

Past pupil profile

Nick Hungnh



Years at Read:

2011-2017 (Year 8 – Upper Sixth)

Previously studied in home country of Vietnam

Subjects taken at A-level:

Maths, Further Maths, Physics, Chemistry, Business (3A* and 2A, respectively)

Pathway since leaving Read:

Imperial College, London (2017-2021) – MEng Materials Science and Engineering

Future career paths: Most likely Consulting, followed by Strategy/Business Development positions at a blue-chip firm. Engineering and I just wasn't meant to be!

Professional life: I've worked at CNN London and a start-up over the last two summers, doing mainly advisory work. I've also volunteered with Coachbright, as one of their social mobility tutors.

Personal life:

I'm currently the President of Comedy Society – we run comedy workshops and host events to go to Comedy Clubs. I also do stand-up semi-professionally.

I now play American Football (very cool sport, would definitely recommend to current Sixth Formers)

I won the Autumn Students' Taekwondo Championship last year, Beginner's section

Memories of Read Sixth Form:

Cadets: leadership skills, friendships, physical fitness. HUGE CV potential, especially if you hold senior roles.

Small class sizes: I had a lot of interactions with classmates and a lot of help from my teachers which got me the grades I achieved

Boarding house: Independence, a family-oriented atmosphere. Taking care of younger boarders. A home away from home and it was lovely to spend time there

Friends: I'm still in touch with the rest of the Sixth Form gang, especially Matthew Roberts who completed a Gap Year Commission at Sandhurst before studying Engineering at Manchester University.

Going to church: It's taught me all the hymns I'd like at my wedding – and how to carry a cross!

Advice for pupils considering Read School Sixth Form

You will gain experiences and friends for life which is not to be underestimated. The Sixth Form is about a lot more than acquiring A-levels.