

WIGSTON COLLEGE

2027-2028



**// STUDENTS
FIRST //**

"Wigston College provides the perfect balance between academic excellence and extra-curricular opportunities so that students not only obtain fantastic exam results, but leave confident, capable and fully equipped with the skills they need to be successful in whichever pathway they choose post-16"

We look forward to meeting you

Student leadership team - 2026-2027



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WHY COME TO WIGSTON COLLEGE

- ✓ Students first
- ✓ Varied curriculum
- ✓ Personalised support
- ✓ Wellbeing support
- ✓ Great relationships with universities and employers
- ✓ Developing independence and preparation for your next steps
- ✓ Wide range of enrichment opportunities

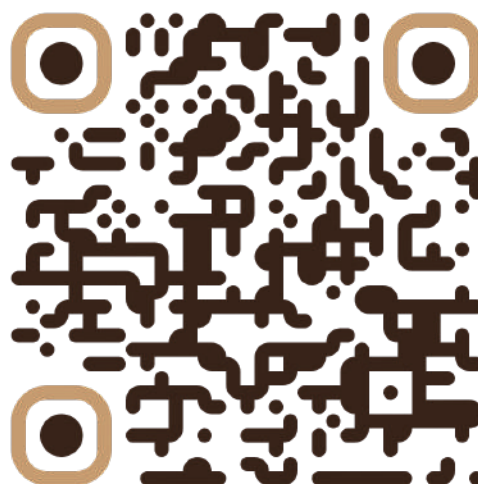


Each year about 75% of Year 13 students go off to universities including those in the Russell Group. We will support our highest achieving students in applications to Oxbridge and to prestigious medicine and law degrees. All students are guided through the university application process as smoothly and early as possible, with particular assistance given to the writing of the personal statement.

A LEVEL:

- ✓ Ancient History
- ✓ Art & Design
- ✓ (Fine art, 3D and Textiles pathways)
- ✓ Biology
- ✓ Chemistry
- ✓ Computer Science
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama and Theatre
- ✓ Economics
- ✓ English language
- ✓ English Literature
- ✓ Film studies
- ✓ French
- ✓ Further Mathematics
- ✓ Geography
- ✓ History
- ✓ Law
- ✓ Mathematics
- ✓ Media Studies
- ✓ Physical Education
- ✓ Physics
- ✓ Politics
- ✓ Psychology
- ✓ Sociology
- ✓ Spanish

OUR LEVEL THREE COURSES



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LEVEL 3

- ✓ Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Certificate in Performing Arts
- ✓ Cambridge OCR Level 3 AAQ Advanced National in Applied Science
- ✓ Criminology Level 3 Applied Diploma (WJEC)
- ✓ Cambridge OCR Level 3 AAQ Advanced National in Cyber Security & Networks
- ✓ Cambridge OCR Level 3 AAQ Advanced National in Health & Social Care
- ✓ Cambridge Technical OCR Level 3 in Sport & Physical Activity (single option)
- ✓ Cambridge Technical OCR Level 3 in Sport & Physical Activity (double option)
- ✓ Level 3 Mathematical Studies (Core Mathematics)
- ✓ Extended Project Qualification (AQA EPQ)
- ✓ V Level Digital Systems
- ✓ V Level Education
- ✓ V Level Accounting & Finance

COURSE COMBINATIONS



Remember – you have the option to mix and match courses!



OPTIONS

A LEVELS

Choose 3 to study 3 A Levels

EXTENDED CERTIFICATES

Choose 3 to study

COMBINATIONS

Choose 3 in combination

- ✓ A Level
- ✓ Extended Certificate
- ✓ Diploma
- ✓ Technical Diploma

Talk to us about combinations if unsure!

FOUNDATION YEAR

For Students' who have achieved 3's and 4's as a stepping stone to Level 3 studies.

- ✓ Retake in: English/Science/Maths
- ✓ L3 Sustainability
- ✓ L3 Financial
- ✓ L3 Oracy

S T U D E N T S F I R S T

CHOOSING COURSES



When choosing courses, remember:



- ✓ **Choose subjects you enjoy and play to your strengths**
- ✓ **Look at University websites to check A Level and Level 3 entry requirements for specific degree subjects.**
- ✓ **Some universities, such as Oxford and Cambridge, produce lists of preferred A Level subjects**
- ✓ **Certain careers require specific A Level / Level 3 subjects**
- ✓ **Look at higher level and degree Apprenticeship websites**
- ✓ **Refer to Wigston College subject information pages**



**SCAN TO VIEW
SUBJECT INFORMATION**

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A LEVEL & LEVEL 3

2 years including bespoke support linked to universities – For these programmes of study, students are expected to achieve a minimum of 5 GCSEs at grade 5 and above including English Language for A Level courses.

Students must also meet all individual subject entry requirements. For students who have studied vocational courses alongside GCSEs, a Merit or Distinction is required to progress onto A Level courses.

VOCATIONAL PATHWAY

- ✓ 3 x level 3 qualifications
- ✓ Please talk to us
- ✓ You may qualify for a reduced offer of 5 GCSEs at grade 4

If you have achieved the grades to take specific subjects but have a grade 3 in English Language or Maths, resit classes will be available, however, there are some A level courses that you will not be able to begin without them.

Foundation Year – This is a one year foundation course leading to 1 or 2 further years at advanced level. This is solely for students who hold a Level 3 offer, but just miss their course criteria offer and who have clear potential to succeed at advanced level following a year of support in a foundation year.

To be made an offer we expect applicants to have a good reference and maintain a good level of attendance and conduct.



Wigston College Application Process ↓

**September to
October**

Information and
Guidance

4th November

Open evening
come and meet us!

**January 31st
2027**

Application
deadline

August 2027

Enrolment

June 24th

Welcome to Wigston
College Induction Day

*Join us as a sixth former
for a day!*

February

Application decisions
and interviews

*Meeting a member of
the Post 16 team*



WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY ABOUT US

Wigston College has been one of the best decisions i have made. Attending this college has made the transition from secondary school to college seem easier and more comfortable.

Having a safe space, I can go to has made the college significantly more accessible, I found the social side unbearable at the start of Year 12, and now I have a strong friendship group and constant pastoral support. This has built my confidence and encouraged me to aim as highly as possible after college.

Each member of staff is kind, supportive and, in my opinion, one of the best in their field and the facilities have been so helpful in my courses so far. If you want to experience a productive and nurturing atmosphere in a college, one that is sympathetic to your studies in every way, then Wigston College is the right choice for you!

Wigston College is a very welcoming place, where the teachers support students to succeed.

My experience has been something I'll never forget!! The teachers have been so endlessly helpful and supportive to me and given me so much advice (both educational and personal) and you've really helped me get through these past two years, I'm so grateful

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SIXTH FORM OPEN EVENING

WEDNESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER | 5:00PM - 7:30PM



'Students First'

"Students enjoy their lessons and are proud of their work" – Ofsted Report

- Talk to our subject specialists
- Meet our Students
- Find out what makes Wigston College unique!


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