

Sixth Form Prospectus

2020-2021



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Message from the Head

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Dear Student,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to our brand new Sixth Form prospectus. As can be seen within these pages NCC 6th offers a select and high quality package of courses designed and chosen to either enable your education to continue in a university setting or within the world of work.

All subjects on offer within this booklet are taught by talented, committed and experienced teachers who have first class track records in ensuring that all students fulfil their potential. In addition, the pastoral support within the college is second to none. Whether you are completing a UCAS registration, applying for an apprenticeship, searching for work or struggling, as we all sometimes do with the complexities of modern life you will find guidance and encouragement from the staff of NCC.

For many students joining NCC's Sixth Form in September 2020 the school will be well known to you. There will be universal acknowledgment of the quality of the teaching, the excellent behaviour, good humour and assistance given to all. It is worth adding that, at this time of world anxiety and uncertainty, there is benefit in staying close to home and continuing with what works! To those young men and women who have previously not studied at NCC, rest assured that your ambitions will be provided with a firm foundation during your years with us.

My advice to you all is to explore as many Sixth Form options as possible. Read about the courses and visit the colleges themselves. Talk to staff and students. Form your own judgments and make decisions after careful consideration. If, however, you want a college with a carefully crafted curriculum offer, in a warm, caring, creative, innovative and successful environment, then NCC 6th is the one for you.

Yours,

D.P. Coyle
Headteacher



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At NCC 6th, we always aim to be creative and innovative. We have a track record of being successful, especially in the delivery of our Professional and Technical qualifications. The concepts of creativity and innovation form the heart of NCC 6th. These concepts provide our students with the foundations for success in further and higher education, and in employment.

Creative: As a student at NCC 6th you are encouraged to embrace your creativity. A creative approach to thinking and learning is essential in industries such as the Arts, Science and Technology. NCC 6th provides you with opportunities to express and develop your creativity, including student participation in Brent Borough of Culture 2020.

Innovative: As job roles have become more competitive, it has become increasingly important to have first-hand industry experience. At NCC 6th, we acknowledge the importance of building excellent industry links. Over the years, we have built strong connections with successful employers and universities. These connections mean that we are able to provide you with practitioner workshops and lectures, as well as opportunities for work experience in a chosen industry. At NCC 6th, we encourage you to make use of these industry links through our Work-Ready and Enrichment programmes.

Successful: We are proud that the young men and women who study with us go onto employment in competitive industries and attend top universities. Our students progress into a range of professions in areas such as Law, Business, Finance, Economics, Health Care and the Arts. In recent years our students have continued their education at a range of universities, including The University of London, Middlesex, Roehampton, The University of Nottingham and Southampton Solent.

I do hope that you will choose to study at NCC 6th. We can provide you with the tools you need for success. You can apply online at <https://tinyurl.com/NCC6thApplication> or by completing the application for at the end of this prospectus.

Yours sincerely,

Z.L. Jalil
Head of Sixth Form



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About Us

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At NCC 6th we are proud to be a vibrant, diverse and successful community that consists of 110 young men and women who chose to continue their studies with our range of Academic, Professional and Technical qualifications.

We offer Level 2 and Level 3 qualifications that develop the knowledge, understanding and skills required for future employment, Higher Education and career success. We offer every student a personalised, bespoke pathway that is tailored to individual needs and is designed to provide a stimulating and balanced education, whilst emphasising professionalism, successful citizenship and the development of technical skills.

We are proud to be a member of the South Brent Consortium Sixth Form (SBC6), which partners Newman Catholic College with: The Convent of Jesus and Mary, Crest Academy and Capital City Academy. This provides you with an opportunity to study a wider range of qualifications across multiple institutions.

Brent has been named London Borough of Culture 2020 and it is our melting pot of cultures that provides you with a unique learning environment to enhance and enrich your studies. We are a School of Sanctuary and a Refugee Welcome School, who celebrates diversity and individuality with unity, love and respect for one another following the teachings of the Gospels.



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Advanced Pathway Courses

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At NCC 6th we specialise in Professional and Technical qualifications. You are given the option to either study a package of three courses* or to specialise in a specific area through an Extended Diploma.

We are proud to offer the following courses for September 2020:

- Art Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Applied Science Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Business Studies Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Business Studies Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Computer Science (Single Qualification)
- Core Mathematics Level 3 (Single Qualification)
- Music Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Performing Arts Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Performing Arts Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Spanish (Single Qualification)
- Sport Science Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)

*If you are choosing to study for a set of single qualifications, you may pick one of these from one of our SBC6 partner schools.



Level 2 Pathway Courses

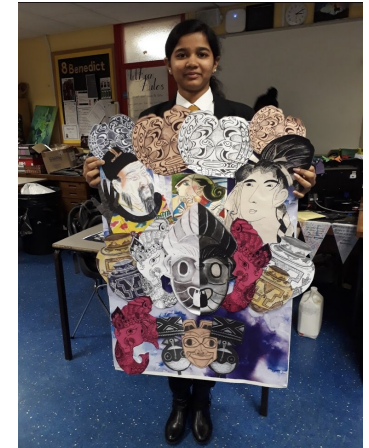
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At NCC 6th the Advanced Pathway has an entry requirement of FIVE GCSEs (or equivalent Level 2 qualifications) at Grade 4 or above. You also have the option to study for a set of Level 2 qualifications in order to prepare you for the Advanced Pathway in subsequent years.

The following courses are available for September 2020:

- Art
- Business Studies
- English Language*
- English Literature
- Design Technology
- Geography
- Mathematics *
- Music
- Performing Arts
- Religious Studies
- Science

* If you have not achieved at least a Grade 4 at GCSE in these subjects when you join NCC 6th, you are required to continue studying for these qualifications. They are available as GCSE resits for Advanced Pathway students.



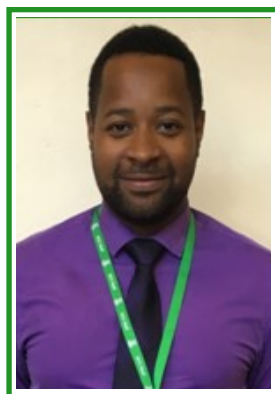
Meet The Team

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We have a dedicated Sixth Form Team that are available to support you in your academic studies and in terms of your personal wellbeing and development. To this end, the Head and Deputy Head of Sixth Form work closely with your subject and form teachers. They will also ensure that you have access to appropriate careers and education guidance, and support you through the university application process, should you wish to progress to Further or Higher Education.



Mr Jalil
Head of Sixth



Mr Albert
Deputy Head of Sixth



Mr Dunne
Deputy Head

Form Tutors: Mr Edwards, Ms Farrell, Mr McCrann, Miss. Palmer, Ms Parry, Mr Sarroukh

Subject Leads: Ms Beirne-Francis, Mr Connors, Ms Donne, Ms Farrell, Mr Finnie, Ms Foo, Mr Osborn, Mr Sarroukh, Mrs Vitamore



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Term Dates 2020-2021

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Autumn Term 2020

- Staff Day:** Wednesday 2 September 2020
- Term Starts:** Thursday 3 September 2020
- Autumn Half Term:** Monday 26 October 2020 – Friday 30 October 2020
- Staff Day:** Friday 27 November 2020
- Term Ends:** Friday 18 December 2020
- Christmas Holidays:** Monday 21 December 2020 – Friday 1 January 2021

Spring Term 2021

- Term Starts:** Tuesday 5th January 2021
- Spring Half Term:** Monday 15 February 2021 – Friday 19 February 2021
- Term Ends:** Friday 2 April 2021
- Spring Holidays:** Monday 5th April 2021 – Friday 17 April 2021

Summer Term 2021

- Term Starts:** Monday 19 April 2021
- Bank holiday:** Monday 3 May 2021
- Summer Half Term:** Monday 31 May 2021 – Friday 4 June 2021
- Term Ends :** Friday 16 July 2021



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Application

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Student name *

Student Email address *

Parent/carer name and phone number *

Student phone number *

Which course(s) are you interested in? (3 single or 1 triple) *

- Art Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Applied Science Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Business Studies Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Business Studies Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Computer Science A Level (Single Qualification)
- Core Mathematics Level 3 (Single Qualification)
- Music Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Performing Arts Extended Diploma (Triple Qualification)
- Performing Arts Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)
- Spanish A Level (Single Qualification)
- Sport Science Subsidiary Diploma (Single Qualification)

Is NCC 6th your top choice or your reserve?

- First Choice
- Reserve option

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