

Varndean College - Brighton, UK

Varndean College is a popular and successful sixth form college with over 1200 students (approximately 80 from overseas), aged 16 to 18.

Situated on the outskirts of Brighton on a large green campus with views to the south over Brighton to the sea the college environment blends the peaceful and traditional layout of an academic college, full of open green spaces and gardens, with newly-built and well equipped facilities.



Key Facts

LOCATION

- Brighton & Hove, East Sussex
- Population: 250,000
- Nearest Airport: : London Gatwick

SCHOOL TYPE

- State day, co-educational

SIZE

- 1,200 students

ACCOMMODATION

- Homestay

UNIFORM

- None

AGE RANGE

- 16 -18

EFL LESSONS

- Some lessons included



Facilities

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

- 9 computer suites with unlimited internet use for academic work
- Library and resource centre with over 15,000 books
- Support from a personal tutor
- Languages (including Russian, Italian and Japanese)
- Digital Illustration
- Music (Orchestra, Choir, Big Band or rock, pop, jazz or classical ensemble),

SPORT FACILITIES

- Athletics, & Taekwondo
- Badminton , Tennis & Squash
- Basketball, Netball & Volleyball
- Cricket & Rounders
- Football (Men's and Women's teams) and Rugby

Location: Brighton & Hove

Varndean College is located on the outskirts of Brighton, in a delightful residential area with easy access to the city centre and local parks.

Brighton is one of the most vibrant, colourful and creative cities in Europe. Nestling between the South Downs & the sea on the stunning south coast, Brighton is a popular place to live and study. Cosmopolitan, compact, energetic, unique, fun, lively, historic, young, exotic and free-spirited, it's a city like no other.



Life in the Sixth Form:

Students at the college can study either the AS/A level curriculum for 1 or 2 years or the International Baccalaureate for 2 years. A wide range of subjects are on offer, with excellent teaching from dedicated and enthusiastic staff. Pupils at Varndean consistently achieve high exam results and the college encourages independence and self-motivated study preparing students for careers or higher study. The college also offers an outstanding support network for students- including Personal Tutors, a Student Progress Advisor, Welfare Officer and Counsellors.

More than just teaching:

The college also offers an outstanding support network for students- including Personal Tutors, a Student Progress Advisor, Welfare Officer and Counsellors. There is a great relationship between staff and students which helps students maximise their potential and gives them a feeling of social and educational inclusion.

