

# SOCIOLOGY

## WHAT IS IT?

Sociology is the scientific study of society and the world in which we live. It is about all kinds of social relationships that people share with each other; in their families, in their schools and in work. The topics studied in the course explore issues that affect every one of us every day. The A level in Sociology provides a broad introduction to Sociological thought and key matters surrounding social change.







# **REQUIREMENTS**

GCSE average points score of Grade 5, including GCSE English —Grade 5

#### **ASSESSMENT**

Assessment will all be by examination at the end of Y13. There are 3 x 2hr papers in total. Paper 1: Education with Theory and Methods

Paper 2: Topics in Sociology Paper 3: Crime and Deviance with Theory and Methods

## CONTENT

Families and Households

Education

Research Methods and Methods in Context

Crime and Deviance

Sociological Theories

Beliefs in Society