



SIXTH FORM ENTRY CRITERIA September 2023 Entry

- The minimum entry criteria is at least 3 GCSEs at grade 5 and 2 GCSEs at Grade 4
- Grade 4 in English (Language or Literature)
- Grade 4 in Mathematics although a Grade 3 may be accepted for Mathematics providing the Level 3 selection is not maths based and the student commits to retake lessons and examinations

SUBJECT	SUBJECT SPECIFIC CRITERIA
Art - A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE Art
Biology - A Level	Minimum of two grade 6s in Science. For triple Science one must be Biology Minimum grade 6 in Maths
Business - A Level	Grade 5 in Business Studies. If not studied at GCSE Grade 4 in English and Mathematics.
Chemistry - A Level	Minimum of two grade 6s in Science. For triple Science one must be Chemistry Minimum grade 6 in Maths
Computer Science – A-Level	Grade 6 in GCSE Computer Science and Maths. If not studied at GCSE, Grade 6 in GCSE Maths and Science.
Drama and Theatre Studies - A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE Drama if taken at GCSE. If not studied at GCSE then application by audition and meeting
Economics - A Level	Grade 6 /5 (in any combination) in Maths and English
English Language and Literature - A Level	Grade 6 and 5 in GCSE English Literature and English Language (either way around) A love of reading
English Literature - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE English Literature and 5 in English Language A love of reading
Geography - A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE Geography if taken or Grade 5 in GCSE Maths and an English GCSE
German - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE German
Health and Social Care - BTEC Level 3	Sixth Form Entry Criteria
History - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE History if taken or Grade 6 in an English GCSE
Mathematics - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE Maths
Further Mathematics - A Level	Grade 8 or above at GCSE Maths and must be studying A Level Mathematics
Media Studies - A Level	Grades 5 in GCSE English (Literature or Language)
Music - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE Music and at least a Grade 4 standard on any instrument
Photography - A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE Art recommended. If not studied, discussion with Head of Department to include assessment of a portfolio
Physical Education - A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE PE (if studied), a Grade 5 in Biology (for double science 5,5) and a Grade 4 in Mathematics. Students should also participate in competitive sport externally (from a prescribed list).
Physics - A Level	Minimum of two Grade 6s in Science. For triple Science one must be Physics Minimum grade 6 in Maths
Product Design - A Level	Grade 5 in Product Design/Electronics/Resistant Materials at GCSE if studied (otherwise Sixth Form Entry Criteria)
Psychology – A Level	Grade 5 in Maths and Science at GCSE (for Combined Science 5,4 or above)
Science - BTEC Level 3	Grade 4 in two sciences and a Grade 4 in Mathematics
Sociology – A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE English (Language or Literature)
Spanish – A Level	Grade 6 in GCSE Spanish
Sport - BTEC Level 3	Pass in BTEC Level 2 Sport if studied (otherwise Sixth Form Entry Criteria)
Textile Design – A Level	Grade 5 in GCSE Textiles recommended (If not studied, discussion with Head of Department to include assessment of a portfolio)