# Brief history of our college

Ernest Bevin College has come a long way since September 1926 when the original school, Bec opened to 129 boys in five forms with a staff of seven. Bec School was an all boys school serving the local community.

Hillcroft School was built on an adjoining site and opened in September 1960 as an all boys comprehensive school. The two schools were totally separate institutions until 1971 when they amalgamated as Bec-Hillcroft.

In September 1971 the new amalgamated comprehensive school was named Ernest Bevin, and combined the Bec school building and the Hillcroft school building, a new single story building facing Beechcroft Road was built soon afterwards to join the two buildings as one school.

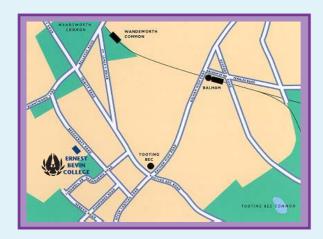
The original Bec building was demolished as part of the college refurbishment in 1996.

Students and staff moved into the newly designed Ernest Bevin School building in 1996.

The name Ernest Bevin College was launched in June 1997.

In 1999 the college became a specialist college for sport and was redesignated in 2004. In addition we also became a specialist college in Mathematics and Computing.

During 2005 a major new development took place. The building of our new Sports and Sixth Form Centre. The complex opened in September 2007.



The college is situated a short walk from Tooting Bec underground, Wandsworth Common and Balham main line stations. Numerous bus routes serve the local area.

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Thank you for enquiring with regards to a job vacancy at Ernest Bevin College.

Please view information about the college, details of the post and an application form.

We value your interest

"Ernest Bevin College provides an OUTSTANDING education" Ofsted - October 2011





We trust that the information provided will help you decide if an application is appropriate for you. Our aim is to appoint a candidate who will contribute fully and feel valued in our team of professional teaching and non-teaching staff. If you would like to visit the college please contact us on 020 8672 8582. You can also visit our web site - www.ernestbevin.org.uk

The college benefits from working with pupils with a wide range of abilities and talents, is richly multi-cultural and is oversubscribed. The co-educational sixth form offers students a wide range of 'A', 'AS' level and GNVQ courses.

Over the last few years the college has been recognised by many national awards. Our current awards are - Sport England Sportsmark, Education Business Alliance, Healthy Schools and Investor in People. In September 2007 we opened our new £7 million Sixth Form Centre and Sports complex.

We look forward to hearing from you.

















## **Our Recent Achievements**

- ♦ We were judged to be Outstanding by Ofsted in October 2011
- ♦ 92% of pupils achieving 5 or more grade
   A\* C at GCSE in 2011
- ♦ 68% of pupils obtained 5+ GCSE A\*-C grades including English & Maths
- ♦ top performing school in Wandsworth for 5+ A\*- C grade GCSE results in 2008 and 2009
- ♦ outstanding exam results top 4% of schools in the country for value added
- ♦ sixth most improved school in the country in 2009
- ♦ 60 selected places available to pupils from any borough
- ♦ over 80% of Year 11 students return to our Sixth Form
- ♦ Average 'A' Level points score of 260 in 2010
- over 100 students registered with the National Academy of Gifted and Talented Youth
- ♦ Basic Skills Quality Mark awarded
- ♦ Training Camp for 2012 Olympics
- ♦ School Achievement Award received for academic progress
- ♦ National Healthy Schools Status awarded
- ♦ Under 15 National Champions in Volleyball
- ♦ Leading Edge Status awarded
- ♦ Harlequins Rugby Academy
- ◆ Tooting & Mitcham Football Academy
- ◆ TTK Greenhouse Judo, Volleyball and Table Tennis base
- ♦ large co-educational Sixth Form
- ♦ £6.5 million sports / sixthform facilities



# **Our Recent Examination Results**

KS4 results showing % of Ernest Bevin students gaining 5 or more GCSEs grade A\*-C

2011	=	92%
2010	=	86%
2009	=	84%
2008	=	83%
2007	=	61%

5 or more GCSEs grade A\*-C including Maths and English

2011	=	68%
2010	=	57%
2009	=	60%
2008	=	52%
2007	=	38%

KS5 results showing % of Ernest Bevin students achieving GCE 'A' Level grades A-C

2011	=	72%
2010	=	67%
2009	=	61%
2008	=	61%
2007	=	44%

'A' Level Average points score

2011	=	280
2010	=	260
2009	=	260
2008	=	260
2007	=	207



# **Ernest Bevin College**

"provides an OUTSTANDING quality of education"

Ernest Bevin College was inspected

by Ofsted in October 2011

We were judged to be OUTSTANDING

Here are some of the highlights from the report:



# On Leadership:

"The inspirational leadership provided by the co-Principals has instilled self belief and high aspirations in both students and staff. The Principals and senior team have successfully communicated a passion for learning and achievement that permeates the college."

#### On Teaching:

"The good teaching, extremely well tailored curriculum and highly personalised care for individual students have combined to produce the college's best ever GCSE results. In the best lessons teachers use their strong subject knowledge as a foundation for clear explanations and instructions."

#### On Attainment:

"Levels of attainment are high in key areas, such as English and mathematics, and rising across the board."

#### On Students:

"Ernest Bevin students are interested, enthusiastic learners. They engage wholeheartedly with the challenging targets they are set. Their good behaviour and their high attendance levels indicate how much they enjoy being at the college."

## On Curriculum:

"The outstanding college curriculum is constantly adapted to meet the needs of all students. A wide range of tailored opportunities enables students with different interests and abilities to achieve success."

#### On Pastoral Care:

"Students are exceptionally well cared for and guided in their routes through college. This enables them to make the best of the extensive range of opportunities on offer."

#### On Sport:

"The sports specialism makes an outstanding contribution to every aspect of the college, greatly enhancing the curriculum and promoting an extremely well developed understanding of health and fitness among the boys."

#### **On Extra-Curricular Activities:**

"After college activities are extensive and well attended."

#### **On Community:**

"The college community is diverse, cohesive and harmonious."

#### On Staff:

"Staffing is stable and there is deep loyalty to the college, based on trust and a shared desire for success. There is no complacency."

#### On the Sixth Form:

"Teaching in the sixth form is consistently good or better. The energetic and determined leadership of the sixth form is driving its rapid development. Progress by the end of Year 13 is excellent and attainment, including at the highest grades, is rising as a result."

### On the Future:

"College leaders evaluate this success unstintingly and plan effectively for each new phase of development, such that the capacity for sustained improvement is outstanding."

