

6TH Form Subject Entry Requirements (for September 2025)

Subject	Entry Requirements
A-Level Art & Design	GCSE Art at Grade 6 or above and GCSE English at Grade 4 or above.
A-Level Biology	Combined Science Grade 6 or above or GCSE Biology Grade 6 or above. Also
	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths.
A-Level Business	5 GCSEs Grade 4 and above inc. English.
	GCSE Maths at Grade 5 or above. GCSE Business Studies Grade 6 or above is
	desirable.
	If you have studied a vocational qualification (BTEC or NCFE) ideally you would
	have achieved a L2M or above.
A-Level Chemistry	Combined Science Grade 6 or above or GCSE Chemistry Grade 6 or above. Also
	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths.
A-Level Physics	Combined Science Grade 6 or above or GCSE Chemistry Grade 6 or above. Also
	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths.
A-Level English Language	GCSE English Language or Literature at Grade 6 or above.
A-Level English Literature	GCSE English Language or Literature at Grade 6 or above.
A-Level French	GCSE French Grade 6+ and 5 GCSEs at Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths.
A-Level Further Maths	Grade 7 or above in GCSE Maths
A-Level Geography	GCSE Geography at Grade 5 or above and 5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and
	Maths.
A-Level History	GCSE history at Grade 5 or above and 5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths.
A-level Maths	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Maths (covering all higher content).
A-Level Physical Education	GCSE PE at Grade 5 or above and Grade 9-4 in 5 GCSEs inc. English and one
	science.
A-Level Psychology	Grade 5 in at least 1 science and 5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths.
A-Level Sociology	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths. Grade 5 or above in GCSE Sociology is
	desirable.
Applied Law (Vocational)	5 GCSEs at Grade 9-4 Inc. English and Maths required.
Performing Arts (Drama –	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths.
Vocational)	BTEC Drama Level 2 Merit or above or by practical audition if not studied
	previously.
ICT (Vocational)	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths. GCSE Computer Science at Grade 4 or
	Cambridge Nationals or Creative iMedia (or other IT based equivalent
	qualification) at Level 2 Merit.
Music (Vocational)	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4 Inc. English and Maths. Grade 5 or above at GCSE Music (or
	equivalent vocation qualification) is desirable but not essential.
	Students must be performers and have an instrument (or voice) that they play to
	a good standard.
Science (Vocational)	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Combined science or Grade 5 or above in each of the
	separate GCSE sciences: Biology, Chemistry and Physics. Also a minimum of
	Grade 4 in GCSE English and Grade 5 in Maths is required.
Health and Social Care	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4. Grade 4 in GCSE English is desirable. Level 2 pass in Health
(Vocational)	and Social Care/Child Development or Grade 4 in GCSE English is desirable.
Child Development	5 GCSEs Grade 9-4. Grade 4 in GCSE English is desirable. Level 2 pass in Health
(Vocational)	and Social Care/Child Development or Grade 4 in GCSE English is desirable.
Criminology (Vocational)	5 GCSEs at Grade 9-4 inc. English and Maths required.