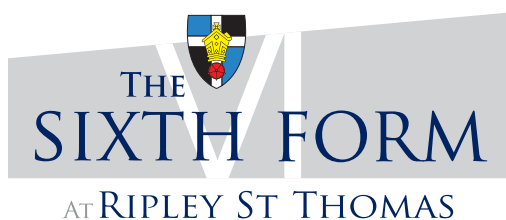


# The Path To Your Future

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## Welcome



Excellent facilities  
& Sixth Form Centre



A range of exciting  
A Level & BTEC courses



An Ofsted Outstanding  
Sixth Form



In 2019, we had another  
year of outstanding A Level  
& Level 3 BTEC results



Close to Lancaster City Centre  
with great transport links



The Sixth Form at Ripley St Thomas offers you a learning experience in a distinctive and supportive environment.

We are a large and successful sixth form, offering a wide variety of courses in a close-knit community. Our tutor team is a small group that provides a unique programme of advice, support and guidance to help you achieve your academic and personal potential and your vision for the future. We look forward to meeting you – and we hope you will join us.

Mr M Sim  
Head of Sixth Form

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# Explore

Explore the many opportunities to work and learn together.

Our strong community enables us to work confidently together and to build the skills necessary as assured and independent learners.

Explore an environment which has been designed and custom-built to enable a professional approach to learning. The surroundings are beautiful and spacious, with a central oak tree which reflects the strength of a secure foundation and branches which reach out and up to new horizons.





## Senior Team

Nathan Halford and Sophie Fowler lead The Sixth Form Senior Student Team as Head Boy and Head Girl.

We feel proud to have been chosen to represent the students of Ripley Sixth Form. The friendly and diverse community is a lovely environment for us to work in, making sure that everyone's Sixth Form experience is the best it can be.

As a team, we actively support the sense of community by organising events such as charity fundraisers, teambuilding events and sports activities. These all help to ensure that there is a strong relationship between new and old students while creating a lively, welcoming atmosphere.

The Sixth Form is very inclusive and enrichment activities and school teams strongly encourage creativity and teamwork. The size of our community allows for the full Sixth Form experience whilst feeling safe and supported by peers and teachers.



# Aspire

Aspire to be the best you can.

You will be set aspirational targets and helped to meet them. Lessons will be varied and well-structured, making effective use of a range of ICT and co-operative learning experiences.

Aspire through the range of experiences on offer to achieve your dreams. Whatever your choice of subject, you will be inspired to gain a deeper, more mature appreciation of the world.

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**Students are ambitious, independent and good-humoured.**

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# Engage

Engage in an exciting and diverse programme of leadership and enrichment opportunities.

Our successful careers academies for aspiring teachers, healthcare professionals and engineers offer students a valuable introduction to a range of career paths. Students experience workshops on a variety of relevant topics, hear from guest speakers in their chosen field and have the opportunity to gain relevant work experience.

A range of short courses in areas such as creative writing, film production, politics and law allow students to develop creativity, team working and leadership skills, and studying MOOCs offers an exciting opportunity to delve

deeper into a field of interest and develop understanding beyond the curriculum.

Additionally, students can opt to complete The Duke of Edinburgh's Gold Award and study the Extended Project Qualification.

Engage with others by taking part in the wide range of unique opportunities including music ensembles, sporting activities and societies.







**Open Evening**  
Thursday 30 January 2020



**Application Deadline**  
Thursday 27 February 2020



**Induction Days**  
Tuesday 16 June 2020  
Wednesday 17 June 2020



**GCSE Results Day**  
Thursday 20 August 2020



**Enrolment Day**  
Friday 21 August 2020



**Entry Requirements**

5 x GCSE Grade 4  
including English Language  
and/or Mathematics.

All subjects have specific grade requirements. Full details are available on our website.

# 2020 Courses

We offer a wide range of A Level and BTEC courses.

Animal Management (BTEC)	History
Art	Information Technology (BTEC)
Biology	Mathematics
Business	Media Studies
Chemistry	Music
Computer Science	Physical Education
Core Mathematics	Physics
Economics	Product Design
English Language	Psychology
English Literature	Religious Studies
French	Sociology
Further Mathematics	Spanish
Geography	Theatre Studies

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On application, you will be required to choose three courses from the option blocks.

All information correct at time of publication. We reserve the right to withdraw courses that do not recruit sufficient numbers.



View course information  
and apply online at [thesixthform.com](https://thesixthform.com)

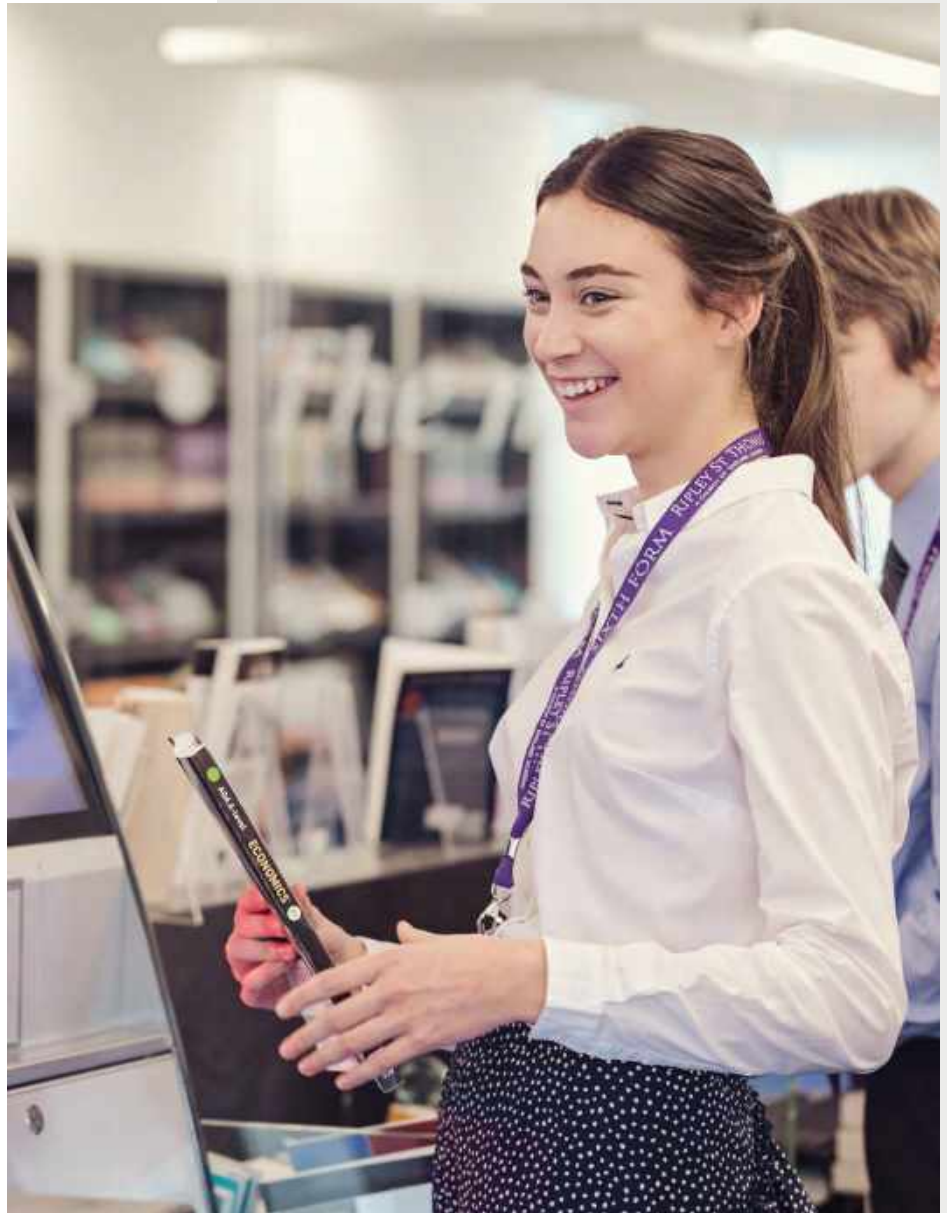
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