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A Level Entry Requirements 2024

Our general entry requirement into the sixth form is **320** points from your best 8 GCSEs that score points, including GCSE English Language or GCSE English Literature and GCSE mathematics at a 4 or above. The following grades are scored as outlined:

A* - 52, A - 46, B - 40, C - 34, D - 28 9 - 60, 8 - 58, 7 - 55, 6 - 49, 5 - 43, 4 - 40 Distinction* - 58, Distinction - 52, Merit - 46, Pass - 40 Vocational subjects are level 2 grades only

Entry to individual courses is dependent on meeting the subject specific requirements outlined below.

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Art	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Art if studied or a portfolio of work to be assessed by the Head of Art
Biology	Grade 6 in GCSE Biology and a grade 6 in GCSE Maths or Grade 77 in Combined Science
Business	Grade 5 in GCSE Business or Grade 5 in GCSE Maths if not studied.
Chemistry	Grade 6 in GCSE Chemistry and a grade 6 in GCSE Maths or Grade 77 in Combined Science
Computer Science	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Computer Studies or Grade 6 in GCSE Maths if not studied
Dance	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Dance and prior Dance experience essential
Drama	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Drama and prior Drama experience essential
DT Product Design	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Product Design / Textiles or L2M in Engineering
English Language	Grade 7 or above in GCSE English Language or Grade 6 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature
English Literature	Grade 7 or above in GCSE English Literature or Grade 6 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature
French	Grade 6 or above in GCSE French
Further Maths	Grade 8 or above in GCSE Mathematics
Geography	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Geography
History	Grade 6 or above in GCSE History
Media	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Media or Grade 5 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature if not studied
Maths	Grade 7 or above in GCSE Mathematics. (Students who achieve a grade 7 need to study 4 subjects for the first term and sit a progress assessment)
Music	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Music and prior Music experience essential
Politics	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Politics or Grade 5 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature if not studied
Physics	Grade 6 in GCSE Physics and a grade 6 in GCSE Maths or Grade 77 in Combined Science
Psychology	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Psychology or Grade 5 in two GCSE Sciences and Grade 5 in Maths
Philosophy and Ethics	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Religious Education and Grade 6 in both GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature
Sociology	Grade 5 or above in GCSE Sociology or Grade 5 in one GCSE English subject
Spanish	Grade 6 or above in GCSE Spanish
CTEC Business Ext Cert	No additional criteria
CTEC Health and Social Care Ext Cert	No additional criteria
CTEC ICT Ext Cert	No additional criteria
CTEC Science Ext Cert	No additional criteria
CTEC Sport Ext Cert	No additional criteria
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