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# ***I WILL NEVER FORGET THE FEELING OF MY FIRST DAY AT TETTENHALL COLLEGE”***

*Narin, from Thailand*

**Narin, former Head Boy, finished at Tettenhall College in 2018 with four A Levels and is now studying at the University of Sussex.**



I will never forget the feeling of my first day at Tettenhall College when the Housemaster, Mr Jackson, came down to meet me from the boarding house and helped me to settle in. I was so grateful and really hadn't expected such a warm welcome. Since that day I knew that this school was going to be a wonderful journey.

There are so many activities and experiences which I had at Tettenhall College that have prepared me for life beyond School, most importantly developing my English language skills. When I first arrived, it was extremely hard for me to understand English and what my friends and teachers were saying, however, as time went on my English has come on so much. This wouldn't have been possible without the support of the School and the caring environment.

With academics in general, TC provided a really wide variety of different subjects and all the support you need to do well at them and enjoy the courses. I chose A Levels in Chinese, Economics, Music and Business Studies. These have now got me to the University of Sussex, where I am studying Business Management and Economics.

Sports-wise, Tettenhall College also offers a really wide range of sports, which again I had not experienced before and really enjoyed. To any new pupils coming from overseas, I'd say even if you haven't played these sports before, don't worry – the coaching is great and there is always room for everyone at different levels! I joined the Swimming Academy and the Fencing club. There are also a lot of other activities to get involved in, I joined the jazz band and took part in acting and theatre productions.

I was also really pleased to be made Head Prefect and Head of Boarding in my final year.

To conclude I appreciated my time at Tettenhall College so much and thank the School for shaping and preparing me to be ready to move on to the next steps of my life.



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