



The Weald Community School

SIXTH FORM OPEN EVENING

# The Weald Community School & Sixth Form

W E L C O M E T O O U R  
O P E N E V E N I N G

# Head Teacher's Welcome

## OPPORTUNITY

Challenge & support  
High expectations & empathy  
Rigour & optimism

## COMMUNITY

Mutual respect  
Working together  
All stakeholders engaged

# About Us



The Weald Sixth Form is a fantastic place to begin your journey into further education.

It gives the perfect balance between fun activities to participate in and an incredible standard of teaching to set you up for life.

Regardless of which course you intend to study you can be sure of an experience that will mean you are equipped with a great range of skills, well informed and enthused.



**Graham Cook**  
Head of Sixth Form



**Amanda Ridley and  
Ashleigh White**  
Sixth Form Administrators



**Denise Tandy**  
Sixth Form Progress Coach



**Heidi Tucker**  
Sixth Form Manager (full time)



**Karen Goodwin**  
Sixth Form Manager (part time)



community school  
and sixth form

# The Sixth Form Staff

Our team of Sixth Form Tutors, Sixth Form Managers and a Progress Coach, provides support, guidance and help for every student.

Students see their Form Tutors regularly, in small groups or on a one-to-one basis, so they are very well placed to help with any academic or pastoral concerns or queries.

They also provide individual support for students in making decisions for their next steps after Sixth Form.



# Why Choose Us?

- Every student is unique
- A college within a school
- A wide range of support for every student
- Small class sizes - average around 10
- High quality lessons from subject specialists

# Facilities

- The Sixth Form Centre
- G Block Rooms
- Silent Study
- LRC
- Free Rooms
- Sixth Form Car Park
- Astro Turf
- Music Practice Rooms
- Raised Stage
- Gym Next Door



# Events



- Silver Duke of Edinburgh
- Sixth Form Spectacular
- Enrichment days
- Work Experience Week
- Dress Up days
- And many more!

# Community

As a Sixth Form we are community focussed and this extends beyond our Sixth Form and into the wider school, the local area, and the world through charity.

Tonight there is a bake sale for Classrooms for Kenya on the Plaza. There will also be a musical performance raising money for The Malala Fund UK.

**Classrooms**  
for *Kenya* 



**MALALA**  
FUND

# Life In the Sixth Form

- Sixth form study spaces
- Study periods
- Home study
- Wide variety of course options (including level 2, BTECs)
- Support with applications
- Sixth Form canteen and vending machine
- Sixth Form Picnics



# Courses

- Biology
- Business
- Ceramics
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Design and Technology
- Drama and Theatre
- Economics
- English Language
- English Literature
- Film Studies
- Fine Art
- French

- Further Mathematics
- Geography
- German
- History
- Mathematics
- Media Studies
- Music
- Photography
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Psychology
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Textiles

# Other

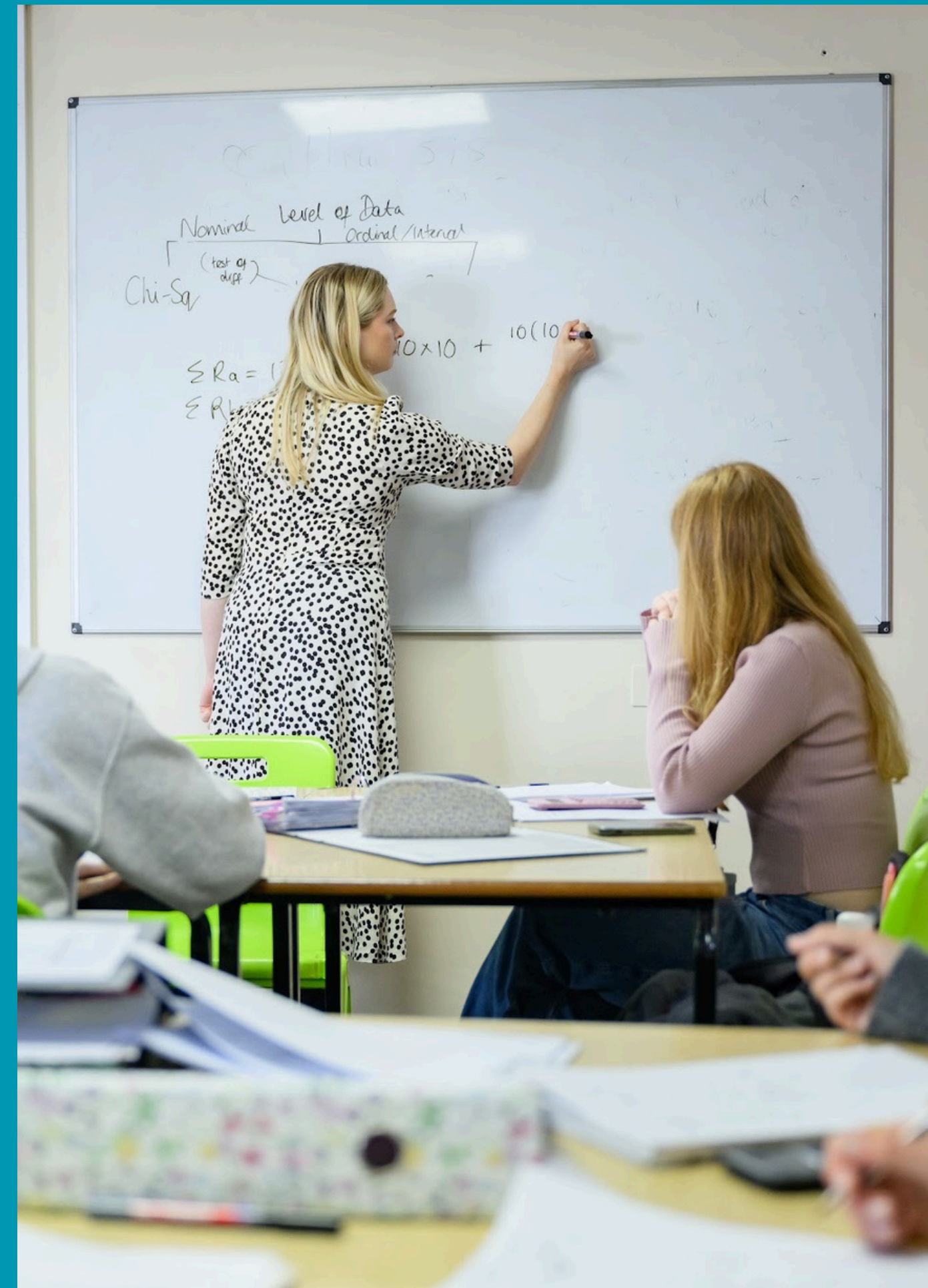
- Criminology
- Health and Social Care
- Medical Science
- Music Technology
- Sport
- Travel and Tourism
- **Core Maths**
- **EPQ**
- **Use of English**
- Level 2 Business
- English Retake GCSE
- Maths Retake GCSE

# Taster Days

Weald students in Year 11 will have the opportunity to experience life in the Sixth Form on a Sixth Form Taster day.

Students who wish to join us from other schools will be invited in to experience life in the Sixth Form once they have completed their GCSEs.

They will meet students, teachers and tutors and have the opportunity to go to Sixth Form lessons.



# Trips

- Classrooms for Kenya Trip
- Naples
- Cern - Hadron Collider
- Hampton Court
- Museum Trips
- Etc



# Transport



10 minutes on the train from  
Horsham

Sixth Form Car Park (free)

Bus service from Horsham and  
Crawley

School Buses still run for Sixth  
Formers

# Supercurricular

- Develops additional skills
- Supports students in making a positive contribution to their local community
- Can include Peer Mentoring, support in lower school lessons, reading in a local primary school, Radio Weald and many more
- Open University courses
- A BSL course
- Supporting staff with after school activities
- Looks good on your CV!



# Support

Our teachers are subject specialists, they are always there to help you in your studies. Our academic support consists of progress coaching.

We have dedicated pastoral leads from counsellors, the sixth form staff and your form tutors and teachers.

Form Tutors are there to help you in every aspect of sixth form and are free for drop in sessions or your form time 1-2 times a week.



The logo for Unifrog, featuring the word "unifrog" in a lowercase, rounded, green font.

# Further Education

The Weald Sixth Form offers careers advice from our Careers Coordinator Mrs Goodlad.

The logo for UCAS, with the letters "UCAS" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The letter "A" is stylized with a red triangle pointing upwards.

Unifrog is a large part of finding out post-18 education whether that be University, Apprenticeships or Degree-Apprenticeships

The logo for Apprenticeships, featuring a stylized purple and blue fan-like graphic on the left and the word "Apprenticeships" in a bold, black, sans-serif font on the right.

The Sixth Form are partnered with local universities. This enables us to go to open days and careers fairs.

# Results

Our school celebrates the hard work, unique personal journeys, and immense perseverance of every single student.

Last year over a third of results were A/A\*, significantly beating the national average.



# Joining Us

## **September - October 2026:**

Our staff visit local schools and meet their students

## **October 22<sup>nd</sup> 2026:**

Sixth Form Open Evening

## **November 2026 - March 2027:**

Sixth Form interveiws are held either site or at local schools

## **December 18<sup>th</sup> 2026:**

Deadline for Applications

## **March - June 2027:**

Taster Days for internal and external students

## **Early September 2027:**

Registration and Enrolment





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**Thank you for  
listening!**

**WE HOPE YOU  
CONSIDER US!**