HITCHIN BOYS' SCHOOL
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## Year 13 Destinations Report 2021

As in previous years this summer there was the usual scenario of some past students continuing to be supported by the School in addition to the outgoing Year 13 students. In total there were 135 students in the current cohort with additional past students who were supported by the sixth form pastoral team.

## Of these 135 students:

11 were from previous cohorts and 124 were from the 2020-21 outgoing Year 13 cohort.

## Overall:

108 students secured a place at University or Music College. However, 11 of these have deferred their place until Sept 2022, meaning 97 HBS students are starting courses in Sept/Oct 2021. Of these 97 students 86 were from the 2020-21 cohort - so $69 \%$ going on to degree standard education in 2021; $78 \%$ going on to degree standard education including those who have deferred to 2022. At the time of writing, 7 students had applied to university but were not placed and are not included. 45 students are going to a Russell Group University (41\%).

## Of the students who did not gain a place at University this year or did not apply:

> 3 students have applied for/are planning to apply for apprenticeships.
> 2 students are repeating Year 13 to improve their grades.
$>16$ students are taking gap years.
$>3$ students are pursuing music careers with their bands.
$>1$ student is moving to Australia, 1 student is starting pilot training, 1 is pursuing a football career in the USA and 1 is pursuing an estate agency career,

## Degree choices:

Of the 108 students who secured a place at University or Music College this year:
$>47$ degrees are in the STEM subjects.
$>$ Business degrees were the most popular with 25 (including marketing, accounting, finance and management).

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