

FOUR SCHOOLS,  
ONE SIXTH FORM  
COMMUNITY

Beckfoot  
Trust **Sixth Form**



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# WELCOME

Welcome to the Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form. You will be joining us at a very exciting time as we combine our four school Sixth Forms, taking expertise from each and using this to ensure the very best experience and outcomes for all of our students. We have big goals and high aspirations and are excited about collaborating together to ensure the Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form delivers strong outcomes for all of our young people. Please enjoy our first joint prospectus and visit our open days to see what we are all about.

## BECOME A BECKFOOT TRUST SIXTH FORM STUDENT

Sixth Form education represents two critical years in a young adult's life as they increasingly take responsibility for the decisions that will shape their futures. Academic rigour increases significantly as does the need to develop the skills necessary to support successful career progression. A consistency of approach is at the heart of a Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form experience. We smooth the transition at a critical time and ensure early educational experiences are deepened in a familiar environment and with familiar staff.

Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form spans four Trust schools. It adopts a shared approach that challenges young people to achieve beyond the expected and at the same time to take their place as senior members of a school community.

## CRITICAL THINKERS

Sixth formers are developed academically and challenged to think deeply, to gain the qualifications necessary for their next career stage. They become increasingly outward looking and have strong opinions about the world they live in. They question, develop a strong commitment to living life properly and stand up for what they believe to be morally right. Beckfoot Trust sixth formers get hands-on experience of the real world. They solve real problems, are entrepreneurial and become skilled leaders.

## FUTURE READY, LIFE-LONG LEARNERS

Beckfoot Trust sixth formers thrive because we all believe school is the best place to study after GCSEs. Sixth formers enjoy the certainty, security and consistency that progression within a school community provides. They benefit from an environment which is personalised to their needs and familiar. Their parents know the school and its values and that care and support is there when needed. From apprenticeships to Oxbridge; BTECs to A levels and work to life skills, all our students find a pathway that is useful, ethical and aspirational.

**UNIVERSITIES AND EMPLOYERS LOOK FOR YOUNG PEOPLE THAT LEARN QUICKLY, ADAPT TO CHANGING ENVIRONMENTS AND THRIVE IN A WORLD WHERE NEW SKILLS ARE NEEDED ALL THE TIME. BECKFOOT TRUST SIXTH FORMERS LEAVE WITH A CONFIDENCE THAT DEFIES THEIR AGE AND A CLARITY OF PURPOSE THAT GUIDES THEIR NEXT STEPS. THERE ARE THREE KEY ASPECTS OF A BECKFOOT TRUST SIXTH FORMER'S EXPERIENCE**

## WORKING COLLABORATIVELY

Beckfoot Trust is a collaborative enterprise. By working together as a group of schools we more easily establish best practice and replicate it for all. We have excellent sixth form teachers, outstanding pedagogy and complementary high quality pastoral care. Our schools are fantastically equipped with sporting and arts facilities and our sixth formers take a lead in all our enrichment activity inspiring younger students as role models. The final two years of a school education create memories and experiences that are treasured forever.

# EXPERT TEACHING THAT LEADS TO QUALITY DEBATES, DEEP THINKING, ANALYSIS AND QUESTIONING

Staff from across the Trust collaborate and innovate ensuring our sixth form students have access to truly outstanding lessons and experiences. Students are regularly assessed against national specifications and encouraged to self-reflect, improve and develop. Our students work hard because they recognise the value in this. This leads to great academic and vocational qualifications.



**DISTINCT ETHOS, REMARKABLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS, BECKFOOT TRUST SIXTH FORM**

# SUPPORTIVE MONITORING, REGULAR PROGRESS CHECKS AND APPROPRIATE, PERSONALISED INTERVENTION

Our students own and manage their learning and expect great things from their staff, they know where they are and where they want to go to. We do not however underestimate the power of individual support and care that a high quality school based environment provides. Our highly trained Pastoral Team and Tutors truly know their students, going the extra mile to ensure they are happy, feel supported and cherished.



## FUTURE READY

The world is changing, Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form challenges our students to embrace this change and offers opportunities to solve real world problems, generate creative ideas and solve complex challenges through its curriculum. Leadership, debating, oracy skills and ambition are embedded in all that we do.

## NETWORKING

Beckfoot Trust is a highly respected group of schools in Bradford. Strong partnerships have been fostered and developed within education, industry and communities. For our students this ensures access to a wide network of professionals that can support career progression, provide UCAS and employment opportunities and ensure each and every student has a progression pathway that delivers success.

## STRONG MORAL PURPOSE

Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form students are, through our enhanced curriculum, led to develop a renewed sense of purpose, formulate a strong set of morals and values and become ambitious, enterprising young adults. We expect our students to be role models for both school and home communities as we foster a joy for both learning and contribution to society.

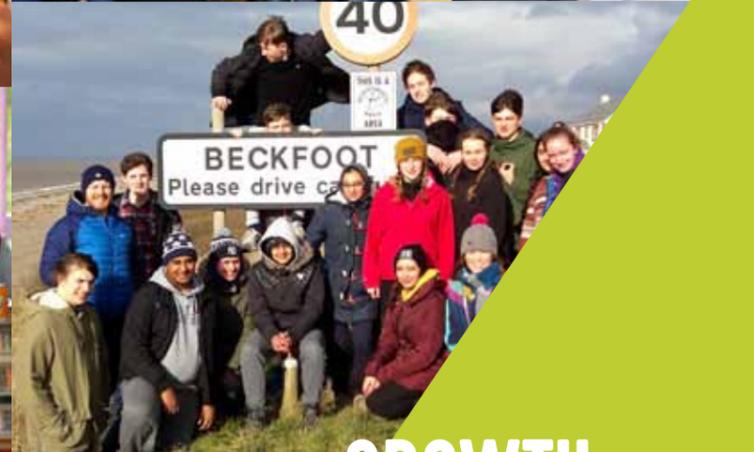


## INCLUSIVITY

Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form welcomes and celebrates diversity welcoming students from its own schools as well as the wider Bradford area. Kindness, understanding, positivity and fun is central to all we do. Together we are a strong voice and we are proud of and celebrate our achievements as a community.

## GROWTH

We recognise that together we are stronger. By combining our school Sixth Forms we can offer an extensive and unrivalled range of qualifications and opportunities in a secure, proven academic environment. Our Sixth Form will continue to grow and evolve to meet the needs of its students through listening to what they want and having an eye to the wider world.



# OUR OFFER AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

We sincerely hope that you will make an application to study in the Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form and we would strongly advise you to attend our open evenings or arrange to visit us to see more of what we do. Our mainstream Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form schools have offers of BTEC and A level qualifications. Entry requirements for each school are the same. For entry in September 2019 you should apply to the school that you would prefer to study in.

Hazelbeck Sixth Form entry, our fourth sixth form, is by individual application. All students have an educational health and care plan.

Three A Level Courses, three BTEC courses or a combination of both will be studied by all mainstream students, subject to entry requirements being met. These courses last for two years and as such it is important that you make the right choice for you. Some of you will prefer subjects with a traditional examination focus, others may prefer assessment that is project based and ongoing throughout the course. You will be supported to make the right decision throughout our application process and will be expected to reflect honestly about where you can best achieve success.

**WHICHEVER COURSES YOU CHOOSE YOU WILL HAVE TO DEMONSTRATE HIGH LEVELS OF DEDICATION AND A REAL COMMITMENT TO YOUR STUDIES. WE WANT ALL BECKFOOT SIXTH FORM STUDENTS TO BE SUCCESSFUL AND BE ABLE TO FOLLOW THE UNIVERSITY OR EMPLOYMENT PATH OF THEIR CHOICE.**

## All courses for entry in 2019

A minimum of Grade 4 (merit at BTEC, each BTEC counts as one qualification) or above in at least 5 subjects including English and Maths.

Each subject also has its own specific entry criteria. These will be adhered to and are not negotiable. Students must meet the general criteria as well as subject specific criteria to commence a level 3 course. Please look very carefully at your individual school prospectus for these.



REMARKABLE  
LEARNING  
ENVIRONMENTS



' Beckfoot Trust schools have a proud record of exceptionally strong post 16 education within an 11-18 school setting. Beckfoot students have the advantage of familiarity with staff, their peers and their surroundings. This allows them to adapt quickly to new routines and higher levels of academic rigour. Outcomes are a priority and so are the life skills developed as a senior member of a school community. Beckfoot Trust Sixth Form represents the pinnacle of a young person's schooling and it equips them perfectly for the bright futures they deserve.'

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