



Holy Family Catholic School & Sixth Form

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SIXTH FORM OPEN EVENING

# 1) Why study at Holy Family?



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# Post 16 choices

**There are many choices open to students at the end of Year 11:**

- You have some big decisions to make
- Should I stay on in full time education or go into training?
- Where should I study? Sixth Form or College?
- What should I study?
- Combinations of subjects?
- Possible career choices?
- **Students have to make these decisions for themselves with advice from others**



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# Holy Family Sixth Form results

- A Level Attainment:
  - A\*-B: 61%
  - A\*-E: 100%

- L3 BTEC Attainment:
  - D\*-M: 97%
  - D\*-P: 100%



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# A Level Student success

- **Joyce Pereira** who gained amazing grades of A\*A\*A\* in Geography, Maths and Psychology and leaves us to study Geography at Cambridge.
- **Megan Najman** who gained outstanding grades of A\*A\*A in English Literature, Psychology, Maths. She is leaving us to read Law at Oxford.
- **Noby Roys** who gained phenomenal grades of A\*A\*A in Maths, Further Maths and Physics. He is studying Maths at Warwick University.



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# L3 BTEC Student success

- **Joyce James** who gained D\*D\*DD in Health and Social Care and Performing Arts. She will be studying Social Work at the University of Hertfordshire.
- **Jezreel Agu** who gained DD in Creative Media Production and IT. He will be studying Digital Media Design.
- **Oliwia Kilic** who gained D\*D\*M in Health & Social Care and Applied Science. She will be studying Animal Science at Reading University.
- **These results show that the Level 3 BTEC pathway allows access to good quality university courses**



# Why study at Holy Family?

- Excellent Post-16 results and a high success rate of entry to top universities.
- Outstanding pastoral support from a dedicated team with a sharp focus on the holistic growth of the individual student.
- Growing numbers, but still small enough that we know each student as an individual. Smaller classes than GCSE in the vast majority of cases.
- Students are treated as young adults – with the trust and responsibility that that entails eg: Tutorials, study periods, the option to go off site etc.
- Dedicated sixth form areas of the school (study area, computer room etc.)
- A strong Catholic ethos with an emphasis on service to others.



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# Catholic Ethos

- At Holy Family our Catholic ethos is embedded in our daily lives through:
  - Daily worship
  - Charity
  - Service to the school, local and wider community
  - General Religious studies and Interfaith programme
  - We are open access – students of all faiths, or none, are more than welcome to apply if you are supportive of our ethos



# Why study at Holy Family?

- Extensive range of Level 3 qualifications and the bridging course for current Holy Family students
- Excellent careers guidance with a dedicated sixth form careers guidance officer
- A detailed careers programme with opportunities for employer engagement and work experience
- A wide range of extra and super curricular activities via our enrichment programme
  - Personal enrichment
  - Community based enrichment

We are truly comprehensive – in other words there is a pathway for you at Holy Family, irrespective of the grades you achieve. We will not turn you away if you do not get grade 7's and above!



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# Why stay at Holy Family?

For current Holy Family students:

- You will be familiar with the school site
- You will be familiar with the school policies, systems and staff
- We can give you dedicated careers guidance from now all the way through to enrolment in the summer
- We know your strengths, areas for improvement, specialist needs and can therefore continue to support you in the best way possible



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# Why study at Holy Family?

- For more information please watch the other short videos:
  - Welcome from the Headteacher, Head Boy/Girl and Deputies
  - Choosing your subjects
  - How to apply to Holy Family
  - Frequently Asked Questions

If you have any questions please contact Mr Delf (Assistant Headteacher for KS5): [m.delf@holyfamily.waltham.sch.uk](mailto:m.delf@holyfamily.waltham.sch.uk)



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