



QES Sixth Form

Our aim:

to develop young people who are independently minded, critical thinkers who will leave QES with the ability to use both their intellect and their compassion in making decisions in the wider world.

Every Sixth Former at QES has:

- access to a 'Values Led' Education in and beyond the classroom
- an individual timetable of academic subjects
- a comprehensive Personal Development programme including:
 - advice and support with access to Higher Education, Gap Years, Apprenticeships and the world of work
 - information, advice and guidance for staying safe and healthy and developing a strong sense of self worth and well-being
- a comprehensive assembly and form tutoring programme
- the opportunity to participate in and lead extra-curricular activities
- the opportunity to develop leadership skills
- the opportunity to extend your curriculum with independent study through the Extended Project Qualification
- the opportunity to support the community with voluntary work
- the opportunity to participate in work experience (both as part of a weekly timetable and during work experience week in July)

*The A level diet - The majority of students take a **minimum** of 3 subjects at A Level. These are two year linear A Level courses with final assessment in Year 13. Some students will also like to take a fourth A Level, or an AS in Further Maths or Core Maths in addition to the 3 main subjects.*



Sixth Form Contract

QES School Values

These are the school values which QES believe all students should adopt during their time here. These values along with the aim to provide care, consideration and commitment to all students, help to shape and mould a happy and prosperous working relationship between all members of the QES community.

The core values are:

- Respecting traditions & the past
- Working hard and doing your best
- Being decent to people
- Being friendly, polite and courteous
- Looking out for other people
- Getting involved
- Respecting the environment
- Thinking of others less fortunate
- Encouraging global citizenship
- Understanding life is about more than money or material things

A successful learner at QES

We believe a successful learner is one who:

- has an awareness of the ways in which they learn
- can respond positively to feedback
- has a wide repertoire of learning skills
- can learn alone or with others
- can listen
- can concentrate for a long time
- can use time effectively
- is creative
- enjoys and values learning
- is at ease with doubt
- has appropriate personal goals
- can transfer and build on previous learning

They have the following personal qualities:

- a sense of self-worth and emotional well-being
- open-mindedness
- a willingness to take risks
- a sense of their place in the world
- curiosity
- a desire to question and challenge
- perseverance and a willingness to practise
- a regard for the learning of others

I recognise and support the **QES values** and my position as a role model in the school community. As a member of the Sixth Form at QES, I will take every step to become a successful learner.

Signed: