



Sixth Form Options and Entry Requirements 2025

- To access an A Level Pathway, a minimum of 5 grades 5s, as well as the specific subject entry requirements below, is required. A minimum of a grade 5 in English and a grade 4 in Maths is required in all A Level courses, unless stated in the table below .
- To access a purely vocational pathway, 5 grade 4s (including English and Maths) as well as the specific subject entry requirements below, is required.

Course	Entry Requirements
Art, Craft and Design	Please see Mrs Rimmer / Grade 5 in English Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Applied Science*	5 GCSEs grade 4 and above / Grade 5 in Maths and Science / 4 in English
Biology	Grade 6 in English Language / 6 in Biology or 66 in Trilogy / 5 in Maths
Business Studies	Grade 6 in Maths or Business Studies / Grade 5 in English Language
Chemistry	Grade 6 in Maths / 6 in Chemistry or 66 in Trilogy
Computer Science	Grade 6 in Computing or Maths
Criminology*	5 GCSEs grades 4 and above (including English and Maths)
Digital Media*	5 GCSEs grades 4 and above (including Maths) Grade 5 in English Language
Economics	Grade 6 in Maths and English Language
English Language	Grade 6 in English Language
English Literature	Grade 6 in English Literature / Grade 5 in English Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Film Studies	Grade 5 in English Literature and Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Geography	Grade 6 in Geography / Grade 5 in English Language / Grade 5 in Maths
Health and Social Care (Double)*	5 GCSEs grades 4 and above (including English and Maths)
Health and Social Care (Single)*	5 GCSEs grades 4 and above (including English and Maths)
History	Grade 6 in History / Grade 5 English Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Maths	Grade 7 in Maths / Grade 5 in English
Further Maths	Grade 8 in Maths / Must have chosen Maths A Level (Further Maths as a fourth subject)
Performing Arts*	Appropriate KS4 qualifications and experience (Dance, Musical Theatre, Drama experience with evidence) Grade 5 in English and 4 in Maths
Physics	Grade 7 Maths / 6 in Physics or 66 in Trilogy / Grade 5 In English Language
Politics	Grade 6 in English Language or History / Minimum of 5 in English Language/ Grade 4 in Maths
Product Design	Grade 6 in Maths / Grade 6 in Product Design / Grade 5 in English
Psychology	Grade 6 in Science / Maths / Grade 5 in English Language
Psychology (BTEC)*	5 GCSEs grade 4 and above (Including English and Maths)
Religious Studies	Grade 6 in English Language and RE / Grade 4 in Maths
Sociology	Grade 5 in English Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Spanish	Grade 6 in Spanish / English Language / Grade 4 in Maths
Sport*	5 Grade 4s including English and Maths / Grade 5 in PE or L2M
<i>Extended Project Qualification (0.5 A Level)</i>	EPQ is delivered as a fourth option

All subjects will run subject to demand and viability.