

**ERNEST BEVIN
COLLEGE**

**We ❤️
EBC**

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Welcome from the Principal

Welcome to Ernest Bevin College – I hope this prospectus will give you some sense of the school's vitality, values and of the many achievements of our students.

At Ernest Bevin College we are committed to ensuring that every student, not only achieves their potential, but aspires to go beyond it through academic, creative, vocational and sporting endeavours.

With high expectations and aspirations for our students, we aim to help them thrive at school and beyond. Our students consistently achieve examination results at GCSE and A Level that are higher than the national attainment levels for boys.

The majority of students progress to our sixth form and many (over 100 each year) secure places at university, including prestigious Russell Group institutions.

We deliver an ambitious and creative curriculum designed to develop a love of learning and an intellectual curiosity amongst our students.

We aim to ensure that our students graduate from EBC with excellent qualifications, but also with the life skills and wealth of experience to ensure their success in further education, training or a career path of their choosing.

However, at EBC success is built not solely on academic success. We value the individual, as well as the community as a whole, and we strive for a welcoming and inclusive environment, helping our students to grow into compassionate and conscientious global citizens.

We look forward to your son joining us and becoming part of the family of Ernest Bevin College.

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Principal



A warm and inclusive start

At Ernest Bevin College we are immensely proud of every student. Your son will be treated with respect as an individual, whose academic and emotional needs we will aspire to meet.

The pastoral care in the college is second to none, and your family will be embraced as part of the Family of Bevin. As well as supporting your son through our mentor system, we will make sure that you feel part of our school community through regular communication and invitations to get involved in specific aspects of Ernest Bevin life.

Ours is an inclusive school and we support every boy to reach their potential, no matter his background or any personal or learning challenges he may face.



Your son's views will be represented in our leadership team decision-making through our Student Voice system. He will have a pair of Year Group representatives who meet with the Principal on a regular basis. The representatives discuss important aspects of school life raised by students and help shape the future direction of the college for the benefit of everyone.

We continually review our curriculum to make sure that the diversity of our students' backgrounds is represented in all areas of academic learning and pastoral support. We strive to ensure that your son will recognise himself within his learning, and has a clear sense of his individual identity. All subjects seize every opportunity to reflect the history and diversity of different cultures and faiths.

Ernest Bevin students have gone on to do great things in all sectors of industry. Some of the most high-profile include Mayor of London Sadiq Khan, Presenter of the Gadget Show Otis Deley and CEO of Pret a Manger Pano Christou. We regularly invite our past students in to talk to current students. We want your son to be confident and knowledgeable about the many different careers that an Ernest Bevin education can open up for him.

'Before I joined, I chatted to the teachers and got to know the school. Schools are complicated places but that's what makes them interesting – there's lots of new things to try.'

Ibrahim

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A broad and balanced curriculum

For many years Ernest Bevin College has been rated Outstanding by Ofsted, with a special focus on STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) subjects.

Ernest Bevin parents value our broad and balanced curriculum as it gives their sons the opportunity to gain knowledge across a full range of subjects.

Your son will start his secondary education with an engaging timetable of practical, academic, sporting and creative subjects. The vast majority of students study a modern foreign language, and we hope your son will choose to do the same.

Teaching and learning is thoughtfully planned so that in each subject your son will benefit from a stimulating and rigorous mix of formal lessons, practical activities, visits and school trips, supported by relevant online and other resources.



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At Key Stage 4 in addition to the core subjects of Maths, Science, English, Modern Languages and Humanities, students can choose from a broad range of subjects according to their interests.

Our specialist facilities include a swimming pool, six Design Technology rooms including a state of the art engineering room, three Art rooms and six IT suites.

Our strong relationships with local universities mean we can offer a range of opportunities for your son to pursue careers-linked programmes in Key Stage 4 within his timetable.

Our students are amongst the top 40 per cent of high achieving students nationally across a range of areas, with performance being particularly strong in the STEAM subjects. While our last Ofsted in 2018 changed our grading from outstanding, a huge amount of work has already gone into making sure Ernest Bevin is graded outstanding again.

'If you're into science and technology – this is a great place for you – there's a 3D printer, wood-cutting machines and specially designed science labs with loads of equipment.'

Nick

An exciting extra-curricular programme

Whatever your son's extra-curricular interests, we're confident he'll find something to inspire him at Ernest Bevin.

The college has a track record of sporting success at local, regional and national level, with particular strengths in table tennis, judo, volleyball and cricket.

There is specialist coaching in many sports, supported by excellent facilities which include a 25m swimming pool, a dojo for martial arts and a fitness suite.

Ernest Bevin is one of only a handful of schools to offer a Royal Marines detachment of the Combined Cadet Force (CCF). Getting involved in CCF provides opportunities for your son to develop leadership and teamwork skills, as well as providing insights into a possible future career.

Students have the opportunity to work towards their Duke of Edinburgh Awards, starting with Bronze and then progressing to Silver and Gold in Sixth Form.

'It's quite a big school, but it feels close-knit – you get to know people in other year groups through the clubs and sports.'

Zach

For students interested in developing their STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) skills further, we have a range of after school and lunchtime clubs offering opportunities to experiment, collaborate and create ideas and projects.

These opportunities include the Science Stars programme offered by St George's University for those interested in a medical career, and our year-long science and engineering Saturday Club in partnership with Kingston University.

Our Department Heads actively invite suggestions for new extra-curricular clubs. If boys have a particular interest, and there are others in school who share their passion, then we will do everything we can to create an opportunity for them to pursue it.



'I'm in the cricket team – whatever sports you like to do – tennis, swimming, judo – you can do here.'

Yusuf



A thriving Sixth Form for boys and girls

At the end of Year 11, the majority of our students choose to join the large and popular Ernest Bevin College Sixth Form.



Through personalised careers guidance in Years 10 and 11 we will support your son to understand all the opportunities that exist, including our own high-performing Sixth Form.

Currently around three quarters of our Year 11s stay with us for Years 12 and 13 and study A Levels and BTECs in our co-educational Sixth Form centre.

From there the majority go on to Higher Education, or embark on apprenticeships with top companies, including Transport for London (TFL), British Army, The Mace Group, IBM and Skanska AB.

Over 100 Sixth Form students go to university each year, many of whom gained places at the country's most prestigious Russell Group institutions.

'I started here in Year 7 and have stayed on for the Sixth Form – knowing and liking your teachers makes a big difference to doing well.'

Michael



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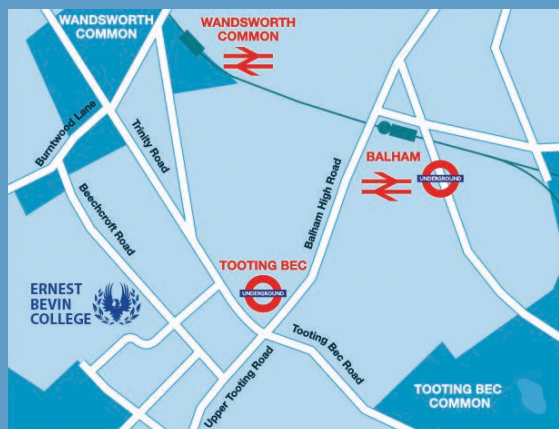
'In Ernest Bevin College the support we get is like our own family. As a family there are no limits to what we can achieve.'

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We offer personal tours at any time to suit your family. Please get in contact to arrange yours.



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