Brilliant Club Article

"The Brilliant Club exists to increase the number of pupils from underrepresented backgrounds progressing to highly-selective universities."

-Brilliant Club mission statement.

First of all, we are only one of a handful of schools taking part in the Brilliant Club, so I would like to thank all the teachers and Cambridge University for giving me and my classmates a chance to learn more about one of the best universities. It was an amazing opportunity which I'm sure we are all grateful for.

Earlier this week, we were introduced to two members of Cambridge University who kindly welcomed us to the online course and gave us some valuable advice about the campus. They also talked to us about a large variety of courses that we could possibly take after graduation from college. These range from undergraduate to postgraduate, masters and PHD degrees in a diverse range of subjects.

Cambridge university is one of the oldest universities in the country and considered one of the best in the world! In order to get there, you will obviously need good grades but they also look for students who give a good attitude, have potential and who aren't afraid to take chances.

Over the course of the Brilliant club, we will be working close with the staff of Cambridge University, they will be giving us online lectures, setting assignments and giving us tips for university. We will have an end assignment which will be written and marked in a university style.

It has really made me think about my future and has persuaded me to try and get into Cambridge University.

By Millie