



BRUTON SCHOOL  
FOR GIRLS

Admissions Procedure  
Senior School and Sixth Form  
2011 Entry

## Visiting the School

At Bruton School for Girls we encourage all parents and girls to visit the School if possible before the end of the Autumn Term 2010. During your visit you will be given a tour of the school and meet the students and members of staff including the Headmaster or Deputy Head. Please allow 1½ - 2 hours for your visit.

You may arrange to visit the school at any time by contacting the Director of Admissions or attend one of our Open Events as scheduled below:

### **Open Mornings**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2010** 10.00am

### **Open Days**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2010** 9.30am – 3.30pm

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2011** 9.30am – 3.30pm

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2011** 9.30am – 3.30pm

### **Information Evenings**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2010 (Sixth Form)** 7.00pm

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2010 (Senior School)** 7.00pm

## Taster Day

Your daughter will be invited to spend a taster day in school when she will attend lessons and take part in a normal school day. Girls looking to join the school as boarders may also spend a taster night in the boarding house.

## Registration

We ask you to complete and return the Registration Form together with the £50 Registration Fee should you wish your daughter to be considered for entry to Bruton School for Girls. Registration can be done at any time and early registration is encouraged.

## Entrance Assessments

Entry to Bruton School for Girls is dependent upon the following:

- Reference from the Headmaster/Headmistress of current school
- Current school reports
- Interview
- Successful completion of the Entrance Assessments (11+, 12+ and 13+ applicants) or Common Entrance Exams (13+ applicants) or GCSE (Sixth Form applicants)

All girls registered for entry to the Senior School in September 2011 will be invited to complete the Entrance Assessments to be held on:

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2011** Senior Form 2 (12 +) and Senior Form 3 (13+)

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2011** Senior Form 1 (11+)

Those girls applying for Senior Form 3 (13+) Entry from schools who undertake the Common Entrance Examinations have the option not to attend the Entrance Assessments, in which case offers will be made based on interview performance and Common Entrance Examination results.

Girls applying for entry to the Sixth Form are usually required to have achieved five (5) A\* - C grades at GCSE including at least grade B in subjects to be studied at A Level. However, where special circumstances apply each application is assessed on its own merit.

### **Scholarships**

Scholarships are available at Senior Form 1 (11+), Senior Form 3 (13+) and Sixth Form entry for girls who demonstrate outstanding talent or achievement (please see additional Scholarship information).

Scholarship candidates are not required to sit an additional examination but are invited to attend for interview or audition.

Girls wishing to be considered for a Scholarship are asked to complete a Scholarship Application Form (obtainable from the Director of Admissions) and return it by:

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2011**

Scholarship Interviews & Examinations will be held on:

<b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2011</b>	<b>Senior Form 1 (11+) and Senior Form 3 (13+)</b>
<b>Date to be arranged</b>	<b>Sixth Form Entry</b>

### **Governors' Exhibitions**

Governors' Exhibitions are means-tested bursaries awarded to pupils who would benefit from an education at Bruton School for Girls but whose family would need additional financial support. A Governors' Exhibition may be in place of or added to a Scholarship. Parents are asked to complete a financial questionnaire (obtainable from the Director of Admissions) and each application is considered on an individual basis. However, consideration is given to the number and needs of the applicants in determining the value of financial support. Governors' Exhibitions are subject to regular review.

Applications for Governors' Exhibitions should be returned by:

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2011**

### **Offer and Acceptance of a Place**

An offer of a place at Bruton School for Girls is made by the Headmaster in writing following the Entrance Assessments. Applications made after this are assessed and places offered as appropriate. To accept a place we ask you to return the signed Acceptance Form and payment of the deposit of £250.

A Welcome Pack will be forwarded to you during the summer term.

### **New Student Induction Day**

All students entering the School in September 2010 will be invited to attend the Induction Day where they will have the opportunity to spend the day with their 2010 class, meet their teachers and familiarise themselves with the School. The Induction Day for students joining the Senior School in September 2010 will be held on:

<b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2011</b>	<b>Senior Form 1 (11+)</b>
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2011</b>	<b>Senior Form 2 (12+) and Senior Form 3 (13+)</b>
<b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2011</b>	<b>Sixth Form (morning only)</b>

**Applications for September 2011 Senior Form 1 (11+), Senior Form 2 (12+), Senior Form 3 (13+) and Sixth Form entry including Scholarship and Governors' Exhibition applications should be returned to the Director of Admissions by:**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2011**

**All applications received prior to this date will be given priority. Applications received after this date will be considered depending on availability of places.**

**For further information, please contact:**

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