



SCHOLARSHIPS

at King's Bruton





Scholarships

The scholarship programme at King's Bruton offers an exciting opportunity for pupils to showcase their talents, ambition, and potential. Scholarships and Exhibitions are awarded to recognise exceptional ability and promise, and pupils entering the 3rd Form and Sixth Form are warmly encouraged to apply.

The process is designed to be a positive and inspiring experience - an opportunity for candidates to demonstrate what they can truly achieve in their chosen field, whether academic, artistic, sporting, musical, or otherwise. Assessments take place during the year prior to joining King's Bruton, and the maximum value of any Scholarship or combined Scholarships is 20% of fees.

For families requiring financial support beyond this, means-tested bursaries are available, with applications accepted at any time. Together, the programme reflects King's Bruton's commitment to nurturing talent, celebrating excellence, and opening doors for pupils who are ready to challenge themselves and shine.

Means tested bursaries should be applied for directly to the Bursar. For more information on Scholarships and Bursaries, please contact Admissions.





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ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Academic Scholarships give pupils the opportunity to demonstrate the depth of their curiosity, commitment and intellectual potential. Candidates will sit papers in English, Mathematics, French, History, Geography and Science, with optional papers in Latin and Religious Studies.

Each candidate will also meet the Headmaster for an interview, offering a chance to share their academic passions and aspirations. Scholars are encouraged and supported to stretch their abilities even further once they join King's Bruton.





ART SCHOLARSHIPS

An Art Scholarship allows creative pupils to showcase their imagination, technical skill and artistic voice. Candidates present a portfolio of work from the last two years and take part in practical activities on Assessment Day, demonstrating creativity, reflection and collaboration.

Interviews with the Art Department and the Headmaster explore each candidate's potential and artistic ambitions. At King's Bruton, Art Scholars are supported in pushing boundaries and developing their unique style.



DRAMA SCHOLARSHIPS

Drama Scholarships give pupils the chance to bring their passion for performance to life. Candidates perform a monologue and take part in a dynamic workshop designed to highlight creativity, teamwork and imaginative thinking.

They also meet with the Headmaster to discuss their interest in theatre and their aspirations. At King's Bruton, Drama Scholars are supported to grow as performers, collaborators and creative thinkers, with opportunities to shine on stage and beyond.

DT SCHOLARSHIPS

At King's Bruton, Design and Technology Scholars are supported to grow as designers and makers, with additional opportunities to develop their practical, creative and design thinking abilities through the new

DT Forge programme. This allows access to several additional opportunities, helps develop pupils and guides our Scholars towards their application for the Arkwright Scholarship programme, which helps pupils through the Sixth Form and beyond.



MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS

A Music Scholarship provides a platform for young musicians to express their talent, perform with confidence and share their musical story.

Candidates offer two instruments (including voice) and perform a selection of pieces as well as completing musicianship tests. Interviews with the Director of Music and the Headmaster allow candidates to talk about their musical journey and ambitions. In addition to financial support, Music Scholars receive free tuition on two instruments, ensuring they can continue developing their talents at King's Bruton.

MUSIC EXHIBITIONS

Music Exhibitions may be awarded to candidates who show strong potential but have not yet reached scholarship level. The assessment mirrors that of the scholarship.





SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Sports Scholarships enable young athletes to demonstrate their drive, sporting ability and enthusiasm for personal development. Candidates should have reached 1st Team level across all three terms and submit a short video highlighting their skills and passion for sport.

On Assessment Day, they will take part in a range of assessments designed to reveal leadership, resilience, teamwork and athletic potential, followed by interviews with the Headmaster and Director of Sport. Scholars are supported to excel in their chosen sports and to make the most of King's Bruton's outstanding athletic opportunities.

SPORTS EXHIBITIONS

Sports Exhibitions recognise pupils who show genuine potential and commitment, even if they have not yet reached full scholarship level.

ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Scholars and Exhibition holders join the School's Athletic Development Programme, benefiting from expert guidance and structured progression.



SIXTH FORM

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Sixth Form

Joining the Sixth Form at King's Bruton marks the beginning of an exciting new chapter. More than simply the final stage of school, it is the point at which pupils begin to shape what comes next. It is a time to build on everything achieved so far, develop greater independence and confidence, and kick-start the next vital stage of their educational journey.

The Sixth Form acts as a bridge between school and the wider world. Whether pupils aspire to university, apprenticeships, professional training or emerging career pathways, these two years provide the knowledge, skills and experiences that will help them take their next steps with confidence. At King's Bruton, we are committed to ensuring that every pupil leaves us not only with excellent qualifications, but also with the character, resilience and self-belief to thrive in the opportunities ahead.



ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

These awards give pupils the chance to show genuine academic passion and readiness for A-Level study. Candidates sit a paper in one of their chosen A-Level subjects, give a short presentation on a topic they care about, and meet the Headmaster for an interview.

Academic Scholars receive support and encouragement to pursue their interests and achieve highly within the Sixth Form.





ART SCHOLARSHIPS

Art Scholars can demonstrate their creativity through a portfolio of work completed over the last two years, alongside practical tasks on Assessment Day. Candidates meet members of the Art Department and the Headmaster to discuss their ideas and artistic interests.

As Scholars, pupils are supported to continue developing their personal style and artistic confidence.

DRAMA SCHOLARSHIPS

Drama Scholarships are awarded to pupils with exceptional talent in performance or theatre production. Candidates submit a short review of a recent performance, present a monologue or technical piece, take part in a collaborative workshop, and speak with the Headmaster.

Drama Scholars enjoy many opportunities to develop their skills, confidence and stagecraft at King's Bruton.





MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Music Scholarships allow pupils to share their musical strengths and gain professional support to take them further. Candidates perform on two instruments (or voice), complete musicianship tests, and bring GCSE music work to discuss. Scholars receive free tuition on two instruments, enabling them to continue growing as musicians.

MUSIC EXHIBITIONS

Music Exhibitions may be offered to pupils who show great promise but are not yet at full scholarship level.



SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS

Sports Scholarships recognise pupils who excel in one major sport or who play 1st team level throughout the year. Candidates provide a sporting CV and a coach's report, then complete assessments focusing on athletic ability, leadership, tactical awareness and sport-specific skills. Sports Scholars benefit from excellent coaching and development opportunities at King's Bruton.

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