

The Scholars Programme - Theory of Change



Mission

The Brilliant Club's Scholars Programme supports students to develop the knowledge, skills, and confidence to progress to the most competitive universities.



Inputs



Trained PhD tutor



Bespoke course on area of PhD research



Small groups of students aged 8-18



Activities



x7 Student tutorials

- PhD researcher teaches their area of expertise in university-style tutorials
- Students complete baseline and final assignments



University campus visit

- Graduation event to celebrate end of the programme
- Opportunity to learn more about higher education and life at university



Outputs



Tutorial and trip attendance



Impact report showing students' progress

Outcomes



Academic achievement

Assessed via baseline and final assignments:

- Subject knowledge
- Written communication
- Critical thinking



University self-efficacy

Assessed via pre and post assessments:

- Academic skills
- University knowledge
- Sense of belonging



Impact

Students are more likely to progress to a competitive university

