

Haileybury Almaty

The Sixth Form

A-level



Welcome!

We wish you a warm welcome to Haileybury Almaty's Sixth Form, as you consider the next stage of education in your aspirations for university and working life. Your choice of post-16 education - both the institution you choose, and the courses you wish to study - is one of the most important decisions you will make in your life. In addition, the educational leap you are about to make is one of the biggest you will ever face. This is therefore an exciting yet daunting time!

Haileybury Almaty seeks to offer the highest quality education in the 16-19 age range, using British A levels. Our vision is to help our students to realise their full potential and access the best universities around the world. With the support of our shareholders and governors, we are able to guarantee small class sizes and a staff of experienced A level teachers.

Parents can rest assured that their children can receive a first-class education in Kazakhstan, among their family and friends, within the supportive Haileybury Almaty environment.

“Life in the Sixth Form at Haileybury Almaty is an incredibly rich and diverse experience”

Karina Bissenova (Haileybury Almaty graduate)

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Students are encouraged to take responsibility for their own learning, and to grow and mature as individuals. To assist this transition to adulthood we provide experienced subject teachers; form tutors, who keep an overall view of students' pastoral and academic needs; and individual mentors, who help each student develop a plan for success. The Head of Sixth Form ensures these components fit together so that every student's needs are met, and that they receive advice and guidance for the two-year A level course, university applications around the world, and for future life. In addition, we have a designated USA University Counsellor to guide students through the application process to the States.

The Haileybury Almaty Sixth Form attracts students from our own Year 11, from other schools in Almaty and elsewhere in Kazakhstan, and from a wide range of countries around the world. We realise it is important that students feel comfortable in their new environment. We work hard to ensure the students work together and support each other, through team-building activities and Sixth Form social events.





Destinations

We are proud that our students receive offers from highly ranked universities around the world, for a wide range of courses. Our 2017 graduates received offers from the London School of Economics (LES), ranked third in the world for Politics, and two students (one with a 50% scholarship) were offered places at Sciences Po University in France, which is ranked fourth in the world for Political Science. One of our students secured a place at the University of the Arts, London at Central St Martin's, ranked number one in the world for Fashion Design. One of our students is now studying at Imperial College London, ranked eighth in the world for Engineering. We are also very proud of a student who is now on course to be an illustrator who received offers from two New York-based universities ranked third and fifth in the world for this subject, again with good scholarships.

The 2017 graduates are now studying in the USA, UK, Canada, France, Spain, the Netherlands, and Malaysia, studying subjects ranging from Business Management, Finance, Computer Science, Psychology, and Engineering to Art & Design.

University visits

Haileybury Almaty has an enviable and growing reputation as a school that produces excellent students. More and more international universities are visiting the school to try to attract our students. Last year we welcomed over 100 universities to our school. We had many individual universities talk to our students, including Harvard University and Yale NUS. We also hosted major UK, USA and European university fairs.

Meeting university representatives face-to-face gives our students a huge incentive to work hard and reach their goals. It has often been an added bonus in helping the students to receive offers from some of their chosen universities.



Academic Results

Our Sixth Form results for the academic year 2016/17 were again outstanding, with the vast majority achieving grades above their predictions. Our pupils and teachers are incredibly hard-working, and on average we return positive 'value-added' on our pupils' grades.

47% of grades awarded to our pupils were A* or A grades



88% of all our grades were A* — C

We are proud of the achievements of our Sixth Form pupils, with results continuing to improve year-on-year.

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