The Knights Templar School

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INFORMATION FOR UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE ADMISSIONS TEAMS

The Knights Templar School is a non-selective state comprehensive of about 1300 pupils, serving the town of Baldock and surrounding villages in North Hertfordshire. The Sixth Form of 300 is fully integrated into school life.

Our curriculum offer is detailed here: https://www.sixthform.ktemplar.herts.sch.uk/courses-offered

Alongside studying three A Levels or equivalent courses, our students choose a further qualification to take as part of our 'Wider Curriculum' in Year 12 from:

- Edexcel Level 3 Extended Project Qualification
- AQA FCSE Spanish
- London Institute of Banking and Finance Certificate in Financial Studies
- LAMDA Grade 6, 7 or 8 in 'Speaking Verse and Prose,' 'Reading for Performance,' or 'Speaking in Public
- Edexcel BTEC Level 2 National Certificate in Music Performance

Throughout lockdown, our teachers set work for every lesson on a student's timetable for them to complete remotely at home. There was very limited opportunity for live online teaching, although the following departments provided at most one live lesson a week during the Summer Term: Design and Technology: Biology, Chemistry, Geography, German, History, Performing Arts, Politics, Product Design, Psychology, and Theatre Studies. Our Year 12 students received just two hours of face-to-face contact time in school per subject in the Summer term.

Due to the school closure, our Year 12 mock examinations which are normally held in the Summer Term were cancelled. Our students have completed in-class assessments on returning to school in September in order to inform our predicted grades.