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England - Англия  
Britain - Великобритания  
school year - учебный год  
school uniform - школьная  
форма  
children - дети  
pupils - ученики  
lessons - уроки

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# Schools in England



*Read the sentences and fill in the missing words.*

- 1.** The school year in Britain starts in ....
- 2.** British pupils wear ....
- 3.** ... are blue, grey, black and green.
- 4.** The lessons last 40-45 ....

**A.** minutes

**B.** September

**C.** The favourite colours

**D.** a school uniform

# School uniform



# ENGLISH EDUCATION

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graph TD; A[ENGLISH EDUCATION] --> B[PRIMARY SCHOOL  
5-11 years old]; B --> C[SECONDARY SCHOOL  
11-16 years old]; C --> D[SIXTH FORM COLLEGE  
16-18 years old]; D --> E[UNIVERSITY  
18+ years old];
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The diagram illustrates the progression of English education through five stages, each in a white box with a yellow border. The stages are connected by downward-pointing red arrows. The background is a light orange gradient.

**PRIMARY SCHOOL**

5-11 years old

**SECONDARY SCHOOL**

11-16 years old

**SIXTH FORM COLLEGE**

16-18 years old

**UNIVERSITY**

18+ years old

## Read and translate the text.

Children start **primary school** at 5 and continue until they are 11.

At 11 pupils go to **secondary school**. At 16 pupils take **a national exam called 'GCSE'** and they can leave school if they wish.

Some 16-year-olds continue their studies at **a sixth form college**. They take **a national exam called 'A' level (advanced level)**.

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It needs to enter **a university** at 18.

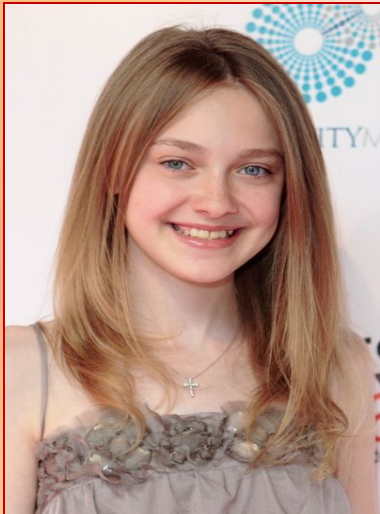
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**Betty-17**



**Bill-23**

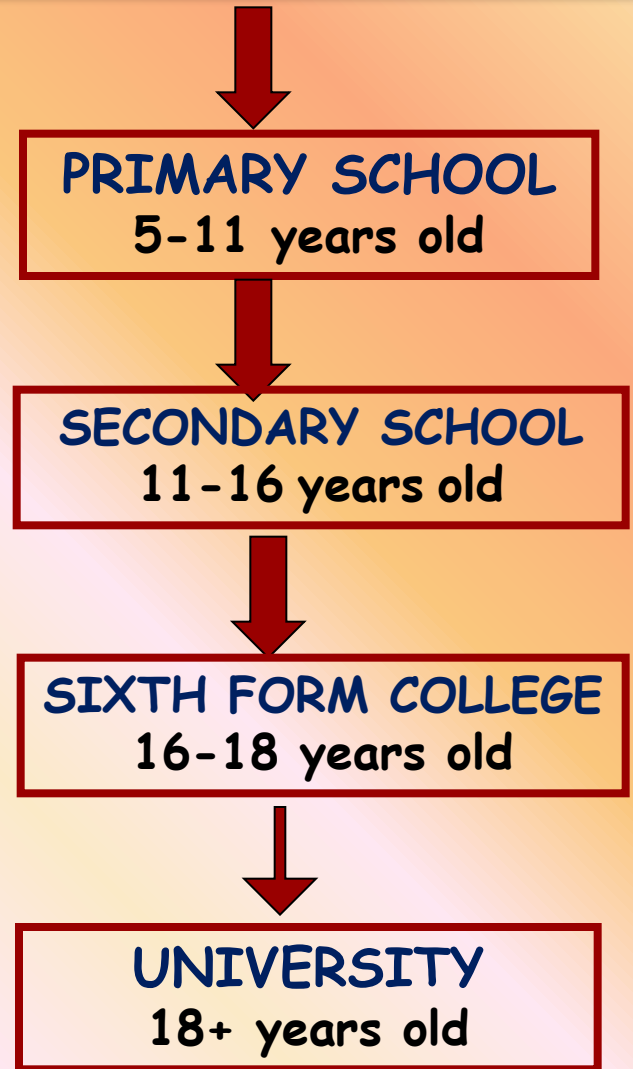


**Fiona-13**



**Tim-9**

Her/His name is ... .  
She/He is... years old.



She/He is at ... .

# *What do you know about British schools?*

## True or False.

1. The school year starts in October.
2. British pupils wear a school uniform.
3. Children start primary school at 7 and continue until they are 9.
4. At 11 pupils go to the sixth form college.
5. Some 16-year-olds continue their studies at the university.
6. At 16 pupils take a national exam called 'GCSE' and they can leave school if they wish.
- ~~7. At 18 they go to a university.~~