


Sixth Form Life

Through the eyes of a Year 12 student

Before I got into Sixth Form, I knew workload and heavy content would be a real challenge, especially with the intense subject I'm doing. Then for the first couple of weeks it felt exactly how I expected: difficult but manageable.



Now I'm further in, I can say that it is actually a lot harder socially, as my best friend went to a different college. Academically it was harder too - trying to find time for my friends and enjoying myself which is nearly impossible while staying on top of my workload with my part time job. I was struggling for a while trying to get a grip on the massive change and seriously questioned my choices.

However, now I have got into a rhythm, I'm happy to say I don't regret my subjects or choice of Sixth Form at all. The freedom and time I do get with my friends is amazing, as is the support and understanding of my teachers. Yes, it is a lot tougher than I predicted it would be. I'm also enjoying these new challenges and talking to people I've not spoken to in the five years I've been at Oxted!

