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Principal

## School Profile 2017 – 2018

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## SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Warwick Academy was founded in 1662 and is commonly said to be the oldest school in continuous operation in the Western Hemisphere. The school caters to students 4 – 18 years of age and has an enrollment of 830 with a teaching staff of 84. Warwick Academy is an academically selective, co-educational school, essentially organised along British lines, which seeks a diverse college bound student body.

## CURRICULUM AND STRUCTURE

Reception		Early Years Programme
Primary	Years 1 – 6	UK National Curriculum Key Stages 1 & 2
Secondary	Years 7 – 9	UK National Curriculum Key Stage 3
Secondary	Years 10 - 11	UK National Curriculum Key Stage 4 – IGCSE / GCSE external examinations
Sixth Form	Years 12 – 13	International Baccalaureate Diploma, IB Individual Subjects or BTEC

Since 1996 the school has adopted the United Kingdom National Curriculum and students write the IGCSE and GCSE examinations at the end of Year 11 (Grade 10). Students generally pursue 8 – 11 subjects to IGCSE/GCSE examination level. All take English Language, English Literature and Mathematics, a Science (Chemistry, Physics or Biology), a Foreign Language (French, Spanish) and a Humanity (Geography, History, Business Studies or Information Technology) and Global Citizenship. Additional subjects are chosen from the above list and from Art, Food & Nutrition, Design Technology (Resistant Materials), Computer Science, Graphics, Physical Education, Drama and Music. The International Baccalaureate (IB) and BTEC are examined in the Sixth Form.

## IGCSE / GCSE RESULTS

**99.6%** passes across all subjects with **87%** (3 year average) achieving 5 or more A\* - C grades including Mathematics and English – **UK Average:** 65%. On average, students sit exams in 10 I/GCSEs (we report only one result should a student sit a course with two different external examination boards).

## ENROLMENT IN THE SIXTH FORM

In the Sixth Form, Year 12 and Year 13 (US Grades 11 and 12), students are enrolled in the **IB Diploma, IB Individual Subjects** or the **BTEC** programme of study. Students graduate from WA at the completion of Year 13 (Grade 12).

**2017 – 2019** Y12 (Grade 11 / IB1) 59 students

**2016 – 2018** Y13 (Grade 12 / IB2) 49 students

## SIXTH FORM

3 Year IB Diploma pass rate: **91%** (*World pass rate 78%*) – Including a maximum score of 45 points.

3 Year IB Diploma points average: 31.3 (*World IB points average: 29*)

Individual Subjects pass rate: **100%**

BTEC pass rate: **100%**

## GRADING

- At Warwick Academy, we do not rank internally and do not calculate a GPA.
- IB students (Year 12 & 13) are assessed according to the IB criteria (Levels 1 to 7 / 1 the lowest and 7 the highest).
- We use the **EDEXCEL** and **Cambridge (CIE) I/GCSE** examination boards.
- Year 10 & 11 students are assessed using IGCSE/GCSE grades either on a 9 point letter scale or on a 1-9 & U number scale: A\* / A / B / C / D / E / F / G / U = fail **OR** 1 / 2 / 3 / 4 / 5 / 6 / 7 / 8 / 9 / U = fail
  - Grade A\* is awarded for the highest level of achievement and grade G indicates the lowest level. C is regarded as a 'good pass'. The U indicates an unclassified result (fail).
  - A grade of 1 is the lowest and 9 the highest with 4 regarded as a 'good pass'. The U indicates an unclassified result (fail).
- Years 1 – 9 are assessed using UK National Curriculum level descriptors 1 through 8.

## TERTIARY DESTINATIONS 2014 - 2017

University of Auckland, New Zealand	Acadia University, Canada
Barry University, USA	Bath Spa University, UK
Berkley College of Music, USA	Berry College, USA
University of Bristol, UK	Brunel University, UK
Buckinghamshire New University, UK	University of Cambridge, UK
Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK	Carnegie Mellon University, USA
University of Central Lancashire, UK	Coventry University, UK
Dalhousie University, Canada	De Montfort University, UK
Drexel University, USA	University of Durham, UK
Duke University, USA	University of Edinburgh, UK
University of Exeter, UK	Georgia State University, USA
University of Gloucestershire, UK	University of Guelph, Canada
Howard University, USA	University of Hull, UK
King's College London, UK	University of Leicester, UK
Liverpool Institute of Performing Arts, UK	Loughborough University, UK
University of Manchester, UK	McGill University, Canada
New England Institute of Technology, USA	University of Nottingham, UK
University of Northampton, UK	University of Oxford, UK
Plymouth University, UK	Penn State University, USA
Queen's University, Canada	Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland
St Andrews University, UK	St Mary's University, Canada
Stanford University, UK	University of Warwick, UK
University of Waterloo, Canada	University of Western Ontario, Canada
The University of West of England, UK	The University of West London, UK
University of Winchester, UK	Thomas College, USA
Toronto Film School, Canada	University College London, UK
Universidad Catolica San Antonio de Murcia, Spain	Wake Forest University, USA
University of Westminster, UK	University of Wyoming, USA
Utah State University, USA	University of Toronto, Canada

