



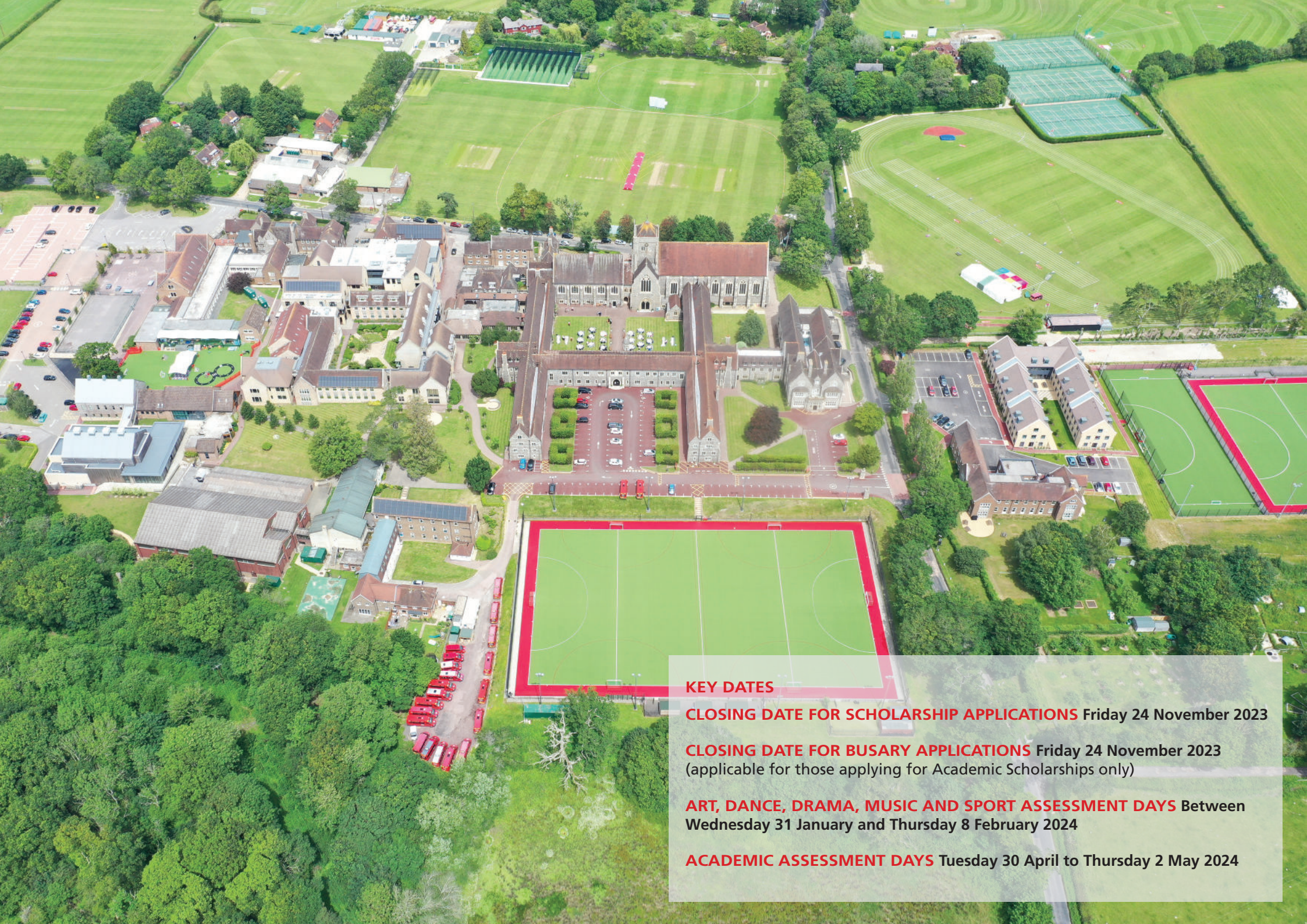
SUSSEX

SIXTH FORM AWARD



FULLY FUNDED SCHOLARSHIP FOR SIXTH FORM
ENTRY 2024

AN OPPORTUNITY TO TRANSFORM YOUR CHILD'S FUTURE



KEY DATES

CLOSING DATE FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS Friday 24 November 2023

CLOSING DATE FOR BUSARY APPLICATIONS Friday 24 November 2023
(applicable for those applying for Academic Scholarships only)

ART, DANCE, DRAMA, MUSIC AND SPORT ASSESSMENT DAYS Between
Wednesday 31 January and Thursday 8 February 2024

ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT DAYS Tuesday 30 April to Thursday 2 May 2024

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF COLLEGE

Dear Parent/Carer/Student,

During the course of its history, Hurstpierpoint College has always endeavoured to provide a number of places for academically gifted students who would flourish at the College but who could not attend without major financial support. This is very much in keeping with the charitable ideas of the College's founder, Nathaniel Woodard, as well as our wish to play an important role in our local community. Currently, there are a number of pupils in each year group from age 11 onwards at the College who receive a fully-funded place at the School. They are very much a part of our community and recognised as Scholars but also, most importantly, as regular pupils at the School. We hugely value these individuals and do our very best to ensure that they leave Hurst having achieved the very best that they can achieve.

In order to raise the profile of our Sixth Form entry and to encourage appropriate candidates to apply, we have launched the Sussex Award. This is for candidates applying to join our Sixth Form who live locally, within the Sussex area, and who would not only gain a huge amount from being at Hurst but would also give a great deal in return. The Sussex Award is means tested and will, as appropriate, attract full funding for a place at the College as well as support for any extras involved in being at the College, whether in terms of trips, academic materials or general kit. It is very important to us that any Sussex Award holder feels like a normal member of the College and can participate in the same way as everybody else.

We have an extremely good track record of developing young men and women and those who have joined us on such an award in the past have thrived here.

We have had considerable success at Oxbridge and other leading Universities as well as enabling applicants to go on to read Medicine, Veterinary Science and Law. At the same time, a Hurst Sixth Form education is about much more than just the purely academic and we really do believe that our students leave here ready and prepared for the world ahead but also with a strong sense of themselves as well as the ability to achieve their ambitions.

Do contact Dianne Allison, Head of Admissions, (dianne.allison@hppc.co.uk) if you wanted discuss the Sussex Award further, myself (dominic.mott@hppc.co.uk) or the Head of Sixth Form, Brian Schofield (brian.schofield@hppc.co.uk).

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,



Dominic Mott
Head of College

SCHOLARSHIP CONDITIONS

- The Sussex Awards are made subject to students achieving the College's Sixth Form entry requirements in the subjects they intend to study at A-level.
- Award holders will be monitored throughout their time at the College and awards will be reviewed annually to ensure satisfactory contribution and progress. The annual review of award holders by the Headmaster and others will take place in the Lent term. If the Award holder is not making satisfactory progress, parents will be advised and the pupil set clear targets. If these are not met by the end of the summer term, the award will be withdrawn at that point.
- Award holders are expected to represent the College at Open Morning, matches, performances (as appropriate to the award) and at similar occasions.
- Any pupil in possession of an award of any sort who is suspended from the school will automatically lose their award.



GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICATION PROCESS

Candidates are required to sit the Academic Scholarship exam where they will take two examinations in nominated subjects offered in the Sixth Form. They will also be required to sit verbal and non verbal reasoning tests as part of the process and attend interviews.

Parents are asked to complete a bursary application form which is to be returned to the external bursary company together with supporting documentation by the closing date.

Candidates will be invited to an assessment day on either **Monday 20 or Tuesday 21 November 2023**. Please note that dependant on numbers, candidates may be required to attend both days. Candidates are welcome to apply for other Scholarships offered and details of these can be found in the 16+ Scholarship information booklet included with this pack.

For all applications, a confidential reference will be requested from the candidate's current school.

The closing date for applications is **Friday 20 October 2023**.

LOWER SIXTH CHECK LIST OF FORMS TO BE RETURNED

All application forms should be completed online and are available from Friday 1 September 2023.

SUSSEX AWARD ENTRY

1. **Registration Form** (available now)
Complete the online registration form: hppc.co.uk/registration-form
There is no requirement to pay the registration fee.
2. **Lower Sixth Entry Form**
Online form: hppc.co.uk/apply-scholarship
3. **Sussex Award Entry Form**
Please ensure two subject choices are entered on the form.
4. **Bursary Application Form**
Online form: hppc.co.uk/apply-bursary

SIXTH FORM OPEN MORNING

Saturday 7th October 2023

We would be delighted to welcome you to this event - please book a place via the website:

hppc.co.uk/open-mornings

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Friday 20 October 2023

You will need to have completed the forms listed to the left.

SIXTH FORM ASSESSMENT DAYS

Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 November 2023

Pupils will be sent details closer to the date and will be required to sit reasoning tests, have interviews as well as scholarship assessments, if applicable.

Week of 1 December 2023

Offers of a place are made to applicants and deposits requested.

SIXTH FORM CHOICES MORNING

Early January 2024

For those who have accepted a place at the College, this is an opportunity for pupils to attend talks about the subjects they may be interested in studying in the Sixth Form.

These dates are guidelines only and are subject to change.



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