

13th January 2021

Dear Student,

Applications to Post 16 at Brookvale Groby

Our deadline for applications to study at BGLC in Post 16 has been extended to 15th January 2021. We would like to start our interview process at the beginning of February as we are keen to meet you all and find out more about you. We would like to receive your applications through the PS16 online application system as close to our deadline date as possible. If you need any help with your application then please speak to your tutor.

On receipt of your application we will acknowledge it with you through PS16. If you have already submitted it, you should have received an acknowledgement. Our next step will be to arrange an online interview with you through Google Meet if possible. The purpose of the interview is to ensure that you are happy with your subject choices and to check how they fit with your career/university aspirations. If changes need to be made, we will do this for you.

Students will be given a conditional offer, which is an offer of a place subject to their GCSE grades meeting our entry requirements. It is not uncommon for students to change their subjects again after GCSE results if they are not as expected, but at that stage any changes would be dependent upon class sizes.

Students who have an offer of a place will be invited to our online Taster Day in June. We would prefer to hold this in person, but it went well last year and is another opportunity for students to ask questions to determine if they are happy with their choice of subjects.

This year we don't yet know how students' GCSE grades will be assessed, but as last year, we know that they will be. It isn't ideal and we hope that it is less fraught than it was last year for everyone. I would encourage you to keep working as we don't yet know when the cut off date will be for work to be assessed by teachers and if you want to continue to A Level then a good knowledge of the GCSE syllabus will be essential.

Once GCSE results are known, students will be invited to accept their offer of a place with us if they have met the entry requirements. This is likely to be online, rather than in person. More details of this process will be issued to you in the summer term.

If you are struggling to submit your application please don't worry, but do keep in touch and let us know. You can reach the Post 16 team by email on post16@brookvalegroby.com.

Kind Regards



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cc parent/carer