363,700** people
34% of national parliamentarians are female

Over **250** languages are spoken in London,
making the capital the most linguistically
diverse city in the world

CAREERS

A-Level combination ideas and Level 3 course suggestions to inspire your future career:

TEACHER - £31,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1	SUBJECT 2	SUBJECT 3
Psychology	Religious Studies	English Literature

Or Level 3 Childcare & Education

POLITICAL ADVISOR - £40,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1	SUBJECT 2	SUBJECT 3
Politics	History	English Language & Literature

Or Level 3 Business

SENIOR CIVIL SERVANT - £81,000 Salary

SUBJECT 1	SUBJECT 2	SUBJECT 3
History	Sociology	Law

Or Level 3 Business



Saad Hafejee

Repton School / College
Langley College

BSi Programme of Study
& Study in Economics, Mathematics,
Psychology and EPQ

Autumn
A A A

Next Steps
Accepted at University College of
London
to Study Economics



Kristians Jermakozs

Repton School / College
Sherwood

BSi Programme of Study
& Study in History, Sociology
and Politics

Autumn
A A A

Next Steps
Accepted at University of Oxford
to Study History



Aridas Salikauskas

Repton School / College
Catherine High School

BSi Programme of Study
& Study in Economics, Politics
& English Language and Literature

Autumn
A A A

Next Steps
Accepted at Manchester University
to Study Economics and Politics



Mia Clarke

Repton School / College
Mansfield Road / Sherwood

BSi Programme of Study
& Study in French, History &
Sociology

Autumn
A A A

Next Steps
Accepted at Oxford University
to Study History

ENRICHMENT

We believe that every student should have the opportunity to pursue their talent in order to develop their personal character. Enrichment is a key part of your study programme, which will provide you with the skills and techniques to increase your confidence and wellbeing whilst at the college.

There are three categories of enrichment that you can choose:

- *Academic and Creative:*
- *Outdoor Pursuits and Volunteering:*
- *Competitive Sports and Fitness Exercise*



AWARD WINNING KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

The Knowledge is Power programme is a parallel curriculum of events, workshops and short courses to discuss some of the major issues facing society and young people today. It is a place for students to share experiences of the world, to make greater sense of those experiences, and to build on them Knowledge and Power from visiting speakers.

The 'Knowledge is Power' programme has been commended for its excellence, innovation and best practice by the Association of Colleges and is a finalist through its Beacon Awards.





SPORTS ACADEMY

BSix offers talented students the opportunity to play elite men's and women's college football competing in the ADC Sport leagues against the very best London has to offer.

The male football team selects 25 players each year who have the potential to achieve excellence while pursuing their own careers in football.

The academy offers elite coaching twice a week with Level 2 and UEFA B coaches and regular match fixtures. Members also have the opportunity to gain an introduction to first aid and safeguarding, and Level 1 & 2 Football qualifications.

As a key partner, we have strong links to West Ham United football foundation which will give opportunities for players deemed strong enough to be placed on the foundation teams.

SEE WWW.BSIX.AC.UK/ENRICHMENT FOR INFORMATION ON ALL PROGRAMMES



FOUNDATION



SUPPORT AT BSIX

FINANCE

You can apply for financial support to help with the costs of college. Priority is given to young people in care, care leavers, young people on income support and disabled young people receiving employment support allowance or disability allowance. Free meals are provided to students that meet eligibility criteria and provide evidence of household income.

TUTORING

Every student is allocated a personal tutor who will meet with you weekly to provide guidance and support. Your tutor will monitor all aspects of your study programme and will help you to set targets to ensure you are successful. Your tutor will provide your reference and help you to apply for university, further training and jobs.

LEARNING SUPPORT

Our inclusive learning support has had a major impact on students' achievements. We are committed to providing an accessible learning environment which enables all students to be included in college life. We welcome students with learning difficulties and disabilities.

SAFEGUARDING *and* WELFARE

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our students.

All students should be kept safe from harm, including any form of abuse, sexual exploitation or radicalisation.

We protect our students from extremists who advocate violence, religious hatred, or racist, sexist or homophobic views.

Our safeguarding officers also help with personal issues such as homelessness or health. If there is something an adviser cannot help you with, they will refer you to an external agency to get the practical support you need.

LGBTQ+ SUPPORT

We work hard to make sure that LGBTQ+ people feel safe, welcomed and supported by providing a safe space for students to study and work.

We promote LGBTQ+ awareness through a wide range of events and student activities.

WELLBEING SUPPORT

BSix has ground-breaking programmes to support your wellbeing



Querencia

An innovative enrichment programme exclusive to BSix taking a proactive approach to wellbeing and mental health. This unique programme examines student self-worth and empowers them to become the very best version of themselves.

Counselling

We have a CAMHS clinician and a college counsellor for students who need support or have feelings that they either find hard to cope with or just want to understand better.

BSix Running Club

We know that physical fitness is integral in keeping a healthy mindset. Have some fun and understand better how your mind and body communicate with one another.

No Wrong Door

We believe that early intervention is key to successful learning. No Wrong Door is our referral system for tips and mechanisms to keep a healthy mindset to overcome stress and anxiety.

Wellbeing Ambassadors

Our students are champions of mental health and wellbeing and, as such, they work with you to develop your confidence and to help you settle into the college.

The college has a rich online resource page for you to access both internal and external support.

Please visit www.bsix.ac.uk/wellbeing/ for more information.

IT'S OK TO NOT BE OK
B-MINDFUL

GIVE

**KEEP
LEARNING**

**TAKE
NOTICE**

**BE
ACTIVE**

CONNECT



COLLEGE FACILITIES


Eat, Drink, Learn and Stay Healthy



The Learning Resource Centre

The **Learning Resource Centre (LRC)** is at the heart of learning for students, helping students to fulfil their potential and access the knowledge and resources they need. Staff are always available to help with referencing, Athens databases and finding appropriate resources.


You can book a 1:1 session with an LRC assistant to focus in depth on any of these areas. Wi-Fi is available throughout the LRC, along with a range of computers and study areas.



The Cafeteria and Herring Suite

Places to Eat, Chill and Socialise

You will find refectories in the main **Cafeteria** and the **Herring Suite**. Both outlets provide a fantastic variety of food and drink at value for money. Should you have any dietary requirements, please speak to a member of the catering team who will be happy to help. Vending machines are also available throughout our campus, offering a range of drinks, snacks and confectionery.



The Gym and MUGA

Keep Fit & Healthy

The College strongly encourages all students to keep physically and mentally healthy. You will have full access to the college gym and can participate in a variety of non-competitive sports that take place daily in our multi use games area. Timetables of sports games will be published during the enrichment and freshers' fair. You can speak to our friendly sports coordinators for further information on gym induction, female only sessions and different competitive and non-competitive sports by emailing Steven Marshall smarshall@bsix.ac.uk

How to Apply

GET STARTED WITH YOUR APPLICATION



Note – if you have any additional support needs, please make sure you tell us on your application form so that we can ensure you receive appropriate support.

Need help?

Our advice and guidance team are here to help with your application.

Phone **0203 137 5320** or email **info@bsix.ac.uk**

CONTACT US

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Email us: info@bsix.ac.uk

For all other enquiries please call: 0203 137 5320

How to find us:

Local bus routes: 38, 48, 55, 56, 106, 253, 254, 393, 425, 488

Nearest Underground Stations:

Clapton, Hackney Downs and Rectory Road (5 minutes away)

Hackney Central (10 minutes away)

Dalston Junction and Dalston Kingsland Underground station is a bus ride away
(488 or 56 bus takes 10-15 minutes)



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Keep up to date and join in with all the current events, happenings and student work at BSix across all of our social media platforms:



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INSTAGRAM: @bsixcollege



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FACEBOOK: facebook.com/BSixCollege



TIKTOK: @b6college



YOUTUBE: BSix Sixth Form College

**"BSIX COLLEGE IS
AN ASSET TO THE
COMMUNITY"**

**Further Education Commissioner
2021**

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