Welcome Aboard

The start of any journey is an exciting opportunity for self-discovery and success. Here, at The Folkestone School for Girls, we pride ourselves on offering our students an outstanding education within an inspiring, challenging and stimulating environment. We have a strong tradition of securing excellent academic results and support every individual to succeed in whatever field they choose.

Our students are nurtured and supported to enable them to become resilient and independent young women, who will achieve anything to which they set their minds. We are committed to providing our students with a plethora of opportunities to develop their character and leadership skills. Furthermore, we actively encourage our students to become good citizens, fully involved in the whole school community and the world beyond.

Our expert staff are dedicated to instilling a life-long love of learning in our students. In addition to excellent teaching provision within the classroom, we offer enriching and engaging extra-curricular experiences in order to bring learning to life and to capture our girls’ imaginations. We aim to broaden their horizons and to empower our students to believe that anything is possible.

Mrs Tracy Luke, Principal.
A Safe Harbour

Whilst many schools focus almost entirely on their academic record, The Folkestone School for Girls is different. Not only do our girls achieve fantastic results in their GCSEs and A levels, they grow into confident young adults in a nurturing and caring environment. We are committed to the advancement of our students as people and are always willing to go the extra mile to ensure their success. We pride ourselves on supporting all elements of our students’ progress, and our dedicated pastoral team offers a welcoming, caring and supportive environment in which all our students can flourish.
We want our girls to be able to benefit from as many educational opportunities as possible; therefore whilst we offer excellent provision in academic subjects, we also enable our students to broaden their horizons through exploring a wide variety of creative, artistic and physical activities.

We devote time to invaluable, enriching experiences, where pupils are able to apply their understanding in new and exciting arenas. Visiting theatres, re-enacting Suffragette marches, performing at concerts in Venice and taking part in debating competitions are just a small fraction of the more exciting and inspiring events in which our students have participated.
A Treasure Trove of Achievements

Whether our students are excelling academically, in the arts, or on the sports field, we always value and celebrate their achievements. Our GCSE and A level results are consistently outstanding and we have maintained a reputation for distinction over several years. We are keen to acknowledge achievement, progress and improvement wherever we see it. We have a strong tradition of excellence in the creative arts and our students are frequently given the opportunity to perform in plays, at concerts and recitals. Music, Dance and Drama are therefore key areas of school life.

We offer the chance to participate in the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme and in a stunning range of school trips. Girls have recently visited Washington, Ypres, Barcelona, Austria, Penshurst Place, the Hadron Collider at Cern, London, Devon, France, Canterbury and even Ecuador.
By the time our students complete their journey with us, they are ready to take on the world. Having spent up to seven years acquiring excellent qualifications and developing as people, they are well prepared for the next stage of their journey. We are proud that our students leave us as happy, confident individuals ready to embrace the future. As independent and inspirational young women, our students are able to navigate their way to adulthood, charting a course to successful and fulfilling careers in whatever path they choose.