CONTENTS

WELCOME TO LANGLEY’S CORE VALUES 3

LANGLEY SCHOOL ESTATE 4-5

ACADEMIC SUCCESS 6-7

ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT 8-9

SPORTING EXCELLENCE 10-11

SIXTH FORM 12-13

BOARDING 14-15

SUPPORTING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS 16-17

APPLYING TO LANGLEY SCHOOL 18-19
There has never been a better time to join Langley School. We are a forward thinking Growth Mindset school, providing students with a balanced education tailored around the individual’s needs. All this underpinned by our more traditional strong core values.

The Langley experience for day, weekly, flexi and full boarding students aged 10-18 years combines opportunity, potential and balance. Students share our passion; they are our best ambassadors.

Extensive facilities and academic flexibility allow us to offer more to our students. Outstanding sporting facilities for all ages and abilities, from recreational to elite. A broader curriculum with over 60 activities designed to enrich their learning. Guaranteed small class sizes and student-centric, tailored learning, enables us to deliver this.

Because we offer so much, we expect a lot from our students in return. Ultimately, we expect each Langley student to leave here with their potential fulfilled: confident and well-rounded young men and women.

Our students aspire to go onto university, the workplace and elite sporting academies. We make sure they are ready.

Dominic Findlay
Headmaster

LANGLEY’S CORE VALUES

- **Commitment** - pride in what we do through hard work, support for others and following the rules.
- **Opportunity** - be positive and get involved, set goals that challenge you.
- **Respect** - celebrate differences and individuality. Listen to others. Be honest, polite and treat others how you expect to be treated.
- **Excellence** - be proud of your own and others’ achievements. Reach your potential and always behave in a way that would make you and your school proud.
Langley School is one of the most advanced well-resourced and forward thinking independent schools in the east of England. We have an inclusive ethos and a commitment both to academic excellence and to meeting the broader needs of every pupil.

Why choose Langley School?

- Day, weekly, flexi and full boarding
- Small class sizes, approx. 8 in Year 6 and 16 per class in Year 7-11. Sixth Form classes are small depending on subjects studied
- Nurturing and caring community with excellent pastoral care
- Extensive choice of subjects at GCSE and A Level
- Year 9 options programme
- Excellent sporting facilities with out-reach programmes to local and national clubs
- Extensive extra and co-curricular activities
- Dedicated departments for learning support and English as an Additional Language
- An Artmarks school – outstanding provision in Music, Drama and Art
- Specialist subject teachers in all departments
- A full programme of activities with over 60 to choose from
- Combined Cadet Force from Year 9
- Fleet of minibuses covering a wide area
- Scholarships and Bursaries available
Langley School has a progressive, wide-ranging academic curriculum and high-quality teaching support. Parents are kept up-to-date with progress through regular reports and contact with the school.

Small class sizes foster productive relationships, where each student is helped to achieve their potential at a pace that is right for them.

We offer more choice and flexibility than other schools. All Year 6 students, for instance, can now study French, German, Spanish and Mandarin Chinese (a taster of each) and then for Year 7 they choose to continue with two of these four. We also start our options programme in Year 9.

Drama at Langley is one of our most popular and successful subjects and students benefit from a purpose-built black box studio theatre. We are proud holders of the Artmarks Award; given by the Arts Council England to schools that champion arts and culture in the classroom.

Our award-winning Design Technology department is a national Centre of Excellence, with state-of-the-art CNC equipment alongside more traditional manufacturing resources.

**DIGITAL LEARNING**

As well as subject-specific facilities, we also embrace digital technologies in all subjects. We believe that the appropriate use of digital resources should be encouraged. It enhances engagement and encourages independent learning after class.

“ONE OF THE GREAT THINGS ABOUT LANGLEY IS THAT YOU REALISE THAT EVERYONE’S LOOKING OUT FOR YOU AND MAKING THE MOST OF WHAT YOU WANT TO ACHIEVE” Joe, Year 13
From Monday to Thursday, the school day ends with activities designed to enhance the students’ overall learning, skills, and experience. There is a huge choice of activities for students to choose from each term, and a different activity can be selected for each day.

These activities are extremely popular with students who are encouraged to make the most of these opportunities to improve their education and school experience. There really is something for everyone, with the rewards being both immediate and long-lasting:

- Broader learning, new challenges, new passions, new friends.
- Confidence and self-esteem from developing unique talents.
- Social development and real-life skills for the future.
- Fun-filled memories that last a lifetime.

We offer over 60 activities, here are just a few. If you would like the complete list, please contact our Admissions Team 01508 520210 admissions@langleyschool.co.uk

Here is a taste of the activities students can choose from:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Activity</th>
<th>Activity</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Yoga</td>
<td>Mah-Jong</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ballet</td>
<td>Cribbage</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1 car design</td>
<td>Basketball</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cinema Club</td>
<td>Magicians Club</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Miniature Railway</td>
<td>Guitar Club</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stock Market Challenge</td>
<td>Creative drawing</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Politics Society</td>
<td>Robotics and Computer Science</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ceramic and Sculpture</td>
<td>Duke of Edinburgh Awards</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Programming and Coding Club</td>
<td>News and Current Affairs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reading Café</td>
<td>Debating</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Sport is an integral part of life at Langley School. Comprising 110 acres of Norfolk countryside and grounds, we have some of the best sports facilities for teaching theory and practical in the UK. We offer our students excellent modern sporting facilities in a beautiful and historic setting.

Langley proudly offers students the opportunity to enrol in academies in the following sports: Football, Hockey, Cricket, Kayaking and Rugby. We are one of the only schools in the UK to offer a dedicated programme of sports working with key sporting partners including Norwich City Football Club, Leicester Tigers Rugby Academy, and the British Canoeing Talent Pathway Programme.

Langley is a school where individual talents can be nurtured, developed and encouraged. Many students have excelled in recent years and their physical literacy and Long Term Athlete Development (LTAD) are well managed to maximise their potential in their chosen sports.

Traditional team sports are also available throughout the year and our inclusive environment ensures that all ages and abilities have an opportunity to take part in the sport and most of all, have fun.

We are pleased to offer an extensive range of scholarships and bursaries for outstanding young sportsmen and women.
Life for students at Langley’s Sixth Form encompasses hard work, responsibility, opportunities and lots of fun. We inspire and encourage our students so they make the most of their talents and fulfil their individual potential.

Our course subjects offer something for everyone and our small class sizes ensure that students get the support network they need from our experienced tutors.

Our purpose built Sixth Form and Performance Hall, gives students their independence and freedom away from the main school, whilst still being part of the wider Langley community. Students are encouraged to use the building freely and to make use of our learning support services and excellent facilities, which include:

- Modern café within the Sixth Form Centre
- Large, contemporary common room
- ICT suite
- Seminar rooms
- Study/breakout wifi-enabled areas
- High specification performance hall

Langley Sixth Form is open to current Langley students studying at the Senior School, as well as students from across the UK and international. Entry to the Sixth Form is dependent on performance in GCSE examinations or equivalent level qualifications. So whether your child wants to focus their future career in sports, the arts or somewhere in between, we can help them shine.

Visit our website for more information and to watch our Sixth Form Film. [langleyschool.co.uk](http://langleyschool.co.uk)
Langley offers the perfect environment to live and learn together, giving students the chance to make lifelong friends. We are pleased to offer day, weekly, flexi and full boarding options to students who live in the UK and to those who visit us internationally, from the ages of 10-19.

Separate purpose-built accommodation is available for boys and girls. They have excellent facilities, including newly refurbished common rooms, kitchens, laundry and study areas. We make every effort to ensure Langley feels like a home away from home for our students and cater for the needs of our boarding community to provide them with a safe, friendly and supportive environment.

Students boarding at Langley have numerous activities available to them both after school and at weekends. These include:

- Regular competitions and events organised by students
- Trips to the cinema, theatre, and galleries
- Visiting theme parks and tourist attractions
- Weekly sports clubs
- ‘Film and popcorn’ nights in
- Day trips to Cambridge and London
- Weekend adventure activities; camping, beach, and trips to Thetford Forest
- Paintballing

All students, whether they join us as full, flexi or full boarders experience a caring, warm and supportive environment run by a team of 13 experienced full time houseparents’ and staff.

“BOARDING IS LIKE ONE BIG FAMILY HERE. WE ALL LOOK AFTER EACH OTHER. I CONSIDER SOME OF THE GIRLS AS MY SISTERS. MY MUM AND DAD LIVE ABOARD SO THESE GIRLS AND MS GODDARD REALLY ARE MY FAMILY WHEN I'M AT SCHOOL.”

Anna, Year 10, full boarder
Our overseas students enrich our school, making us more international and culturally more diverse. In return, we help them in any way they need to make the most of their time at Langley. Our specialist in-house English as an Additional Language team exist to help international students improve their English skills so they can better access their academic courses. All of the team are experienced EAL teachers, supported by learning mentors and a resident teacher from mainland China.

After helping new students settle happily into school life, the team then design tailored support programmes that will help them fulfil their academic potential. All their progress is closely monitored and flexible so that it is always right for them, throughout their time at Langley.

It’s not all work! The department also organises cultural and social outings. Some of the most popular in recent years have been trips to the theatre and events to celebrate Chinese New Year. We encourage all students at Langley to take advantage of our extensive cultural programme.

We are always extremely proud when our international students, supported in their entrance applications by the EAL team, go on to study at UK universities.

“THE TEACHERS ARE VERY KIND AND THE DEPARTMENT HAS LOTS OF WAYS TO HELP INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS WITH OUR ENGLISH LEARNING AND ACADEMIC RESULTS”  Burgy, Year 13
Our admissions process is designed to ensure that all our parents and students know that by joining Langley, they are making the best choice for their education and wellbeing.

Applications are welcome at any time, however, the deadline for receipt of applications is the end of the Autumn Term in the year prior to the year of entry.

**Most students join at:**
- Year 6 (aged 10+)
- Year 7 (aged 11+)
- Year 9 (aged 13+)
- Year 12 (aged 16+) for Sixth Form

**Four steps to joining Langley, a non-selective school:**

1. Complete and submit the application form along with registration fee
2. We will then complete a reference and academic review based on information from the student’s present school
3. Students are then invited for interview with the Headmaster to talk through their reasons for choosing Langley, their academic aspirations and other interests
4. Offer of a place*

**Please contact Admissions for information about:**
- Scholarships and bursaries for exceptionally able students
- Students who require learning support
- Taster days

Note: Admissions are made without reference to gender, disability, race, ethnicity or social-economic background.

*Reasons are always given when students are not offered a place.