



Ernest Bevin Academy The best in everyone[™]

Part of United Learning



'We are committed to ensuring that every student, not only achieves their potential, but aspires to go beyond it.' **Tracy Dohel, Principal**



Welcome from the Principal

Welcome to Ernest Bevin Academy – I hope this prospectus will give you some sense of the school's vitality, values and of the many achievements of our students.

Ernest Bevin Academy is an all-boys school with a mixed sixth form where we provide an exceptional level of pastoral care, academic education and enrichment for every student. We are committed to providing excellence in education and opportunities for all.

In June 2022, Ofsted recognised that "Pupils value the support they receive in lessons, and they benefit from leaders' and teachers' high expectations."

We offer a rich, varied and stimulating curriculum, delivering a full range of subjects and quality coaching in many sports. Students and staff benefit from our excellent sporting facilities consisting of: a 25m swimming pool; a dojo for martial arts and a fitness suite. Our students have a track record of sporting success at local, regional and national level, with particular strengths in table tennis and cricket. We deliver an ambitious and creative curriculum designed to develop a love of learning and an intellectual curiosity amongst our students. In addition to the formal curriculum, we offer a wealth of enrichment opportunities designed to enhance our students' educational experience and develop their cultural awareness and appreciation. We aim to ensure that our students graduate from Ernest Bevin Academy with excellent qualifications, life skills and wealth of experience to ensure their success in further education, training or a career path of their choosing.

We are committed to securing the very best for all our students and in doing so, teaching them the values that lie at the heart of everything we do. From 1st March 2023 we officially became an academy with United Learning . We look forward to forging a strong partnership with the group and know their aims resonate with our own; a high expectation of the quality of education and pastoral care; preparing students for life and the quality of the environment and relationships.

As Principal of Ernest Bevin Academy, I very much hope you take the opportunity to visit us and I look forward to welcoming you to the school.

Tracy Dohel, Principal



A warm and inclusive

At Ernest Bevin Academy we are immensely proud of every student. Your son will be treated with respect as an individual, whose academic and emotional needs we will aspire to meet.

The pastoral care in the school is second to none, and your family will be embraced as part of the Ernest Bevin Academy. As well as supporting your son, we will make sure that you feel part of our school community through regular communication and invitations to get involved in specific aspects of Ernest Bevin life.

Ours is an inclusive school and we support every boy to reach their potential, no matter his background or any personal or learning challenges he may face.



Your son's views will be represented in our leadership team decision-making through our Student Council system. The representatives from each year group discuss important aspects of school life raised by their peers and help shape the future direction of the school for the benefit of everyone.

We continually review our curriculum to make sure that the diversity of our students' backgrounds is represented in all areas of academic learning and pastoral support. We strive to ensure that your son will recognise himself within his learning, and has a clear sense of his individual identity. All subjects seize every opportunity to reflect the history and diversity of different cultures and faiths. Ernest Bevin students have gone on to do great things in all sectors of industry. Some of the most high-profile include Mayor of London Sadiq Khan, Presenter of the Gadget Show Otis Deley and CEO of Pret a Manger Pano Christou. We regularly invite our past students in to talk to current students. We want your son to be confident and knowledgeable about the many different careers that an Ernest Bevin education can open up for him.

'Before I joined, I chatted to the teachers and got to know the school. Schools are complicated places but that's what makes them interesting – there's lots of new things to try.' **Ibrahim** Students value the support they receive in lessons and benefit from high expectations.



Your family will be joining the school at an exciting time as we continue to improve under the leadership of our highly ambitious Principal.



A broad and balanced curriculum

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Ernest Bevin parents value our broad and balanced curriculum as it gives their sons the opportunity to gain knowledge across a full range of subjects.

Your son will start his secondary education with an engaging timetable of practical, academic, sporting and creative subjects. The vast majority of students study a modern foreign language, and we hope your son will choose to do the same.

Teaching and learning is thoughtfully planned so that in each subject your son will benefit from a stimulating and rigorous mix of formal lessons, practical activities, visits and school trips, supported by relevant online and other resources.



At Key Stage 4 in addition to the core subjects of Mathematics, Science, English, Modern Languages and Humanities, students can choose from a broad range of subjects according to their interests. Our specialist facilities include a swimming pool, six Design Technology rooms including a state of the art engineering room, three Art rooms and six IT suites.

Our strong relationships with local universities mean we can offer a range of opportunities for your son to pursue careers-linked programmes in Key Stage 4 within his timetable.

'If you're into science and technology – this is a great place for you – there's a 3D printer, wood-cutting machines and specially designed science labs with loads of equipment.' **Nick**

An exciting extra-curricular programme

Whatever your son's extra-curricular interests, we're confident he'll find something to inspire him at Ernest Bevin.

The college has a track record of sporting success at local, regional and national level, with particular strengths in table tennis, judo, volleyball and cricket.

There is specialist coaching in many sports, supported by excellent facilities which include a 25m swimming pool, a dojo for martial arts and a fitness suite. Ernest Bevin is one of only a handful of schools to offer a Royal Marines detachment of the Combined Cadet Force (CCF). Getting involved in CCF provides opportunities for your son to develop leadership and teamwork skills, as well as providing insights into a possible future career. 'It's quite a big school, but it feels close-knit – you get to know people in other year groups through the clubs and sports.' Zach

For students interested in developing their STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) skills further, we have a range of after school and lunchtime clubs offering opportunities to experiment, collaborate and create ideas and projects.

We partner with St George's University as part of their Science Stars programme, a scheme run for those interested in pursuing a medical career.

Our Curriculum Leaders actively invite suggestions for new extra-curricular clubs. If boys have a particular interest, and there are others in college who share their passion, we will do everything we can to create an opportunity for them to pursue it.



'I'm in the cricket team – whatever sports you like to do – table tennis, swimming, basketball – you can do here.' **Yusuf**



A thriving Sixth Form for boys and girls

At the end of Year 11, the majority of our students choose to join the large and popular Ernest Bevin Academy Sixth Form.



'I always look forward to my lessons because not only are they fun and engaging but importantly I feel the teachers' passion and care towards our learning, and I believe this is what encourages we students to give our best and study hard.'

Year 12 student

Through personalised careers guidance in Years 10 and 11, we will support your son to understand all the opportunities that exist, including our own high-performing Sixth Form.

Currently around three quarters of our Year 11s stay with us for Years 12 and 13. We are proud to support both A Levels and BTECs in our co-educational Sixth Form centre. Academic, vocational and hybrid pathways are available to our students. EBA offer a wide range of subjects including Engineering, Business, Art and Design and Psychology.

From Sixth form, the majority go on to higher education, or embark on apprenticeships with top companies, including Transport for London (TFL), British Army, The Mace Group, IBM and Skanska AB.



Over 100 Sixth Form students go to university each year, many of whom gained places at the country's most prestigious Russell Group institutions.





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'At EBA, the support we get is like our own family. As a family there are no limits to what we can achieve.' **Ayub**

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