

# KELLETT SCHOOL SIXTH FORM



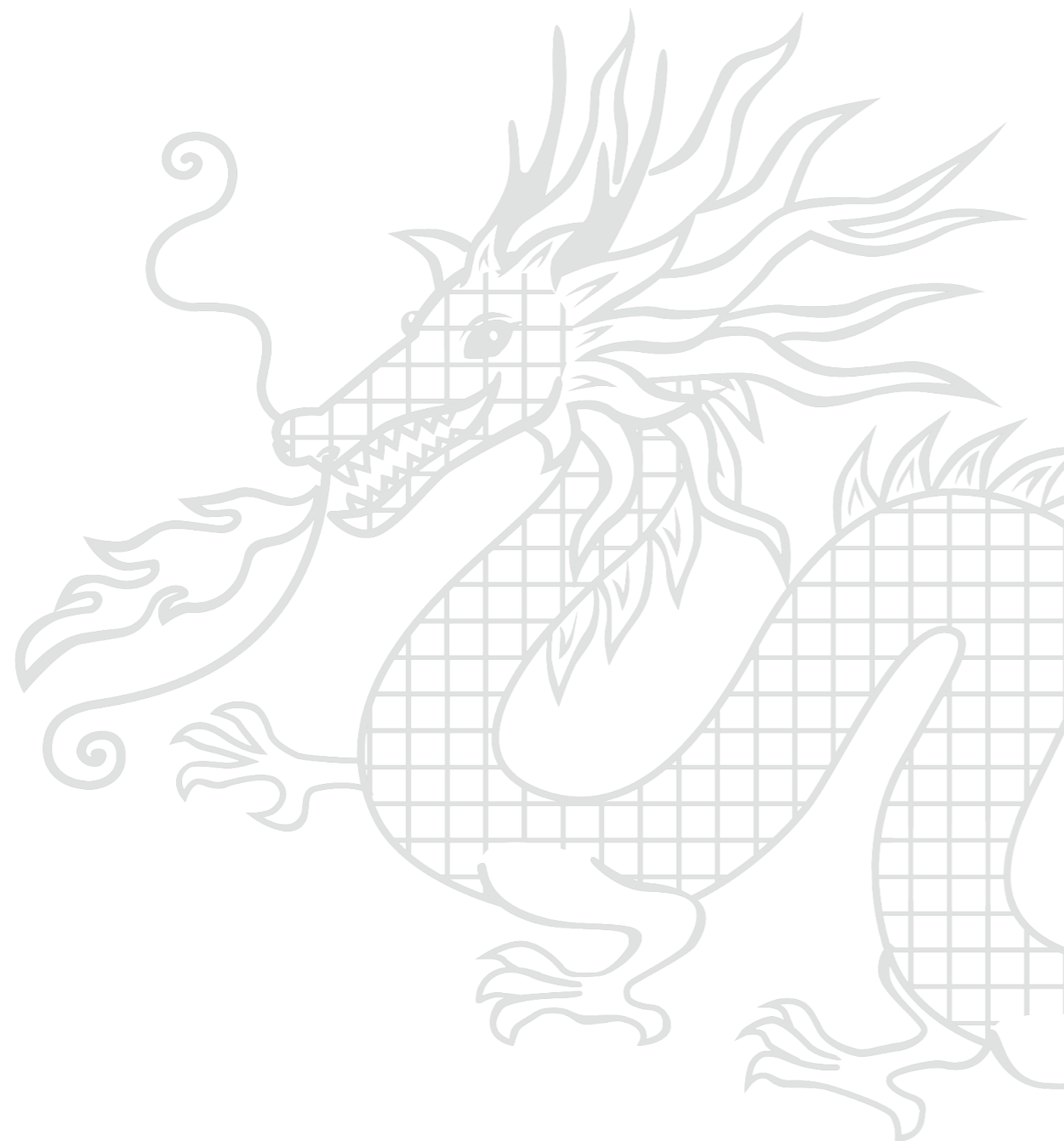
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The British International School  
in Hong Kong



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## FOREWORD FROM THE HEAD

At Kellett, we're immensely proud of our exemplary Sixth Form programme, meticulously designed to enrich our students' academic experience. We firmly believe in the importance of a solid academic foundation for future success, and therefore, offer a wide array of opportunities that extend learning beyond the traditional curriculum. Our students can delve deeper into their studies via additional elective courses such as the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ), a Mini-MBA, and a LAMDA Public Speaking qualification. These enriching courses not only expand their knowledge and skills but also equip them with valuable experiences that prepare them for the rigours of higher education and the professional world.



Recognising the significance of a holistic education, we also offer a diverse co-curricular programme. This allows students the freedom to pursue their interests and passions outside the classroom, participating in a variety of activities tailored to their unique talents and ambitions.

We take immense pride in our students' consistent achievements in public examinations. Their exceptional results pave the way to a broad spectrum of universities, including some of the most selective institutions worldwide. However, our focus isn't limited to academic success. We endeavour to nurture confident, globally aware individuals who appreciate and respect diverse cultures and beliefs. We believe that cultivating cultural awareness and empathy is crucial for our students' personal growth and their capacity to excel in a globally interconnected world.

As a parent, we understand your desire for the best possible future for your child. Our Sixth Form programme equips students with the necessary knowledge and skills for higher education, whilst also nurturing their personal development to prepare them for a successful and fulfilling life beyond school.

We warmly invite you to delve into our prospectus to discover more about our school's values, facilities, and the comprehensive support we extend to our students. We eagerly anticipate partnering with you on this exciting educational journey for your child.

Joe Alsop  
Head of Senior School



# AN OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

We are one of the few schools in Hong Kong to offer A-Levels and our results in this globally recognised qualification are consistently amongst the best in the world. By choosing A-Levels, students' knowledge, understanding and skills are deepened thanks to the programme's in-depth subject content. Students normally study three subjects during their two years in the Sixth Form. There are currently 22 subjects available to study:

English Literature	Mathematics
Further Mathematics	Economics
Chemistry	Biology
Geography	Business Studies
Psychology	Mandarin
Art	Design Technology
Physical Education	Music
Spanish	Computer Science
Physics	History
Media Studies	Drama
Politics	French

By studying three A-Level subjects, time is available for the rigorous academic programme to be supplemented by a variety of initiatives that emphasise critical thinking, presentation skills, physical and mental health, and also introduces students to the world of business.

For some students, and depending on their University aspirations, there is the opportunity to study a fourth A-Level.



*"I really do think that Kellett's emphasis on independent learning has prepared me well for the realities of studies at university and also life in general. We have had classes in Global Citizenship to prepare us on how to manage budgets, how to cook and how to do the laundry."*

**Dhruv Chaubal, Economics and Economic History student at the London School of Economics**

# WELLBEING

Wellbeing at Kellett is both proactive and reactive. Our deep and wide pastoral infrastructure, including trained counselors, works to mitigate and react to situations, whilst our Positively Kellett curriculum focuses on equipping students to thrive when faced with life's challenges. Delivered to all Sixth Form students for a lesson each week, Positively Kellett addresses a wide range of topics such as relationships, rights, philosophy and responsibilities, helping students to become informed, critical, responsible, healthy and active citizens.

# MINI MBA

Kellett's Mini MBA has been developed and is delivered in partnership with IE Business School in Madrid, rated by the Financial Times as providing the best online MBA in the world. This is a practical class designed to provide a simulated experience of building a startup. The goal is to create an entrepreneurial experience for the student. The course is delivered by Professor Leticia Ponce Hernández who is the Director of the IE University Startup Lab and an Entrepreneur and Angel Investor.



# EXTENDED PROJECT QUALIFICATION (EPQ)

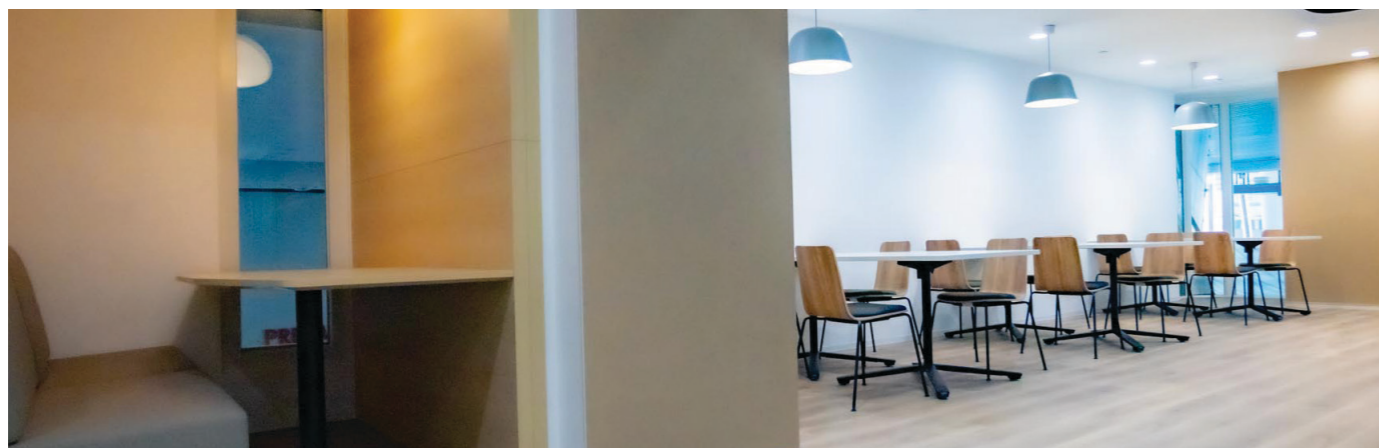
To give students the opportunity to focus on their passions, many of our Sixth Formers undertake the EPQ, an in-depth piece of research which involves producing a 5,000-word essay. If students receive top grades in their EPQ, some universities such as York, Bath, Cardiff and Exeter make slightly lower offers.

# CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES

Critical Perspectives lessons encourage students to delve into critical thinking and hard questions, as well as introducing them to subjects they may not have previously encountered, such as Philosophy, Sociology and Evolutionary Biology. Similar to university study, the course is delivered through lectures, student-led presentations and seminars, with reading and discussion time.

# SIXTH FORM LIFE

Our facilities include a state-of-the-art Sixth Form study suite with a fully equipped kitchen and common room, allowing our oldest students to form a strong community in a comfortable environment. As a break from academia, students are free to use the gym and indoor swimming pool at designated times. There are also a number of annual social events just for Sixth Form students.



# RESPONSIBILITY & INDEPENDENCE

Reaching the Sixth Form is a significant milestone in a student's education, and as such students are given greater responsibility, as well as more independence and privileges. Sixth Formers are supported by a dedicated team of staff all of whom are members of ISCA and IACAC the key associations for international school counseling. In addition, the school offers a range of highly sought after leadership opportunities to lead at the ECA, Subject, House and whole school level. Around half of the Sixth Form will take on a leadership role during their two years.

# UNIVERSITY & CAREERS GUIDANCE

Many of our students gain places at the world's leading universities including Oxbridge, the Ivy League and in Hong Kong. Our Careers and University Guidance team, including a specialist in highly selective university entrance, provides one-on-one guidance to help students make the right decision about what and where they study after Sixth Form, and their career pathway.

The team oversees an impressive enrichment programme to support students applying to highly selective universities, as well as those applying to a range of courses, including the Arts, Medicine (and associated BMAT & UCAT preparation), STEM, the Humanities, Law, English and the Earth Sciences.



*"The Sixth Form team was fantastic in helping me narrow down my university choices. Their expertise and knowledge on universities all over the world was integral to my decision, and they were always there to talk with me when I needed advice."*

**Ellie Alexander, Politics and International Studies student at The University of Warwick**

# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

In order to ensure that students can successfully access the curriculum, we have a minimum expectation of prior attainment. All students applying to the School will be interviewed by the Head of Sixth Form and a member of the Sixth Form team and take a series of entrance tests.

For further information please visit the admission page of our website or contact [admissions@kellettschool.com](mailto:admissions@kellettschool.com).

