



## INSPECTION REPORT MAY 2008

Brockenhurst College was inspected by Ofsted in May 2008. Inspectors observed classes, examined students' work, assessed students' results and met with students, staff and Governors.

The grades awarded are the highest that can be achieved and the report confirms that the College's work continues to be outstanding across all areas.

### Brockenhurst College's Grades:

<b>Achievement and Standards</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1
<b>Quality of Provision</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1
<b>Leadership and Management</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1
<b>Effectiveness of Provision</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1
<b>Capacity to Improve</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1
<b>Equality of Opportunity</b>	Outstanding: Grade 1



### Inspectors summarised the College's strengths as follows:

- Very high success rates.
- Very good progress made by all students.
- Very good teaching and learning.
- Outstanding educational and social inclusion.
- Outstanding academic and pastoral support.
- Excellent advice and guidance.
- Highly effective quality assurance arrangements.
- Outstanding leadership and management.

### The Inspection Report states:

- *'Achievement and standards are outstanding.'*
- *'Teaching and learning are outstanding.'*
- *'Teachers create an excellent environment for learning and provide an appropriate level of challenge for all students.'*
- *'Pastoral support is exceptionally good.'*
- *'Communication with parents is excellent and a parental portal is available on the College intranet.'*
- *'Guidance and support for students are outstanding.'*
- *'Students are encouraged to have high aspirations and are well motivated and self-confident.'*
- *'Teachers' feedback is very good and clearly indicates what students need to do to improve their work and achieve higher grades.'*
- *'Personal Tutors monitor students' progress thoroughly.'*
- *'Social and educational inclusion are outstanding.'*
- *'Students achieve very well, irrespective of their backgrounds, gender, ethnicity or learning needs.'*
- *'The College has a strong ethos of meeting individual students' needs.'*
- *'Students produce very good work and thoroughly enjoy College life.'*

