

6TH FORM

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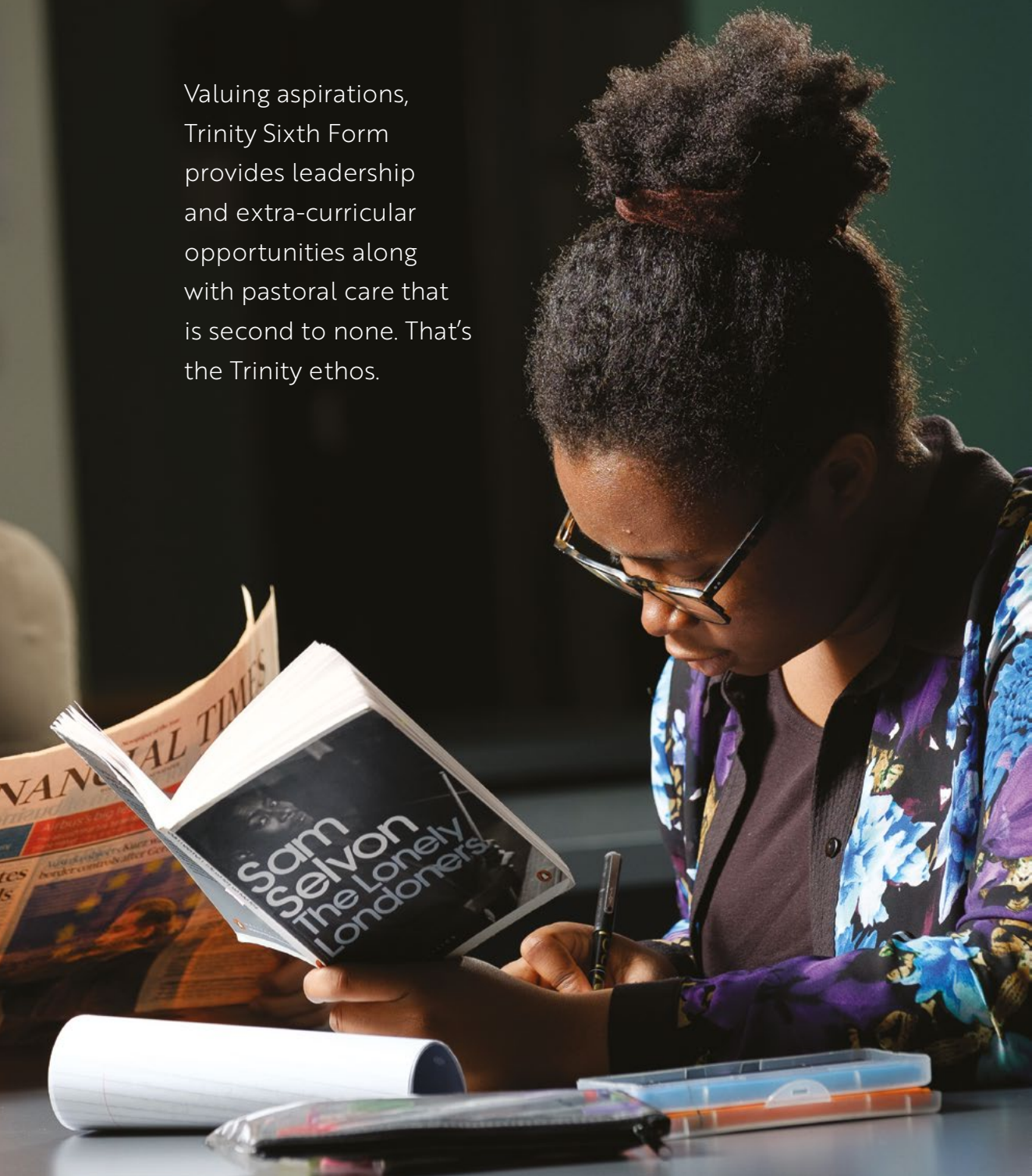


Faith in the City
Value in People
Excellence in Education



Hard-working and ambitious.

Valuing aspirations, Trinity Sixth Form provides leadership and extra-curricular opportunities along with pastoral care that is second to none. That's the Trinity ethos.



Welcome to our Sixth Form.

This is an important time in your life as the choices you make will directly impact on your future. To make the right decision you need to really understand what Trinity Sixth Form has to offer. Learning is at the heart of all that we do. The courses we offer are broad, balanced and fit for an ever-changing future.

We are committed to building on the strengths and aptitudes of individuals to enable each student to follow their pathway to university, college or the world of work. We pride ourselves on ensuring that our curriculum reflects our core values by providing a blend of academic and vocational subjects.

In order to provide this outstanding opportunity to students, we benefit from highly qualified and skilled teaching and support staff. A programme of continuous development enables them to build on their skills and enhance the student experience.

Sixth Form education is challenging, not only academically, but socially, and as you complete your studies with us, you will become a well-rounded and informed young person. There are ample opportunities to take an active part in the life of the school, the local community and to exercise leadership.

Come and visit us at our Open Evening where you can speak to teachers and current students and get a real flavour of what we can offer. Alternatively, make an appointment to see me personally in the Sixth Form Centre.

We look forward to seeing you!

Olivia Tattum

Director of Sixth Form

"Leadership and management of the Sixth Form is very strong."

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www.trinityhigh.com

Well rounded experience.

At Trinity we have an experienced team of staff supporting you to become an effective independent student and in making the transition to university, apprenticeship or employment.

Our success is built on strong pastoral care that facilitates both personal and academic success. Your progress will be monitored regularly, ensuring that you and your parents know how well you are doing and how you can progress further. Our Heads of Year 12 and 13 will support your day to day learning opportunities outside of formal lessons.

We are experienced in providing advice and guidance with applications to higher education and enjoy a good record of applications to competitive courses; Oxford, Cambridge and other Russell Group universities.

"Students are highly focused, interested and motivated. They have excellent attitudes to learning. Behaviour in lessons and during social times is exemplary. Students are self-disciplined and act as positive role models for younger pupils."

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Our Aspiring Medics scheme is a fully funded scholarship opportunity for prospective medical students to receive help, training, guidance and fiscal support in their applications for medical school. For those seeking alternatives to university, we provide opportunities to explore apprenticeships and employability through our careers service.

Trinity Sixth Formers are encouraged to make the most of their summer holidays between Year 12 and Year 13 by applying for university summer schools and enrichment activities. Taking advantage of these opportunities puts them head and shoulders above their peers when it comes to applying for university. Our students have participated in the Manchester Access Programme (MAP), Sutton Trust, Oxford and Cambridge summer schools, UNIQ, Nuffield Research placements, amongst others. We know our students are in an excellent position to secure university offers from their chosen institutions.



A friendly and modern community.

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Trinity Sixth Form is a vibrant and exciting place to be; not only is our academic provision outstanding but our enrichment opportunities mean our students can become the very best versions of themselves: responsible and independent learners with a proactive grasp of their futures.

In the academic year 2017/18, we were deemed to be "Outstanding" by Ofsted. Our state of the art facilities in our £3 million Sixth Form Centre, and excellent teaching and learning, means that Trinity Sixth Form is an ideal location for you to further your education and prepare for your future.

Every Sixth Form student is an individual and we respect the fact that all students are different. The support and guidance you receive at Trinity is bespoke, focused on the individual and tailor-made to help you succeed. Support comes from many different places: Director of Sixth Form, Assistant Director of Sixth Form, Head of Year 12 and Head of year 13 as well as the Student Services administrator, as well as peer support from our diverse and determined students.

There is a focus on leadership opportunities with students able to apply to be a member of the Prefect team, supporting the staff and students throughout the school. We also have Sports Captains and Associate House Leaders who work alongside the Heads of House to inspire all learners. It is these leadership roles that not only give our students opportunities to develop their transferable skills, but also gives them a strategic role in developing the whole school.

"Leaders provide a wide range of enrichment opportunities for students. All students take part in activities such as volunteering, activities to develop critical reasoning, life skills, and learning first aid or British sign language."

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Emphasis on excellence.

Our staff go above and beyond to support our students and we expect the same level of dedication and commitment from every learner. We celebrate success and encourage all students to take an active role in their own development. Expectations are high; Trinity Sixth Formers produce work of an exceptional standard and understand fully that only their best is good enough. This understanding will carry them through the next stages of their life-long learning journey, wherever it may take them.

Ideally positioned within the heart of the University Quarter of Manchester, Trinity Sixth Form has excellent partnerships with the University of Manchester and Manchester Metropolitan University, giving all students unique access and opportunities that other institutions may struggle to provide. Being a school Sixth Form allows us to provide these advantages to everyone rather than a selected few.

"The curriculum on offer is wide and varied. The school offers students a range of 26 courses, including traditional academic A-levels and level 3 vocational qualifications."

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Students have every opportunity to develop their independent learning and study skills to help them achieve top-grades in the summer examinations. Our tutorial programme is designed to encourage thinking and reflection and throughout the year there are a variety of visits and events to attend to expand their prospects and raise their aspirations. We also work alongside Unifrog to help Sixth Formers to widen their awareness of university courses and apprentice opportunities available to them.

In their most recent visit, Ofsted stated that Trinity Sixth Form students are "highly focused, interested and motivated" and that "students undertake many and varied opportunities to help prepare them well for their next steps". The outstanding nature of our provision means that students who make Trinity Sixth Form their first choice for post-16 education can be assured that they will be well equipped for whatever their future may hold.



A wider knowledge.

Universities and employers are now expecting students to have a wider knowledge base than lessons can provide. As a consequence all Sixth Formers are encouraged to expand their horizons by reading academic books and journals extensively, and by doing this, developing their understanding of key concepts and debates within their subject areas.



A world of opportunities.

Enrichment experiences are wide and varied and are added to every year. Previous opportunities include work experience or volunteering in Year 12, Duke of Edinburgh's Gold Award, public speaking, Gold Arts Award in Music and Drama, Languages including BSL, first aid, self defence and supporting pupils in lessons as prefects. In addition, visiting speakers from charities and businesses, as well as the arts provide an inspirational insight into different walks of life.

As well as joining the various sport teams, Sixth Formers can use the school's fitness suite and any of the facilities in Trinity Sport Centre as a privilege of being a Sixth Former. There are many opportunities for students

to showcase their dramatic, musical and artistic talents and Sixth Formers plan and run a whole host of charity events and participate in community service initiatives which are often highlighted in our school newsletter.

Students have been involved a wide variety of whole school activities, including Cultural Day which celebrated the wide and diverse nature of Trinity Sixth Form Students.

We believe that to truly succeed young people have to develop an array of skills not just those learnt in the classroom, that's why we dedicate time every week to enrichment studies.



Realise your goals.

Trinity Sixth Form is committed to providing young people with practical and personalised advice to help them shape their futures. We understand the importance in self-motivation, initiative and leadership as they prepare for life after Trinity. We actively encourage students to take on responsibility, with our prefects and leadership roles or out of school through volunteering and work experience.

Our Aspirations week, held annually, explores post-18 options for learners. All students are given the opportunity to access tools and experts to help realise their potential: Unifrog, GM Higher, University visits, careers interviews, universities' admissions tutors and personal statement workshops provided by the University of Manchester. During this week we launch our UCAS programme which guides our students, step by step, through the applications process with detailed information as well as impartial advice to ensure all learners set and achieve appropriate goals.



Students are all encouraged to attend university open days, discovery days and we take the whole Year 12 cohort to the UCAS Convention in Manchester each year. Our careers service provides 1:1 support for all students throughout the year, whether it is linked to UCAS applications or creating a CV for employment. In addition to this, we have visitors from various industry sectors who speak to our students about employment prospects and the career paths they can take.

With you every step of the way, providing bespoke support, at Trinity Sixth Form, we help students to take their first steps into their future.

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"Teaching and learning in the Sixth Form is excellent in engaging students in their lessons."

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