

## GENERAL STUDIES

**Level : AS**

**Examination Board : OCR**

General Studies is one of the ways in which the Sixth Form curriculum is broadened. General Studies AS is taken by all students in Year 12, and the majority of these continue it at A2.

General Studies AS is an integral component of the AQA Baccalaureate qualification that the majority of our students undertake. Both the General Studies and AQA Baccalaureate gain additional UCAS points which significantly enhance a student's potential to secure the university destination of their choice.

General Studies seminars will be provided during the year covering such areas as Europe, Art appreciation, current affairs and community awareness. All students will benefit from this enrichment to the curriculum.

Students will be prepared for the AS examination, with a series of seminars. These seminars will seek to address exam techniques and focus upon content relevant to the three areas of content, i.e. social, cultural and scientific.

Results in AS/A2 General Studies are amongst the highest in the school.

For more detailed information, please go to the OCR website : [www.ocr.org.uk](http://www.ocr.org.uk).