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ILKLEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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1. Welcome to Post-16 at Ilkley Grammar School



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Our Vision

“Our vision at Ilkley Grammar School is to provide an exceptional, inclusive learning experience at the heart of our community. Our students will achieve their academic Personal Best and will be equipped with the confidence and skills to make a positive difference to their own lives and the lives of others.”





Ilkley Grammar School

Cowpasture Road, Ilkley, West Yorkshire LS29 8TR

Inspection dates

29–30 March 2017

Overall effectiveness	Outstanding
Effectiveness of leadership and management	Outstanding
Quality of teaching, learning and assessment	Outstanding
Personal development, behaviour and welfare	Outstanding
Outcomes for pupils	Outstanding
16 to 19 study programmes	Outstanding
Overall effectiveness at previous inspection	Not previously inspected

Summary of key findings for parents and pupils

This is an outstanding school

“Students make outstanding progress from their starting points across a wide range of subjects. Teaching over time is outstanding”

“Students’ attitudes to learning are excellent. They are self-assured, punctual and ambitious. They show high levels of independence and cooperate well with each other and their teachers. They work hard and produce high-quality work over time”

Ofsted March 2017



2. Welcome from our Head Girl and Head Boy

“Our Post-16 is a place where students can grow into well-rounded adults, ready for any challenges they might face.”

“There are fantastic enrichment opportunities in both years 12 and 13, which provide skills for life.”



“You always feel there is someone to talk to about anything troubling you.”

“Providing great pastoral care is a high priority.”

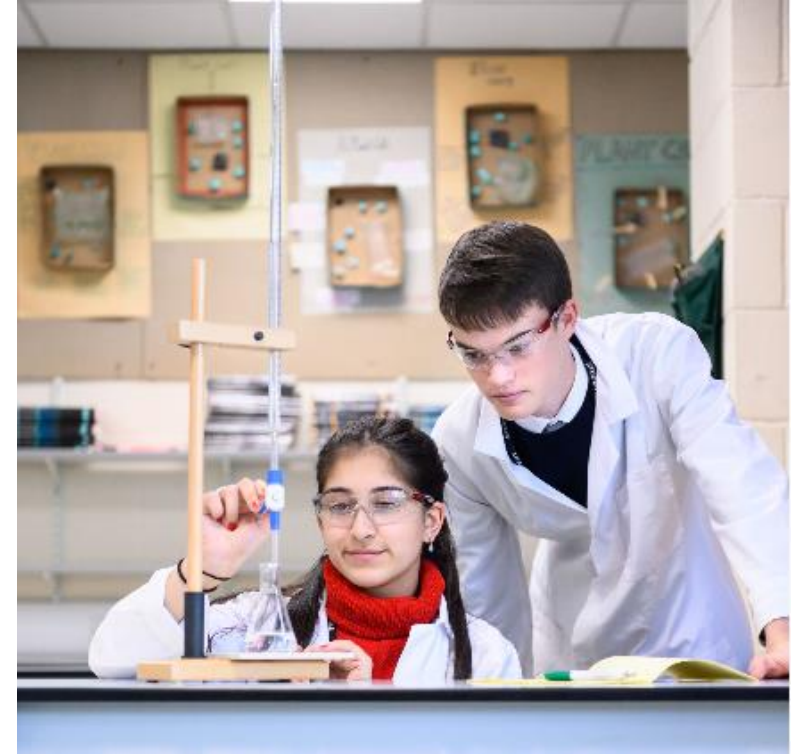
“Teachers will always do their best to keep the door open and make time for their students.”

“A close-knit environment.”

“Anyone, regardless of where they did their GCSEs, can fit in.”

“A real community spirit.”

3. Our Post-16 curriculum offer and entry requirements



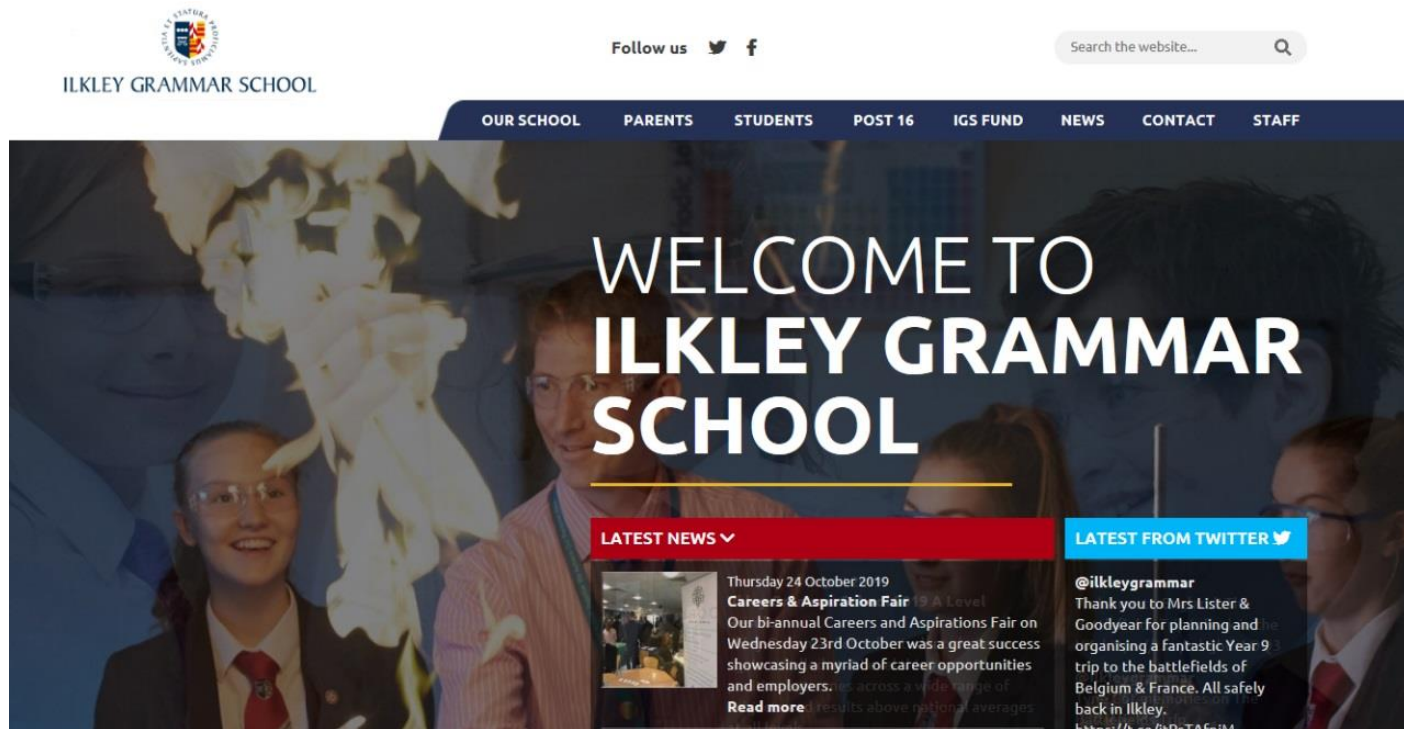
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Basic facts:

Entry requirements: **5x grade 4, including English and/or Maths**

Subject specific entry requirements: **on our NEW website.**



31 Subjects on offer

Biology, BTEC IT, Business, Chemistry, Computer Science, Core Maths, Economics, English Lang/Lit, English Lit, EPQ (Extended Project), Fashion & Textiles, Fine Art, French, Further Maths, Geography, BTEC Health and Social Care, History, Maths, Media studies, Music, BTEC Sport, Philosophy, Photography, PE, Physics, Politics, Product Design, Psychology, Sociology, Spanish and Theatre Studies, And... Criminology



Year 12 curriculum overview

Tutorials Mon to Fri mornings (Except Wed) – check-in

Subjects

3 x A Levels/BTEC and
1 x AS or Enrichment or 4th A Level

4 x up to 11 lessons

Enrichment = EPQ, Sports Leaders, Work Experience

Curriculum Enhancement Programme (CEP)

More general cross-curricular content

Term 1: Study Skills, Mental health & wellbeing

Term 2 : Life skills, Next Steps

Term 3: Future Pathways, British Values

1 lesson/cycle

Weekly Personal Best Time (PBT) - 3 pathways

1. Individual tutor mentor meetings
2. iTalks
3. PBT iLeaders

2 extended tutorial
(Wed morning)

Study:

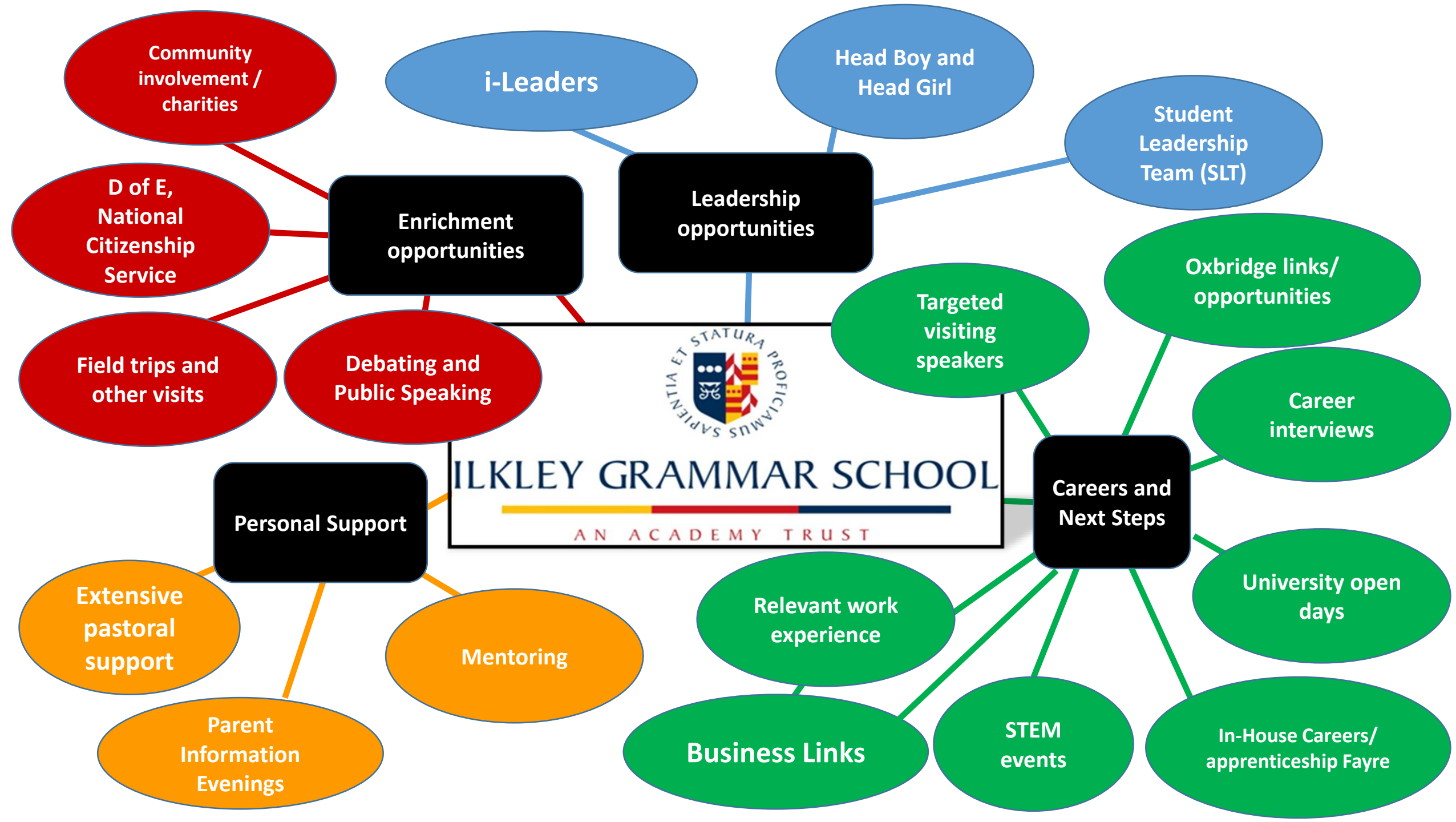
Supervised, Directed and/or Independent
A *graduated* approach

Up to 13 lessons



4. Our Post-16 Leadership & Enrichment offer





Post 16



Preparing

for the

Future

Ambitious

Grounded

Courageous

Independent

Innovative

Compassionate

A shift from
teacher-led activities to...

**CULTURE
SHIFT**

Student-led activities

Abigail Harrison Moore

Professor of Art History and Museum Studies, University of Leeds

Friday 15th November 2019

Speaking on...

- *Careers in academia*
- *Her current research project on 'women and energy'*
- *Cultural capital*

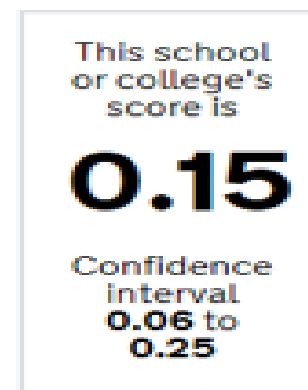
Giving students access to
***'the best that has been thought and
said'***



5. Results and destinations

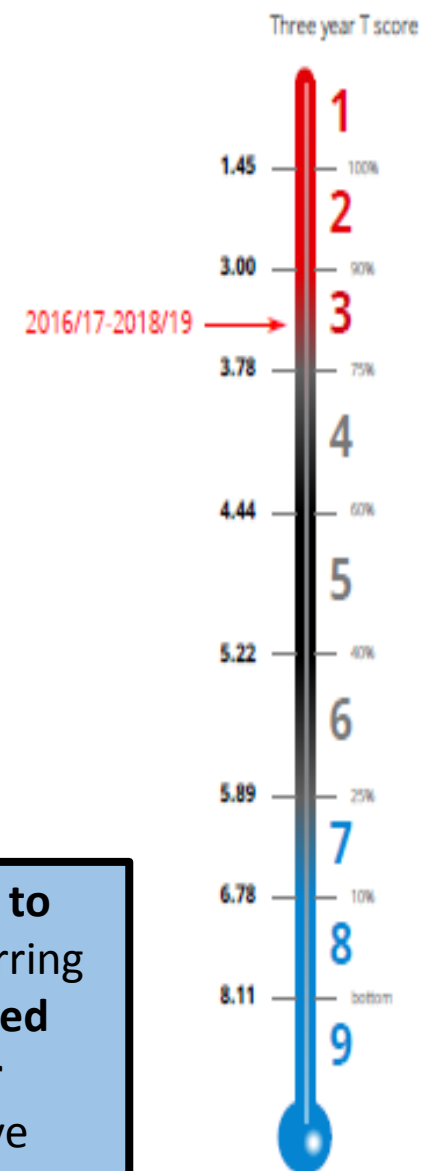
2019 OUTCOMES

	IGS A-LEVEL	(Nat)	A-Level + EPQ
% A*	10.3	(7.7)	11.8
% A/A*	30.2	(25.2)	32.3
% A*-B	58.0	(51.1)	59.7
% A*-C	78.0	(75.5)	78.9
Pass rate	98.9	(97.5)	98.9
APS per entry	36.3	(33.3)	
Average grade	B-	(C+)	



Above average

About 17% of schools or colleges in England



3 YEAR AVERAGES

2017-19 A Level 3 Year Averages			
	Ilkley Grammar School	National 2019	IGS v national
% A*	11.1%	7.7%	+3.4%
% A/A*	33.9%	25.2%	+8.7%
% A*-B	64.2%	51.1%	+13.1%
% A*-C	82.5%	75.5%	+7%
Pass rate	99%	97.5%	+1.5%

In 2019, almost **80% progressed to university**, with a further 5% deferring entry for 2020. **6 students secured university places at Oxford or Cambridge**. Other students have successfully gone on to apprenticeships, employment or further training.

Destinations

“Through high-quality support and guidance, the overwhelming majority of students go on to further training or study, often at the most prestigious universities.”

Ofsted, 2017

- In 2018/19 **90%** of IGS Post-16 students continued their studies in Higher Education
- An average of **55%** of students over the last 3 years have obtained places at **Russell Group Universities**
- The **Apply +** group supports applications to Oxbridge or medicine-based courses.
- Over the last 3 years **17 students have progressed to Oxbridge.**
- Not forgetting about **Degree-level apprenticeships...BAE, Morrisons, PWC**



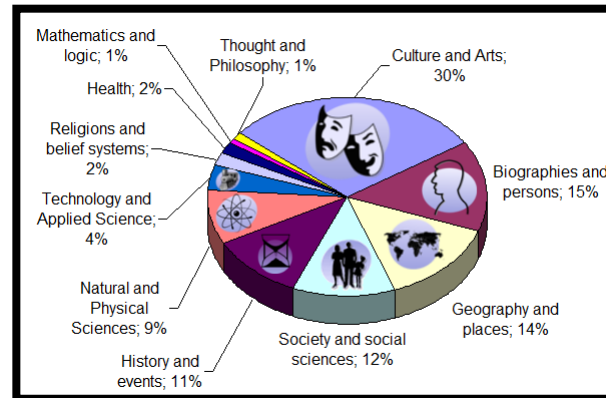
6. How this evening will work...

- You will be able to **visit all the subject areas** to talk to teachers of these subjects where there will be **students currently doing this subject to talk to.**
- There will be time to visit the newly redecorated **Post-16 Centre** to find out about leadership, Sports Leaders and other enrichment opportunities
- You will also be able to **taste food from our Post-16 café!**



This is the opportunity to find out...

- What A level/BTEC **options** there are at IGS
- What you **learn about** in each subject
- What **career prospects** there are for each subject



Transport options (from Skipton/Grassington)

We understand that travel may be a consideration in your decision about your Post-16 provider. We do not currently offer transport but will consider doing so if enough students express an interest.

If you would like to express an interest in daily minibus transport from the Grassington/Skipton area to/from Ilkley Grammar School please email admin@ilkleygs.co.uk giving your present school, a contact name, number and your closest town e.g. Grassington, Skipton, Burnsall etc.



Application Process

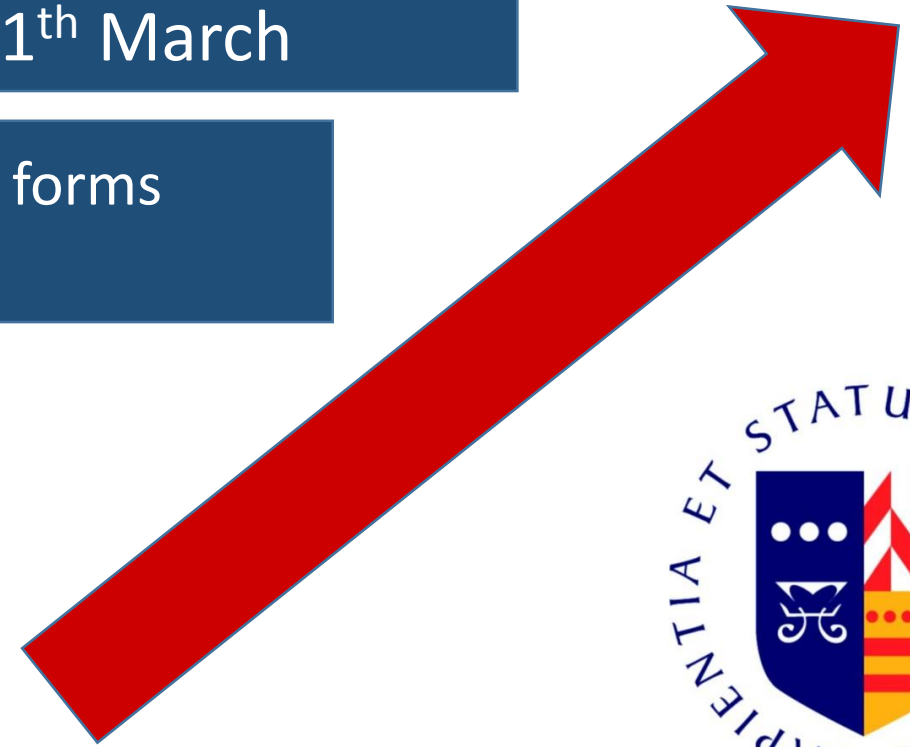
Decision letters received after
the Easter Holidays

Formal Interviews
9th-11th March

Completion of Application forms
14th February


Taster Day
20th Jan (TBC)

Open Evening
Wed 13th November



7. The vision for Post-16

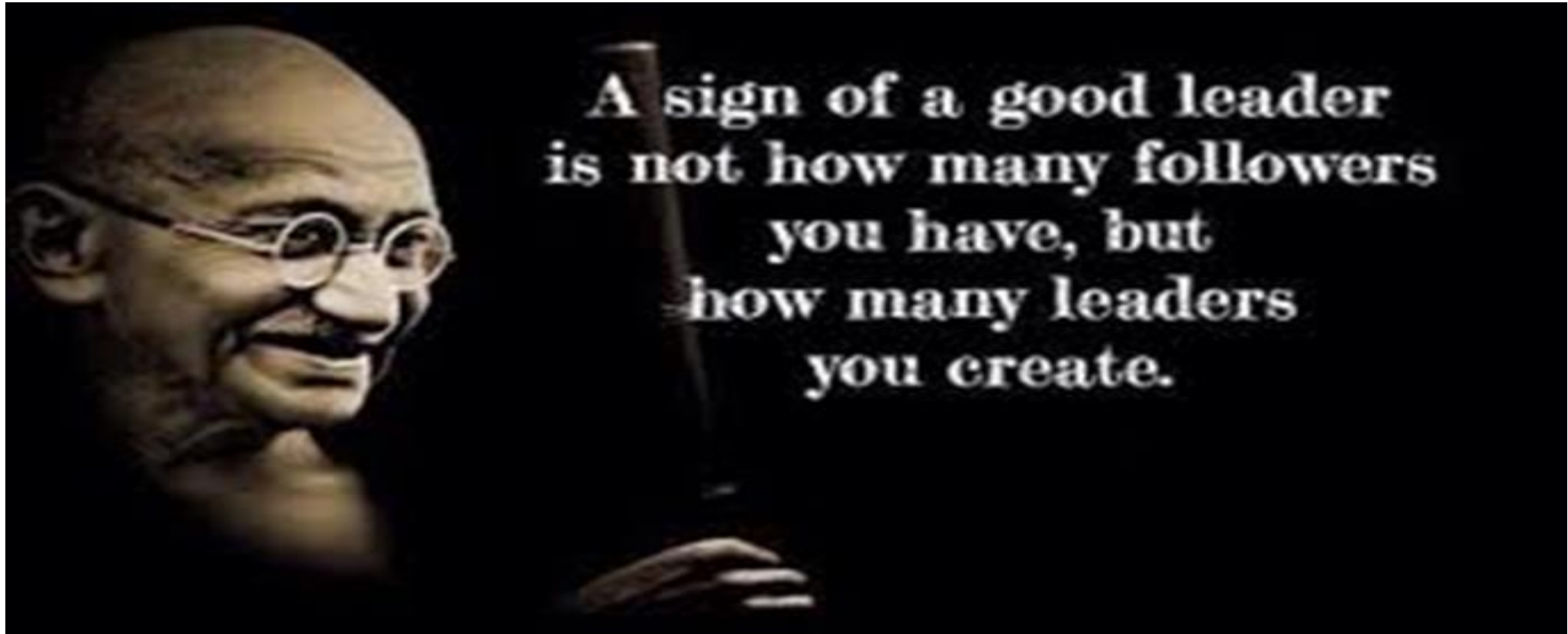


A wide-angle photograph of a vast, rugged mountain range. The mountains are covered in dry, brownish vegetation and scattered rocks. The sky is filled with soft, grey clouds, and the overall lighting suggests a late afternoon or early morning setting. The text is overlaid on the upper half of the image.

**No man is an island, entire of
itself; every man is a piece of the
continent.**

John Donne

Community



Leadership

A photograph of a forest with two diverging dirt paths. The paths are made of light-colored soil and are surrounded by green grass and fallen leaves. The forest is dense with tall trees and a thick canopy of green leaves. The lighting is soft, suggesting a slightly overcast day.


**“Two roads diverged in a wood,
and I - I took the one less traveled by,
and that has made all the difference.”**

Robert Frost

Courage

New to Ilkley Grammar School?

Please make sure you leave your details by filling out the contact details form.
Available at the entrance or in B Hall



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Welcome to Ilkley Grammar School
We hope you find our Post -16 Open Evening informative and useful. In order for us to maintain contact and distribute important information in regards to the application process and opportunities, we would appreciate you taking the time to complete the questions below. We hope you can join us for our Taster Day on Monday 20th January 2020.

Regards
Mr J. A Gutch

Name

Date of Birth

Current School

Email

Parent's Name

Parent's Email

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8. Where to find further information

Please look at our updated website and/or contact the Post-16 Office

Mr J. Gutch, *Director of Post 16*

Mrs Pickard, *Year 12 Learning Leader*

Harriet Miller, *Post 16 Pastoral Support Manager*

Contact: post16@ilkleygs.co.uk

