

Requirements with for A Level & Vocational Courses

To study the minimum of three A Level subjects: Five GCSEs at grade 5 plus a grade 6 in a written subject. In this table 'Subject' means a GCSE grade in that subject, for example in French you must have at least a 5 in French at GCSE. If no letter is indicated, then there is no requirement for a grade in this subject. When two grades are given for English this means in both Language and Literature. When only one grade is given, this means Language.

The 6th Form reserves the right to review course entry criteria at enrolment.

COURSES	BLOCK	A Level and Vocational Entrance Requirements				
		English	Maths	Subject	Science	OWS
Art	C	5	4	6		
Biology	A or B or D	5	5	6	6/6	
Business Studies	D	5	5			6
Chemistry	A or B or C	5	5	6	6/6	
Computer Science**	C	6	6	6		
Drama	B	5		6*		
Economics	A	5	6			6
English Literature	C	6 in Lit				6
MFL French	E	5		5		
Further Mathematics**	D & E			9		
Geography	D	5	5	5	5/5	6
Graphics	C	5	5	5		
History	A	5		5		6
Mathematics	A or B or C			7		
Media Studies	D	5		5*		6
Music***	D	5	5	5		
Physics	A or C	5	6	6	6/6	
Politics	B	5				6
Psychology	B or D	6 in Lang or Lit	5		5/5	6
Religious Studies****	A	5				6
Sociology	A or C	5				6
MFL Spanish	E	5		5		
Applied Business	C	4	4			4
Applied Science	D	4	4	4	4 4	
Cambridge Technicals in IT	B	4	4			5
Health and Social Care	A & B	4	4			4

OWS — Other Written Subjects. English Lang/ Lit, History, Sociology, Geography, Religious Studies, Media and Business

*Candidates will be accepted without subject specific entry requirements as long as all other entry requirements have been met.

Five GCSEs at grade 6 and those that have not completed Computer Science must have grade 7 in Maths. *Music Grade 5 or equivalent on a musical instrument. ****You will be considered with GCSE English Language Grade 4 if you also have Religious Studies/Education at Grade 6. ** **Further Maths** - Students complete A Level Mathematics in Year 12 and Further Mathematics, A Level in Year 13. ^ Those with higher than the minimum entry requirements may be able to combine their Applied subjects with other A level subjects. ^^ **Health and Social Care** is the equivalent of two courses and runs in block A and B together. You will need to choose a third subject from block C or D