

Brentwood School

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One of the UK's oldest independent schools, set in Essex less than 30 minutes from central London. Ambitious international students grow in confidence within a genuinely quiet, safe boarding environment. Amerigo Signature students at Brentwood choose from three full Sixth Form pathways, backed by a dedicated on-campus International Department and the Top 25 UK Guarantee.

Brentwood School at a glance

AFFILIATION Christian ethos, co-ed	**ENROLLMENT** ~1,300 students in Senior School	**INTERNATIONAL** ~10% intl. students, 32 nationalities	**BOARDING** Full, Weekly & Flexi, ages 11–18
BOARDING STUDENTS ~120 (~85% international)	**RANKING** Top 10 UK IB Boarding School	**STUDENT : TEACHER** 8 : 1	**LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT** ELTiS 630+ (Middle School) / 720+ (Y11+)
PATHWAYS A Level (26 subjects), IB Diploma, BTEC	**MUSIC** All-Steinway School – 1 of 12 in the UK	**CO-CURRICULAR** 100+ activities & clubs	**SPORT** 15 sports; part of the competitive programme

95%
of students going to UK universities secured a place at a Top 40 university

76%
Russell Group placement

37,3
Average IB score (of 45)

100%
A Level pass rate

School-reported figures, refers to the Class of 2026.

Brentwood School highlights

Three genuine Sixth Form pathways, a rebuilt boarding house, and depth in music and sport most schools can't match.

→ Three Real Sixth Form Pathways
A Levels (26 subjects), the IB Diploma, and the BTEC Extended Diploma – genuine choice, not one path with side options.

→ All-Steinway Music Programme
One of only 12 All-Steinway Schools in the UK, with a Guildhall School of Music and Drama partnership and an auditioned Specialist Music Programme.

→ Brand-New Boarding House
120 single en-suite bedrooms, opened Autumn 2025 – a full rebuild, not a renovation.

→ World-Class Sports Facilities
25-metre pool, fencing salle, squash courts – used by Team GB ahead of the London Olympics.

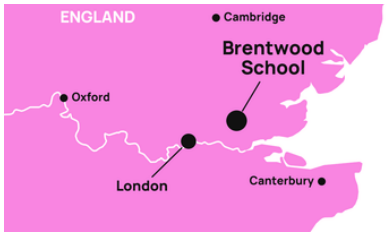




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Location & History

- Middleton Hall Lane, Brentwood, Essex, CM15 8EE
- Essex suburb, 23 minutes from central London by direct train
- Founded 1557 by Sir Antony Browne
- Values: "Virtue, Learning and Manners" — from the School statutes of 1622

Campus Life

- 100+ co-curricular activities & clubs
- 15 sports across the school year
- All-Steinway School; Guildhall School of Music and Drama partnership
- Grounded in Christian ethos and VLM values

Residential Life

Full on-campus boarding. Homestay coming soon.

- New boarding house, opened Autumn 2025
- 122 single en-suite bedrooms
- Separate girls' (Mill Hill) and boys' (Hough) houses
- Benugo Café — dedicated Sixth Form social hub
- Experienced Houseparents live on-site
- Not provided during half-terms/holidays — arranged via Educational Guardian

Top University Outcomes

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- University of Oxford
- University of Cambridge
- Imperial College London
- LSE
- King's College London
- University of Edinburgh
- University of St Andrews
- Durham University
- University of Bath
- University of Exeter
- University of Birmingham

Top 25 UK Guaranteed

Every UK-bound Amerigo student is guaranteed a conditional offer at a UK Top 25 university.

The Amerigo 360° Promise – Brentwood School

International Department

A dedicated support team around every student

Full Family Transparency

Monthly grades, attendance and wellbeing reports, plus real-time updates via the StudyStudyGo app.

Dedicated Student Advisor

1:1 academic coaching and progress check-ins to keep every student on track.

Pastoral Care and Wellbeing

Pastoral care with proactive wellbeing check-ins and a 24/7 emergency line.

Academic & Admissions Support

Target, match and reach universities shortlisted against grades and interests.

The Amerigo Alumni Community

A global network that keeps working for students long after graduation.